

**Motherless Children**  
**Misc Traditional**

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No, not Motherless Child. Here s a classic off of 461 Ocean Boulevard.  
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- Brian

MOTHERLESS CHILDREN (traditional)

[A] [A] [A] [A] [A] [A] [A] [D]

Solo on Verse

[A] Motherless children have a [D] hard time when [A] mother is dead, lord. [D]  
[A] Motherless children have a [D] hard time when [A] mother is dead, lord. [D]  
[A] They don t have any[E]where to go;  
[D] Wandering around from [F] door to door.  
[A] Nobody treats you like a [D] mother will when your [A] mother is dead,  
lord. [D]

[A] Father will do the [D] best he can when your [A] mother is dead, lord. [D]  
[A] Father will do the [D] best he can when your [A] mother is dead, lord. [D]  
[A] Father will do the [E] best he can;  
[D] So many things a father [F] can t understand.  
[A] Nobody treats you like a [D] mother will when your [A] mother is dead,  
lord. [D]

Solo on Verse

[A] Sister will do the [D] best she can when your [A] mother is dead, lord. [D]  
[A] Sister will do the [D] best she can when your [A] mother is dead, lord. [D]  
[A] Sister will do the [E] best she can;  
[D] So many things a sister [F] can t understand.  
[A] Nobody treats you like a [D] mother will when your [A] mother is dead,  
lord. [D]

When your [A] mother is dead, [D] when your [A] mother is dead. [D]  
When your [A] mother is dead, Lord, [D] when your [A] mother is dead. [D]  
When your [A] mother is dead, [D] when your [A] mother is dead. [D]  
When your [A] mother is dead, [D] when your [A] mother is dead. [D]

When your [A] mother is dead, Lord, [D] when your [A] mother is dead. [D]

Solo on Verse

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* Brian Davies                               Never his mind on where he was.  *  
* Institute For The Learning Sciences  Hmph.  What he was doing.  Hmph!  *  
* 1890 Maple Avenue                               - Yoda  *  
* Evanston, IL 60201  *  
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