

## Love Of The Common People

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[Verse 1]

**A**

Livin on free food tickets,

**G**

water in the milk from a hole in the roof where the rain came through.

**D E**

What can you do? Ahah.

**A**

Tears from your little sister, crying because she doesn't have a dress

**G**

without a patch for the party to go.

**D**

**E**

But you know, she'll get by.

[Refrain]

**A**

**D**

Cause she's living in the love of the common people,

**A**

**E**

smiles from the heart of a family man.

**A**

**D**

Daddy's gonna buy you a dream to cling to,

**A**

**E**

**E7**

**A**

Mama's gonna love you just as much as she can. And she can.

[Verse 2]

**A**

It's a good thing you don't have bus fare.

it would fall through the hole in your pocket

**G**

and you'd lose it in the snow on the ground.

**D**

**E**

You gotta walk into town, to find a job.

**A**

Trying to keep your hands warm,

when the hole in your shoe let the snow come through,

**G**

and chill you to the bone.

**D**

**E**

So now you better go home where it's warm.

[Refrain 2]

**A**

**D**

Where you can live in the love of the common people,

**A**

**E**

smiles from the heart of a family man.

**A** **D**  
Daddy s gonna buy you a dream to cling to,  
**A** **E** **E7** **A**  
Mama s gonna love you just as much as she can. And she can.

[Instrumental solo]

**A**  
(eight bars)

[Verse 3]

**A**  
Living on a dream ain t easy.  
**G**  
But the closer the knit, the tighter the fit, and the chills stay away.  
**D** **E**  
Just take them in stride for family pride.  
**A**  
You know that faith is your foundation with a whole lotta love  
**G**  
and a warm conversation, but don t forget to pray.  
**D** **E**  
Just making it strong, where you belong.

[Refrain]

**A** **D**  
And we re living in the love of the common people,  
**A** **E**  
smiles from the heart of a family man.  
**A** **D**  
Daddy s gonna buy you a dream to cling to,  
**A** **E** **E7** **A**  
Mama s gonna love you just as much as she can. And she can.

**A** **D**  
Yes we re living in the love of the common people,  
**A** **E**  
smiles from the heart of a family man.  
**A** **D**  
Daddy s gonna buy you a dream to cling to,  
**A** **E**  
Mama s gonna love you just as much as she can.

**A** **D**  
living in the love of the common people,  
**A** **E**  
smiles from the heart of a family man.  
**A** **D**  
Daddy s gonna buy you a dream to cling to,  
**A** **E**  
Mama s gonna love you just as much as she can.

**A** **D**

living in the love of the common people,

**A**

**E**

smiles from the heart of a family man.

**A**

**D**

Daddy s gonna buy you a dream to cling to,

**A**

**E**

**E7**

**A**

Mama s gonna love you just as much as she can. And she can.