

The Biggest Disappointment

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Just a bit of slim

G,C,G
C,G,C,D

C G C D
They had my future wrapped up in a parcel
C D G
and no one even thought of asking me.

C D
The day I turned fifteen I caught the mailtrain
C D G
To find what else might be in life for me.

Em B7
I rode on trucks and trains and lived on nothing;
Em A7
Served me right for wanting to be free-

G C D
Ah well that's the way society looked at it,
C D G
But it didn't seem to be that way to me.

Chorus

G D G
And the biggest disappointment in the family was me;
C D7
the only twisted branch upon our good old family tree
G B7 Em
I just couldn't be the person they expected me to be
G C D G
A7 And the biggest disappointment in the world was me

A lot more dinner times than there dinners

I learned a lot that hurt me at the time

Then this quiet country boy came home a different man

with a memory of distance on my mind

But i always spoke to loud and drank to often,

Maybe drank to many glasses down

And perhaps my clothes were older that I realized

A relief to all concerned when I left town

Chorus

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