Tell Me There's a Heaven

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The little girl she said to me
What are these things that I can see
Each night when I come home from school
And mama calls me in for teaOh every night a baby dies
And every night a mama cries

What makes those men do what they do To make that person black and blueGrandpa says their happy now

They sit with God in paradise

With angels' wings and still somehow

It makes me feel like iceTell me there's a heaven

Tell me that it's true

Tell me there's a reason

Why I'm seeing what I doTell me there's a heaven

Where all those people go

Tell me they're all happy now

Papa tell me that it's soSo do I tell her that it's true

That there's a place for me and you

Where hungry children smile and say

We wouldn't have no other wayThat every painful crack of bones

Is a step along the way

Every wrong done is a game plan

To that great and joyful dayAnd I'm looking at the father and the son

And I'm looking at the mother and the daughter

And I'm watching them in tears of pain

And I'm watching them sufferDon't tell that little girl

Tell me

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