

# Till They Came Home

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Times were hard but they were fun in 1941  
The year that Jim and Catherine fell in love  
They were graduating college, their heads were full of knowledge  
And visions of taking on the world  
But Uncle Sam and those Pearl Harbor bombs  
Pulled Jim away from Catherine's arms  
Then along came Vietnam in 1961  
The year that Bob and Mandy said, "I do"  
They bought a house outside the city  
Everything was sitting pretty  
But again old Uncle Sam said, "I need you"  
Bob said, "Mandy, honey I'll be back  
Don't you worry, you can count on that"  
And as the headlines rolled, every mother prayed  
Every father laid awake the whole night through  
Every brother bragged, every sister cried  
Every hometown across this land held on  
Till they came home  
Times were hard but they were fun in 1991  
The year that John and Sally said goodbye  
He held two kids in his arms as she left for desert storm  
John could see the sadness in her eyes  
He watched her sail away navy blue  
Up on the quarter deck in full salute  
And as the headlines rolled, every mother prayed  
Every father laid awake the whole night through  
Every brother bragged, every sister cried  
Every hometown across this land held on  
Till they came home  
Some came home as heroes  
Proud to be back  
Some came home as heroes  
Covered with the flag  
And as the headlines rolled, every mother prayed  
Every father laid awake the whole night through  
Every brother bragged, every sister cried  
Every hometown across this land held on  
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