## If I Were a Carpenter (w/ Joe Nichols)

## **Dolly Parton**

If I were a carpenter

And you were a lady

Would you marry me anyway?

Would you have my baby? If you were a carpenter

And I were a lady

I'd marry you anyway

I'd have your babyIf a tinker were my trade

Would you still find me?

I'll be carryin' the pots you made

Followin' behind youSave my love through loneliness

Save my love to sorrow

I'm givin' you my only-ness

Give me your tomorrowIf I were a miller

At a mill wheel grindin'

I wouldn't miss my pretty dress

And my soft shoe shiningIf I were a carpenter

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