

# You Better Let That Liar Alone

## The Carter Family

Just let me tell you how a liar will do  
He's always coming with something new  
He'll steal your heart with false pretense  
Making out like he's your bosom friend  
If you don't want to get in trouble  
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Better let that liar alone  
When a liar takes the notion to bend the truth  
He'll lay around his neighbors and get the news  
And nearly every day when you look out  
You can see that liar coming to your house  
If you don't want to get in trouble  
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Better let that liar alone  
He'll tell you such a lie, it'll surprise your mind  
He'll mix a little truth for to make it shine  
When he gets his business fixed just right  
Then that liar's going to cause a fight  
If you don't want to get in trouble  
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Better let that liar alone  
He studies up a lie, he'll tell it so smooth  
You'll think absolutely that it must be true  
And he'll urge you out for to trace the tale  
And if you don't mind, you'll be put in jail  
If you don't want to get in trouble  
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Better let that liar alone  
When everything's in perfect peace  
Then comes that liar with his deceit  
A hypocrite liar both keeps up a fuss  
They're both very bad but a liar's the worse  
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