

Single Father

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Lately I've been spendin'
Lots of time with my kid
 Tellin' him stories
About the things that we did
 When we were a family
 Long time ago
I've answered his questions
 Till I'm blue in the face
 Wish all that hurt in him
 I could erase
 But I tell him the truth
'Cause he ain't to young to know
 Single father
 Part time mother
 When I'm not one
 Then I'm the other
 And you used to be
 My full time lover
 Now I'm a single father
 And a part time mother
 I spend every minute
 I can with my boy
 There's no doubt about it
 He's my pride and joy
 Someday he will grow up
And I won't have him no more
 Some things I just find
 Too hard to explain
 So we go to McDonalds
 Or I buy him a train

And we put it together
On the living room floor
 Such is the life
 Of a single father
 He says daddy explain
 If it's not too much bother
 While it's just you and me
 Living here in this home

I don't understand it
And neither does he
Why there's just two
When there should be three of us
Sharing this moment
Lord, I feel so alone
Single father
Part time mother
When I'm not one
Then I'm the other
And you used to be
My full time lover
Now I'm a single father
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