

# In Color

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I said, grandpa whats this picture here  
Its all black and white, it aint real clear  
Is that you there? He said yeah, I was 11  
Times were tough back in '35  
Thats me and uncle Joe just tryin to survive  
A cotton farm in a great depression  
If it looks like we were scared to death  
Like a couple of kids just tryin to save each other  
You should've seen it in color  
Oh, and this one here was taken over seas  
In the middle of hell in 1943  
In the winter time you can almost see my breath  
That was my tail gunner ole Johnny Magee  
He was a high school teacher from New Orleans  
And he had my back right through the day we left  
If it looks like we were scared to death  
Like a couple of kids just tryin to save each other  
You should've seen it in color  
A picture's worth a thousand words  
But you cant see what those shades of gray keep covered  
You should've seen it in color  
This one is my favorite one  
This is me and grandma in the summer sun  
All dressed up, the day we said our vows  
You can't tell it here but it was hot that June  
And that rose was red and her eyes were blue  
And just look at that smile, I was so proud  
Thats the story of my life right there in black and white  
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