

# Preacher's Daughter (feat. Tarsha McMillian)

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She had a habit that she couldn't really stop  
Needed money so she had to hit the block  
Nobody knew it so She steady had to play a role  
Went to church  
But surely tearin' up her soul  
She'd repent sometimes Then she'd press rewind  
Started over messin' up her life  
Couldn't cope so she had to hit a knee slow  
Started prayin' to the Lord She was a preacher's daughter  
Sendin' herself the tears  
Sendin' herself the tears A preacher's daughter  
So she had common sense  
It's ashamed the way her life went  
He's too busy though Steady savin souls  
To realize he lost one of his own  
Full of pain and stuck out in the dark  
I even heard her father made his mark Now she's confused  
Now she's about to lose everything  
She thought she ever owned Preacher's daughter  
Sendin' herself the tears  
Sendin' herself the tears (It's a cryin' shame, oh)  
It's a shame she couldn't make a way out  
Now I'm sittin' here twiddlin' my thumbs  
'Cause her life is gone and her kids are gone  
And she lost everything and see her own father Was a preacher but he couldn't pray for her  
'Cause he was too busy prayin' for everybody else  
And layin' hands on all the women in the congregation  
But I guess that's what goes on When you walk right and perfect  
And your whole house seems to be perfect  
And behind closed doors everybody suffers from some kind of demon  
But nobody knows it until it all unavails itself Your own daughter is out there  
Locked out in the dark  
She was a preacher's daughter Help me, Lord, help me, Lord  
Help me, Lord, I need You right now  
I need you daddy  
Could you hear me prayin'  
Don't you hear me prayin'  
(She's somebody's daughter) I need you, say I need you  
I don't know what to do

I'm dyin' inside  
(She's somebody's baby)  
I can't stop the tears from fallin'  
I need you, I need you, I need you, daddy  
Oh, I need you

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