

Intro: C G Am Am7

C G Am Am7

Mama told me when I was young

C G Am Am7

Come sit beside me my only son

C G Am Am7

And listen closely to what I say

C

And if you do this

G Am Am7

It ll help you some sunny day. Oh Yah!

Fill: C G Am Am7

C G Am Am7

Oh take your time... Don t live too fast

C G Am Am7

Troubles will come and they will pass.

C G Am Am7

You ll find a woman yea yea you ll find love

C

And don t forget son

G Am

There is someone up above.

C G Am Am7

And be a simple kind of man.

C G Am Am7

Oh be something you love and understand.

C G Am Am7

Baby be a simple kind of man.

C G

Oh won t you do this for me son

Am Am7

If you can?

C G Am Am7

Forget your lust for the rich man s gold

C G Am Am7

All that you need is in your soul

C G Am Am7

And you can do this oh baby if you try.

C G

All that I want for you my son

Am

Is to be satisfied.

C G Am Am7

And be a simple kind of man.

C G Am Am7

Oh be something you love and understand.

C G Am Am7

Baby be a simple kind of man.

C G

Oh won t you do this for me son

Am Am7

If you can?

Guitar solo: C G Am

C G Am Am7

Boy don't you worry... you'll find yourself.

C G Am Am7

Follow your heart lord and nothing else.

C G Am Am7

And you can do this oh baby if you try.

C G

All that I want for you my son

Am

Is to be satisfied.

C G Am Am7

And be a simple kind of man.

C G Am Am7

Oh be something you love and understand.

C G Am Am7

Baby be a simple kind of man.

C G

Oh won't you do this for me son

Am Am7

If you can?

C G Am Am7

Baby be a simple be a simple man.

C G Am Amy

Oh be something you love and understand.

C G Am Am7

Baby be a simple kind of man