

## **Eddy Arnold**

# **"My Daddy Is Only A Picture"**

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(Lyrics and music by Thomas C. Dilbeck)

I asked a little boy to call his daddy  
He said he couldn't and sighed  
And when I asked him what was wrong  
Here's what the little boy replied.  
My Daddy is only a picture,  
In a frame that hangs on the wall  
Each day I talk to my daddy,  
But he never talks at all.  
I tell him all of my secrets  
And all of my little plans  
And from the way he smiles at me,  
I know he understands.  
The angels took Daddy to heaven,  
When I was just goin' on three  
But I'll bet they never told him  
How blue and lonesome we'd be.  
I try to cheer up my mommie,  
When the tears roll down her face  
My daddy is only a picture,  
But I'm tryin' to take his place.

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