

Eric Clapton

"Motherless Child"

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If I mistreat you girl, I sure don't mean no harm
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Well, I'm a motherless child, I don't know right from
wrong

Please tell me pretty mama, honey, where'd you stay
last night?
Please tell me pretty mama, honey where'd you stay
last night?
Well, you didn't come home till the sun was shining
bright

I had to go so far girl to get my ham bones boiled
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Well, he's had a lot of women, gonna let my ham bones
burn

Well, I did more for you, girl, than your daddy ever
done
Well, I did more for you, girl, than your daddy ever
done
Well, I give you my jelly, he ain't give you none

And when you see two women, always running hand in
hand
When you see two women, always running hand in
hand
You can bet your bottom dollar, one got the other one's
man

Lord, I'm going to the river, get me a tangled rocking
chair
I'm going to the river, get me a tangled rocking chair
And if the blues overtake me, gonna rock away from
here

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