

## Jeffrey Steele

# "Roots Of Country"

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(Jeffrey Steele/Dick Rudolph/Chris Farren)

Family together front porch swing  
Daddy get his guitar and we all sing  
Grandma rockin' the baby to sleep  
Momma keepin' time at the sewing machine

That's the way it was handed down to me  
And that's what I still believe  
Music planted the seed inside of me  
Songs about God and family  
And makin' the most of simple things  
These are my roots, the roots of country

They sing in the factories, churches and the fields  
Words from the hear, stories so real  
A common people with a common bond  
Workin' together and singin' along

That's the way it was handed down to me  
And that's what I still believe  
Music planted the seed inside of me  
Singin' the songs that we all know  
Gathering around the radio  
Yeah, these are my roots, the roots of country

Kentucky bluegrass, western swing (The seed inside of me)  
The singin' cowboys and honky tonk queens  
The good old days they may be gone  
But the tradition still lives on, yeah

Music planted the seed inside of me  
(Songs about God and family)  
Songs about God and family  
(Makin' the most of simple things)  
Makin' the most of simple things  
(These are my roots)  
And I'm proud of my roots  
(The roots of country)  
Oh, yeah

These are my roots  
The roots of country

These are my roots  
Ah,yeah

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