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"Daddy's Old Sayin's, Mama's Beliefs"

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DADDY HAD A LOT OF OLD SAYINGS HE ALWAYS TRIED
TO LIVE BY BETTER LOOK BEFORE YOU LEAP STILL
WATER RUNS DEEP YOU NEVER GET TO BIG TO CRY
MAMA SAID A LIFETIME SHOULD BE BASED ON THE
ROCK OF AGES AND AMAZING GRACE SHE KEPT THE
LOVELIGHT BURNING IN OUR OLD HOMEPLACE AND I
GREW UP THERE SOMEWHERE BETWEEN CHORUS
DADDY'S OLD SAYINGS AND MAMA'S BELIEFS I KEEP
THEM LOCKED INSIDE MY HEART WAY DOWN DEEP NOW
WHEN EVERYTHING IN LIFE GOES WRONG I CAN FIND
THE STRENGTH I NEED IN DADDY'S OLD SAYINGS, AND
MAMA'S BELIEFS DADDY LIKE A LITTLE SHOT OF
WHISKEY SOMETIMES A LITTLE HOMEMADE WINE MAMA
USED TO SCOLD HIM TURN AROUND AND HOLD HIM
THINGS WOULD BE ALRIGHT TILL THE NEXT TIME SHE
WOULD TELL HIM ALL THE THINGS HE WAS SEARCHING
FOR COULD ONLY BE FOUND IN THE WORDS OF THE
LORD DADDY SAID SOMETIMES THEY'RE IN AN OLD
FRUIT JAR AND HE LOOKED EVERY SATURDAY NIGHT
REPEAT CHORUS

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