

## **Jim Ed Brown & The Browns**

### **"Letter to Daddy"**

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(Bobby Braddock - S. Braddock)

They brought me a letter from my little girl  
My sweet little baby with long golden curls  
The address was printed with crayon of red  
A letter to daddy and here's what it said.

Hi daddy, how are you?  
I guess I'm okay except this bad cold  
But I feel like a big girl now  
'Cause yesterday I was seven years old.

And that little puppy dog you sent me  
Why he's just as cutest as he can be  
But daddy, it wasn't just like a birthday  
Why couldn't you have been here with me?

Daddy, I don't understand  
What happened in court that day  
I ask mommy where you are  
And she just says daddy's gone away.

Is it something that I did wrong daddy  
You never did fuss at me  
But if you'll come home I'll climb upon your lap every  
night  
And I'll be just as sweet as I can be.

Daddy each night I ask God to  
Make you keep loving me the way you used to  
Oh daddy, if I'd give mommy this letter  
I know she won't mail it to you.

So I'm gonna look all over this city until I find you  
Then maybe you'll see just how much we need you,  
daddy  
Mommy and me  
And I love you daddy.

They told me how she started walking downtown  
There at the crossroads the car's struck her down

She lay in the ditch all covered with sand  
A letter to daddy was clutched in her hand...

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