

## **Tracy Chapman**

# **"Son Of A Preacher Man"**

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Billy Ray was a preacher's son  
And when his daddy would visit, he'd come along  
When they gathered round and started talkin'  
That's when Billy would take me walkin'  
A through the back yard, we'd go walkin'  
Then he'd look into my eyes, Lord knows, to my  
surprise

The only one who could ever reach me  
Was the son of a preacher man  
The only boy who could ever teach me  
Was the son of a preacher man  
Yes, he was, he was, mmm, yes, he was

Being good isn't always easy  
No matter how hard I try  
When he started sweet-talkin' to me  
He'd come and tell me, everything is all right  
He'd kiss and tell me, everything is all right  
Can I get away again tonight?

The only one who could ever reach me  
Was the son of a preacher man  
The only boy who could ever teach me  
Was the son of a preacher man  
Yes, he was, he was, Lord knows, he was

How well I remember, the look that was in his eyes  
Stealin' kisses from me on the sly  
Takin' time to make time, tellin' me, that he's all mine  
Learnin' from each other's knowing  
Lookin' to see, how much we've grown

And the only one who could ever reach me  
Was the son of a preacher man  
The only boy who could ever teach me  
Was the son of a preacher man  
Yes, he was, he was, oh, yes, he was

He was the sweet-talking son of a preacher man  
I guessed he was the son of a preacher man  
Sweet-lovin' son of a preacher man

Ahh, move me

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