

The First Time I Heard About Heaven

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Verse 1

THE FIRST TIME I HEARD ABOUT HEAVEN
MOMMA WAS SMILING AND ROCKIN' MY CRADLE AND SINGIN'
WON'T IT BE WONDERFUL THERE
I CAN STILL SEE HER HAPPY TEARS A-FALLIN'
AND I CAN STILL HEAR MY MOTHER IN PRAYER

Chorus

IF THE WALLS ARE NOT JASPER
IF THE STREETS ARE NOT GOLD
IF MY MANSION SHOULD JUST BE A CABIN
AS LONG AS IT'S HEAVEN, IT'S HOME
THE ONLY THING MY EYES LONG TO VISION
THE ONLY THING MY HEART NEEDS TO KNOW
IS THAT SOMEWHERE ON THE HILLS OF MOUNT ZION
THE KING'S SITTIN' HIGH ON HIS THRONE
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Verse 2

AND IF THERE IS NO MARRIAGE SUPPER
NO GATHERING OF MILLIONS TO FEAST AT THE TABLE, NO SINGIN'
SAVED BY HIS MARVELOUS GRACE
STILL MY SOUL WOULD BE FED AND CONTENTED
IF MY EYES CAN BEHOLD HIS SWEET FACE

Repeat Chorus

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