

# Daddy Sang Bass by Johnny Cash

## [Verse 1]

C C7  
I remember when I was a lad  
F C  
Times were hard and things were bad  
G7  
But there's a silver linin' behind every cloud  
C C7  
Just poor people that all we were  
F C  
Tryin' to make a livin' out of black land dirt  
G7 C  
But we'd get together in a family circle singin' loud.

## CHORUS:

C C7  
Daddy sang bass, Mama sang tenor  
F C  
Me and little brother would join right in there  
G7  
Singin' seems to help a troubled soul  
C C7  
One of these days and it won't be long  
F C  
I'll rejoin them in a song  
G7 C  
I'm gonna join the family circle at the throne.

C C7  
No, the circle won't be broken  
F C  
By and by, Lord, by and by...  
C C7  
Daddy sang bass, Mama sang tenor  
F C  
Me and little brother will join right in there  
G7 C  
In the sky, Lord, in the sky.

## [Verse 2]

C F C  
Now I remember after work Mama would call in all of us  
C7 G7  
You could hear us singin' for a country mile  
C F C  
Now little brother has done gone on but I'll rejoin him in a song  
G7 C  
We'll be together again up yonder in a little while.

## CHORUS X 1 & REPEAT LAST LINE