

## **Ain't Got No Daddy Blues**

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Oh I ain't got no daddy,  
No I ain't got no Paw.  
I said I ain't got no daddy,  
No I ain't got no Paw.  
He's jus' a dead beat Injun-  
I'm jus' his baby squaw.

An' my mama, oh she love me,  
But she ain't got a dime.  
I said my mama, oh she love me,  
But she ain't got a dime (no sir).  
Cuz since my daddy left her lonely,  
she be cryin' all the time.

Don't no fellas give me money,  
And so I'm always broke.  
I said no fellas give me money,  
That's why I'm always broke.  
Cuz I ain't got no sugar daddy, no,  
I ain't got no bloke.

Oh I'm tired of always workin'  
Cuz it sho makes me cross.  
I said I'm tired of always workin',  
Yeah it sho makes me cross!  
I wanna have lots 'o money...  
I wanna be my own boss.

But if I was a rich girl,  
Well I might still be blue (that's right).  
Yes, if I was a rich girl,  
Hell, I would still be blue! (I'm gon' tell ya why now:)  
Because I been po for so long-  
I wouldn't know what to do.

Oh I had myself a mister  
But then I said good-bye (uh-huh).  
I said I had myself a mister,  
But then I said, "Good-bye-bye-bu-bu-bu-bye!"  
I packed all my luggage  
And left him high and dry.

If you wanna be my baby,  
You betta change yo mind. (Fool!)  
Yeah, if you wanna be my baby,  
You betta change yo mind!  
Don't gimme too much lovin'  
Or I'm gon' leave you behind!

(Let's slow it down now...)

Cuz I don't want no daddy,  
And therein lies my curse;  
Because I'd rather own my own life  
And have an empty purse!  
So I'll just sing the blues now  
And pray I'm through the worst...

(This is it!)

I ain't got no daddy-  
And that's my final verse!  
Because I'd rather live my own life  
And have an empty purse...  
Cuz if I you was my daddy, Honey,  
It'd be great deal worse!