

# Fairweather Father

Carly Simon

Fairweather father  
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Doesn't like to hear the baby cry  
Doesn't like to about the aches and pains  
Of the day gone by  
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But the mother advertised as a bargain wife  
She'd make things easy for the rest of his life  
And to make herself more appealing  
She'd think only of him and forget her own feelings

Fairweather father  
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Wants his wife to be the truckdriver  
Wants his wife to be the gardener  
And still look like a Hollywood Starlet  
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So the mother gets mad and she leaves town  
That brings the father and the baby down  
She wants the father to find her  
Drinkin' orange pop in the seedy Greek diner

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Gets her back and gets up in the night  
Loves her so much and holds the baby tight  
Ain't that enough to make you cry  
Ain't that enough to make you cry

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Of the day gone by  
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