

## Granddaddy's Gun

Blake Shelton

It sits above the mantle on a couple rusty nails  
And it's worth a bunch of money but it damn sure ain't for sale  
The good Lord only knows all the stories it could tell  
Granddaddy's gun

He bought it new out of a Sears & Roebuck catalogue  
And it shot a many shell over the top of an old bird dog  
And it backed a burglar down when grandma took the safety off  
Granddaddy's gun

It's just a double barrel 12  
The stock is cracked and it kicks like hell  
It wouldn't mean what it means to me to no one  
I can hear his voice when I put it to my shoulder  
"A gun's like a woman, son it's all how you hold her"  
He taught me a whole lot more than how to hunt  
And one of these days I'll pass it on to my son  
Granddaddy's gun

He handed it to me on the day I turned 13  
With a half-shot box of shells and a kit to keep it clean  
I keep a picture in the case of that sweet old man and me  
With granddaddy's gun

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There's a long beard living on the living room wall  
That I got with a box call  
And granddaddy's gun  
There's a shot up stop sign on 49  
That me and Billy Joe took out one night  
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