

## Child Support

Buck Owens

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Lord, help me pay my child support

Well, when I got married, they said it was forever  
I should have been smart and said no, not never  
First the rent came due, then my wife did too  
The next thing I knew was a brand new father

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Lord, help me pay my child support  
You better not act hockey, or they put you in a pokey  
Lord, help me pay my child support

Well-fed directors and bill collectors  
Repossesses and small claims court  
Well, it ain't funny when you're going hungry  
Paying alimony and child support

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Lord, help me pay my child support  
You better not stammer, or they put you in a slammer  
Lord, help me pay my child support

Beans and tatters and three kids later  
Stand in front and center of a divorce court  
The judge said, "Son, this is an order  
It's bread and water or child support"

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Lord, help me pay my child support  
You better not holler, or they get you by the collar  
Lord, help me pay my child support

Oh, God, send that money  
Like a letter from the man who said  
"Buck, you better send that child support and you better send it today  
"And if you don't send it, say we gonna come and get you  
"So you better send it or else"  
And I didn't know what else was  
So I went out to find some money since  
They said, "Send some more"