No Dry Eye In The Chapel

Reverend Riley knows he's prone to ramble Reads the Bible like it's War and Peace He goes on and on You can't help but yawn Even the righteous start to fall asleep When he's 'bout to lose that front-row faithful Pulls an ace out of his sleeve Knows they need a hymn So he shouts "Amen! Fire up the organ, Irene!" She starts hammering glory mountain

Until there's no dry eye in the chapel No one sitting in the pews Hands up high all clapping When Mama starts singing Hallelu-Hallelu-, Hallelu-, yeah! No dry eye in the chapel When Mama gets to singing the truth

Now mama's more than just a Sunday singer She'll play anybody's wedding or wake Long-shot, shotguns, third-time's-the-charm ones Everybody's gonna get saved When they kiss the bride and the [?]

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Then late one night the Devil came calling And Mama waved him right inside She sang "Great Ball of Fire" like a gospel choir And the Devil just started to cry

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Come on, Mama!