

# My Grandpa Is Old Too

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I want all you young people to know what to do  
Leave my grandpa alone 'cause he done got old too  
That's my grandpa, that's my grandpa  
That's my grandpa, sweetest man I ever saw  
Mama told me, oh, day of old  
Your grandpa stood by, tell this is told  
Now don't bother my grandpa 'cause he done got old too  
I ain't jivin', I ain't jokin'  
Ain't gonna never bother you  
My grandpa he shouts for joy  
Been takin' care of me ever since I was a boy  
He getting old now  
And he really is  
Really I know it 'cause I'm old myself  
My grandpa says son, take me a walkin'  
Say I wanna go where's the coolest place you know  
I say why, grandpa?  
'Cause grandpa's getting old  
Tell all you people, done want you to understand  
Grandpa once have been a young man  
He getting old now  
He's getting to be an old man  
He can't remember 'morrow, but he still understands  
He look at me and he say, what's this all about?  
Give me my pipe son, and he had it in his mouth  
He's an old man, you know he don't got the mind,  
You see he don't hardly know what he's doing  
But he's still my grandpa  
But he ain't nothin' else to turn  
Tell all you young people, I don't mean no harm  
I just want you to leave my grandpa alone  
He says I've got old now, have pity on me  
If you bother my grandpa,  
I'm the one you gotta see  
My dear old dad.