

## Somebody's Mother

Slim Dusty

I'll sing you a song of a mother  
Of an old fashioned woman at home  
Who has shed many tears  
While waiting for years  
For her wanderin' boy to return

She remembers her babe in a cradle  
And the future she planend him someday  
But the time come to part  
And it near broke her heart  
When he walked down life's lonesome highway

Was that somebody you?  
Who left a dear mother so true?  
Well sit down and write a letter tonight  
And her pathway much brighter will glow

She waits all alone by the window  
Just a-watchin' the sunset so high  
At the close of the day, as the sun sinks away  
But the postman brings never a line

Boys, if you fall by the roadside  
Along life's lonely highway  
Whatever you've done  
You're some mother's son  
And her arms are still waiting today

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Well sit down and write a letter tonight  
And her pathway much brighter will glow