

# Anita Cochran, Daddy Can You See Me

Momma gives birth to a little child  
Daddy waits, with a patient smile  
They tell him what he's brought into the world  
They all can tell, she'll be a daddy's girl  
He hears a voice as she starts to cry  
He looks through the window tears fall from his eyes  
Overwhelmed with the thoughts of the day  
He swears he hears her say  
Daddy can you see me?  
Daddy can you hear the words I say?  
I've got your hands  
Your eyes and your hair  
And this little thing you call a teddy bear  
I'll do what I can to make you proud  
Daddy can you see me now?  
He takes me fishing like I'm one of the guys  
No one can break these ties that bind  
We've got a bond that's precious and dear  
And it's stayed the same through all these years  
As I get older and time goes by  
He's got a shoulder if I need to cry  
And when I think that I'm doin' okay  
I look at him and say  
Daddy can you see me?  
Daddy can you hear the words I say?  
I've got your hands  
Your eyes and your hair  
And I still hold on to my teddy bear  
I'll do what I can to make you proud  
Daddy can you see me now?  
I look to the Heavens for some kind of sign  
For you to tell me that I'm doin' fine  
And every night when I kneel down to pray  
I wonder if you hear me say  
Daddy can you see me?  
Daddy can you hear the words I say?  
My life has changed since you went away  
And I need to know if I'm doin' okay  
I've done all I can to make you proud  
Daddy can you see me now?  
Oh I've done all I can to make you proud  
Daddy can you see me now?