

# Mother Father by Journey

Intro **Em F#dim D7 Em D C G D**

Verse 1

**Em A/C# D G/B C**  
She sits alone, an empty stare

**F#/Bb B E/G# Em**  
A mother's face she wears

**A/C# D**  
Where did she go wrong,

**G/B C**  
The fight is gone

**F#/Bb Bsus4 B**  
Lord help this broken home

Pre-chorus

**Em C A7 D Em**  
Hey, mother, father, sister

**Em C A7 D Ebdim Em**  
Hey, come back, tryin', believein'

**Em C A7 D C**  
Hey, mother, father, dreamer

Chorus

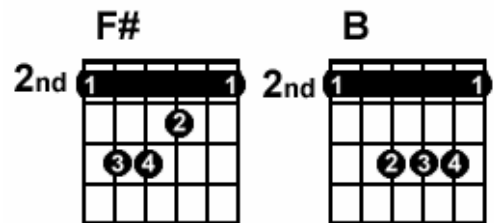
**G C G D C**  
Don't you know that I'm alive for you

**G D C**  
I'm your seventh son

**G C G D**  
And when lightnin' strikes the family

**Cadd9**

Have faith, believe.



Interlude    **Em**            **A/C#**            **D**            **G/B**

Verse 2

**Em**            **A/C#**                            **D**                            **G/B**                            **C**  
With        dreams        he        tried,                            lost        his        pride

**F#/Bb**                            **B**                            **E/G#**  
He        drinks        his        life        away

**Em**                            **A/C#** **D**                            **G/B**                            **C**  
          One        photograph,                            in        broken        glass

**F#/Bb**                            **Bsus4**                            **B**  
It        should        not        end        this        way.

Interlude    **Em**    **D**    **C**    **G/B**    **Gm6/Bb**    **F#2/Ab**    **F/A**    **B#add9**  
**Csus4**    (x2)

Bridge

**Em**                            **A/C#**                            **D**  
Through        bitter        tears

**G/B**    **C**    **F#/Bb**  
And        wounded        years,        those        ties

**B**    **E/G#**  
Of        blood        were        strong

**Em**                            **A/C#**                            **D**                            **G/B**                            **C**  
          So        much        to        say,        those        yesterdays

**F#/Bb**    **Bsus4**    **B**  
So        now        don't        you        turn        away.

Pre-chorus

Chorus 2x