

# Rockabye (feat. Anne-Marie & Sean Paul)

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[Am] [F] *Call it love and devotion*  
[G] [Em] *...call it a mom's adora- [Am] tion [F] (...foundation)*  
*A special [G] bond of creation, [Em] ...ha!*  
[Am] [F] *For the single moms out [G] there going through*  
*frust- [Em] ration*  
*Clean [Am] Bandit, Sean-da- [F] Paul, Anne-Marie [E7] sing*  
*make them hear*

She works the [Am] nights... [F] ...by the [G] water [Em]  
She's gone a- [Am] stray, so far a- [F] way  
From my father's [G] daughter [Em]  
She just wants a [Am] life... [F] ...for her [G] baby [Em]  
All on her [Am] own, no one will [F] come  
She's got to [G] save him *daily [Em] struggle*

She tells him, [Am] "Ooh, love, [F] no one's ever gonna hurt [G]  
you, love [Em] I'm gonna give you all of [Am] my love [F]  
nobody matters like [G] you." *Stay out there, [Em] stay out there*  
She tells him, [Am] "Your life [F] ain't gonna be nothing like  
[G] my life; [Em] you're gonna grow and have a [Am] good  
life; [F] I'm gonna do what I've [G] got to [Em] do" *stay out  
there*

So, [Am] rockabye [F] baby, rocka- [G] bye [Em] I'm gonna  
rock you; [Am] rockabye [F] baby, don't you [G] cry: [Em]  
somebody's got you

[Am] Rockabye [F] baby, rocka- [G] bye [Em] I'm gonna rock  
you; [Am] rockabye [F] baby, don't you [G] cry [Em]  
Rocka- [Am] bye, [F] [G] rockabye rocka- [Em] rocka-bye  
Rocka- [Am] bye, [F] [G] rockabye rocka- [Em] rocka-bye

[Am] *Single mama you [F] doing out there*  
[G] *Facing the hard life, [Em] without no fear*  
[Am] *Just so you know that [F] you really care*  
*Cause [G] any obstacle come [Em] you're well prepared*  
[Am] *No mama, you [F] never shed tear*  
*Cause [G] you have to shed things [Em] year after year*

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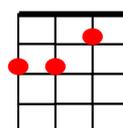
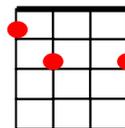
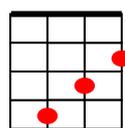
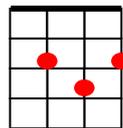
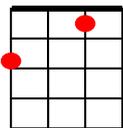
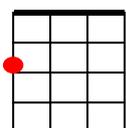
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E7

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And [Am] you give the youth love [F] beyond compare  
[G] You find his school fee [Em] and the bus fare  
[Am] Mmm Marie, the [F] pops disappear  
[G] In the round back can't [Em] find him nowhere  
[Am] Steadily you work flow, [F] everything you know say you  
[G] nah stop no time - no [Em] time for your dear

[Am] Now she got a six-year- [F] old; trying to [G] keep him  
warm; [Em] trying to keep out the [Am] cold  
...when he [F] looks in her eyes [G] ...he don't know he is [Em]  
safe when she says: [Am] "Ooh, love, [F] no one's ever gonna  
hurt [G] you, love [Em] I'm gonna give you all of [Am] my love  
[F] nobody matters like [G] you" [Em]

So, [Am] rockabye [F] baby, rocka- [G] bye [Em] I'm gonna rock  
you  
[Am] Rockabye [F] baby, don't you [G] cry: [Em] somebody's got  
you  
[Am] Rockabye [F] baby, rocka- [G] bye [Em] I'm gonna rock you  
[Am] Rockabye [F] baby, don't you [G] cry with a bang-bang-  
[Em] bang, all right then  
Rocka- [Am] bye, [F] [G] rockabye rocka- [Em] rocka-bye  
Rocka- [Am] bye, [F] [G] rockabye rocka- [Em] rocka-bye  
[Am] Rockabye, [F] don't bother cry; [G] lift up your head, lift it  
[Em] up to the sky, yow!  
[Am] Rockabye, [F] don't bother cry; [G] angels surround you,  
[Em] just dry your eye

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Repeat boxed section; outro: [Am] [F] [G] [Em] [F] [Dm] [E7]