

A LITTLE PAIN

VERSE 1: I brushed the gravel off my jeans
And I got back on that bike
Didn't want Daddy to see my tears
'Cause big boys don't cry
But I hated those trainin' wheels
I had'em way too long
He clapped his hands and cheered me along
And as I went flyin' by he said, "I think you got it son"

CHORUS 1: Sometimes a little pain is all it takes
Rollin' with the punches and the scrapes
As I rode away I heard him say, "hang on to it son"
A little pain never hurt anyone

VERSE 2: Her breath was like a locomotive
Steady piston pumpin' wind
Ten hours in that delivery room
When the doctor told 'er, "twins"
She clinched her teeth together
Relief was in her scream
Sweet agony like peaches and cream
She stroked their heads and sighed after all was sewed and done

CHORUS 2: Sometimes a little pain is all it takes
Worth their weight in gold precious babes
Cradled in her arms so helpless - so young
A little pain never hurt anyone

VERSE 3: The old man looked me in the eye
Said, "son, I've survived hardships far worse"
Layin' flat out on his back
You could see how much he hurt
But he despised sympathy
Didn't wanna trouble anyone
Said, "be good to my grandchildren won'cha son"
And as a life of ups and downs passed before the chosen one

CHORUS 3: Sometimes a little pain is all it takes
To make the passage through the Pearly Gates
With one hand on his heart and the other towards the sun
A little pain never hurt anyone

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