

Jonitunes Songbook

Double A

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Intro: Verse Progression, first two lines

V1. **D** **A**
I've been playin' Double A for near eleven years
 E_M **D** **G** **E_M** **D** **A**
I made my share of errors, I cried my share of tears
 D **A**
I always give it all I got, I play hard to the end
 E_M **D** **G** **E_M** **D** **A**
And if I ever do get called up, I sure will miss my friends.

Ch1. **E_M** **D** **G** **E_M** **D** **G**
And one by one, I see 'em come and go
 E_M **D** **G** **A**
One day soon, I'll go too.

V2. I've been playin' Double A since I was seventeen
I was the hottest prospect my town had ever seen
And I make my livin' in the dirt as I kneel behind the plate
Thou shalt not run against me and I pray my throw's not late.

Chorus Repeat

V3. Never been a long ball hitter and the boys don't call me ace
But I always have fit in here with a smile upon my face
My lofty aspirations 'bout makin' me a name
Seem to've all but faded but I so love this game.

Chorus Repeat

Br. **E_M** **B_M** **C** **G**
And every time I run the bases I still feel like a kid
 C **G** **D-**
I still get that old feelin' I can fly
 E_M **B_M** **C** **G**
And when evening sunlight traces turn to gold upon my mitt
 C **G** **A**
Any hopes you have of stealin' won't be high.

V4. Yesterday I got a call from someone in Detroit
The Tigers need a catcher to warm the bull pen up
The pay's a whole lot better but I wouldn't swing a bat

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Heck, I'm startin' here in Reading, so I'll stay where I'm at.
Chorus Repeat 2X