

# Folk & Traditional Song Lyrics

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## What'll We Do With the Baby-O?

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If he don't go to sleepy-O?

Wrap him up in calico,

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Send him to his mammy-o.

What'll we do with the baby-o? etc.

Wrap him up in a table-cloth, (3x )

Throw him up in the fodder-loft.

What'll we do with the baby-o? etc.

Tell your daddy wlen he comes home, (3 times)

And give Old Blue your chicken bone.

What'll we do with the baby-o? etc.

Dance him north, dance him south, (3 times)

Pour a little moonshine in his mouth.

What'll we do with the baby-o? etc.

Every time the baby cries,

Stick my finger in the baby's eye!

That's what we'll do with the baby-0, (twice)

sung br Jean Ritchie

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