

## Ship in the Sky

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(Woody Guthrie)

Well, a curly-headed girl with a bright shining smile  
Heard the roar of a plane as it sailed through the sky  
To her playmates she said, with a bright twinkling eye  
My Daddy flies that ship in the sky

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My Mama's not afraid and neither am I  
'Cause my Daddy flies that ship in the sky

Then a button-nosed kid, as he kicked up his heels  
He said, My Daddy works in the iron and the steel  
My Dad builds the planes and they fly through the sky  
And that's what keeps your daddy up there so high

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Then a freckle-faced kid pinched his toe in the sand  
He says, My Daddy works at that place where they land  
You tell your mama, don't be afraid  
My Dad'll bring your daddy back home again

My Dad'll bring your daddy back home again  
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Don't be afraid when it gets dark and rains  
My Dad'll bring your daddy back home again

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