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Good Christian Soldier - Bobby Bare & Billy Joe Shaver
            G7
Not so long ago in Oklahoma
                                         C7
The son of an Okie preacher knelt to pray
He said Lord I wanna be a Christian soldier just like you
And fight to build a new and better day
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                  G7
Now many years and miles from Oklahoma
                                             C7
That same young Okie boy still kneels to pray
But he don't pray to be no Christian soldier anymore
                        G7
He just prays to make it through another day
Cause it's hard to be a Christian soldier when you tote a gun
And it hurts to have to watch a grown man cry
                                                        Am
But we're playin' cards writin' home and havin' lots of fun
Tellin' jokes and learnin' how to die
                          G7
  (Spoken,
   play
             You know the things I've come to know seem so confusing
  softly)
             It's gettin' hard to tell what's wrong from right
             I can't separate the winners from the losers anymore
                                                          C7
             And I'm thinking of just givin' up the fight
Cause it's hard to be a Christian soldier when you tote a gun
And it hurts to have to watch a grown man cry
                        G7
But we're playin' cards writin' home and ain't we havin' fun
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Turnin' on and learnin' how to die