

# Motherless Children Chords by Rosanne Cash

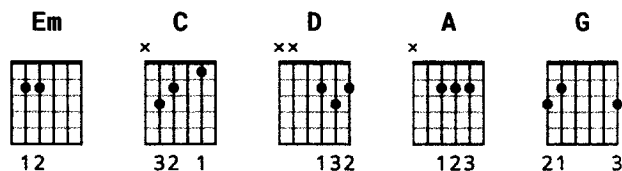


Difficulty: absolute beginner

Tuning: E A D G B E

Capo: 3rd fret

## CHORDS



[Intro]

Em

[Verse 1]

Em

Motherless children have a hard time when  
the mother is gone

C

Motherless children have a hard time when  
the mother is gone

Em

Motherless children have a hard time

C

D

There's all that weeping and all that  
crying

A

G

D

Motherless children have a hard time when  
the mother is gone

Em

[Verse 2]

Em

Father will do the best he can when the  
mother is gone

C

Father will do the best he can when the  
mother is gone Father will do the best  
he can

Em

C

But there's so many things he just don't  
understand

D

A

G

D

Motherless children have a hard time when  
the mother is gone

Em

[Break]

Em C Em C D A G D Em

[Verse 3]

Em

People say a sister will do when the  
mother is gone

C

People say a sister will do when the  
mother is gone

Em

People say a sister will do

C

D

But she'll get married, turn her back on  
you

A

G

D

Motherless children have a hard time when  
the mother is gone

Em

[Verse 4]

Em

Friends will treat you like your mother  
will when your mother is gone

C

Friends will treat you like your mother  
will when your mother is gone

Em

C

Friends will tell you what to do - Then  
they'll turn their back on you

D

A

G

D

Motherless children have a hard time when  
their mother is gone ..... repeat break

Em