

FAMILY IS FAMILY

[Intro]

F x 8

[Verse]

F x 4

They're there for your first year, they give you your first beer

Gm x 4

When you get your heart broke, they're there for your worst year

C x 4

Don't get you at all, but your apple don't fall too far

F x 4

from 'em

F x 4

They own too much wicker and drink too much liquor

Gm x 4

You'd wash your hands of them, but blood's always thicker

C x 4

You might look just like 'em; that don't mean you're like 'em

F x 2

But you love 'em

[Chorus]

F **F** **Gm** **Gm**
Family is family, in church or in prison

C **C** **Bb** **C**

You get what you get, and you don't get to pick 'em

F **F** **Gm** **Gm**

They might smoke like chimneys, but give you their kidneys

C **C** **Bb** **C**

Yeah, friends come in handy, but family is family

F x 4

[Verse]

F x 4

They're there when you're married, divorced, and remarried

Gm x 4

You fall out of touch, but then someone gets buried

C x 4

And you're right back together like no time has ever gone

F x 4

by

F x 4

Can't live with or without 'em; you might talk about 'em

Gm x 4

But if someone else does, well, then you'll knock 'em out cause

C x4

When it's all said and done, they're the only ones that you

F x 2

got

[Chorus]

F

F

Gm

Gm

Family is family, in church or in prison

C

C

Bb

C

You get what you get, and you don't get to pick 'em

F

F

Gm

Gm

They might smoke like chimneys, but give you their kidneys

C

C

Bb

C

Yeah, friends come in handy, but family is family

Middle eight

F x 2

Gm x 2

Bb x 2

C x 2

[Chorus]

F **F** **Gm** **Gm**
Yeah, family is funny, they'll ask you for money
C **C** **Bb** **C**
Even though they know you ain't got no money
F **F** **Gm** **Gm**
They show up at Christmas, get up in your business
C **C** **Bb** **C**
They might not be fancy, but family is family

F x4

Outro/Verse

C
You might look just like 'em; that don't mean you're like 'em
F
But you love 'em