

Stephen

We can read
In the book of Acts,
'Bout Brother Stephen.
Here's the facts.
When the disciples,
Needed a hand,
Said find us seven
Good, honest men.
Make sure they love,
Jesus the most.
Full of faith,
And the Holy Ghost.
Stephen was one guy,
That they chose.
He preached of Jesus,
And how He rose.
Did many miracles
In that name.
Then some from
the Synagogue came.
Said, "You ain't supposed
To preach that way."
They set up witnesses,
And lies to say.
All eyes were on Steve
In that place.
Saw an angel,
When they saw his face.

He looked at them,
Then spoke about,
All the prophets,
That they rubbed out.
And of Jesus,
And what they done.
How they crucified,
God's own Son.
They heard this.
Gnashed him with their teeth.
Again, Stephen began to speak.
We know Jesus,
sits at God's right hand,
But Stephen says,
He saw Him stand.
They threw big stones,
Stephen's way.
"Forgive them Lord,"
Was all he'd say.
He prayed to God,
His soul to keep.
And this saint of God,
Fell asleep.
In my mind,
I can hear him say,
As my thoughts,
go back to that day.

"I see those stones, boys.
They don't alarm me.
'Cause sticks and stones, can break my bones,
But in Jesus' name,
You just can't harm me."