

**Worth the Tears:** Music by Brittany Jean, lyrics by Jenelle Leanne and Brittany Jean

At eighteen, the rumors were  
The war was almost over  
On a summer day in '46, she stood on Memorial Bridge  
To hear a piano man playin' by the water's edge

It was up to them to carry on  
When his Daddy passed away  
Left a company, a legacy--to build a life now on their own  
He became a lumberman, working at the break of dawn

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Navy boy and country girl  
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On the farm, a rainy day  
Danny free and running wild  
With a daddy's hands, he grabbed the reins--then was drawn through the muddy plain  
Became a Pony Man, hear her laughing still today

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Sixty years built a life, a love, a home  
Four children grown, children of their own  
With a heart so full, 'course it's gonna hurt  
When the Lord decides to take him first

On her own again  
She wouldn't change a thing  
She'd do it all again  
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