

## THE COMPANY'S BEEN GOOD TO ME

**Em** **G**  
The Company's been good to us

**Am** **C** **D**  
My Father said to me as we sped down the highway

**Em** **G**  
Toward the great cement building there

**Am** **C** **D** **Em**  
With tubes and with needles they would open up his bi-ways

**Em** **G**  
They put you and your sister through school

**Am** **C** **D**  
Your Mother never had to work if she didn't want to

**Em** **G**  
And the two weeks paid vacation didn't hurt at all

**Am** **C** **D** **Em**  
Each summer we would take you kids camping by the lake side

### CHORUS:

**G** **Am**  
The company's been good to me

**C** **D**  
I can't believe they didn't tell me all that they knew

**C** **Am**  
The company wouldn't lie to me

**C** **D** **Em**  
But now that I can't work I don't know what I'm going to do for you

**Em** **G**  
You head home and take care of your Mom

**Am** **C** **D**  
You know I hate to see her cry and causing a commotion

Em G  
Go ahead and give the company a call

Am C D Em  
The least that they can do is give my boy a small promotion

Em G  
I don't know how I got to feel like this

Am C D  
I guess it's just the stuff that I've been breathing through these years

Em G  
I've been so strong and healthy all my life

Am C D Em  
I never thought a little bit of dust was gonna kill me

## CHORUS

Em G  
Two hours later my Daddy was dead

Am C D Em  
The company's been good to us was all my Momma said

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