

Satan Pulls the Strings

The Avett Brothers

Capo IV (Key of B). Entire song on G-form chord. X = Percussion. Harmony. Reply/echo

Verse 1

Baby's in the cradle, mama's in the bed
sparrow's on the windowsill and the devil's in my head
Devil's in my head, mama, the devil's in my head
Baby's in the cradle and the devil's in my head

Interlude

G | G | G | G x2

Verse 2

Winter gives the summertime, the whippoorwill she sings
My heart is in the puppet box and Satan pulls the strings *That's right!*
Satan pulls the strings mama, Satan pulls the strings
My heart is in the puppet box and Satan pulls the strings

Interlude

G | G | G | G x2

Verse 3

Well that front beat's in my brother, Lord, and the back beat's in me
God is in the song and the devil's in our feet, my God
Devil's in our feet, mama, the devil's in our feet
God is in the song and the devil's in our feet *Aww!*

Interlude

G | G | G | G x2

Verse 4

Mama's cooking something up, serve it to us all
Satan's ringing in now and I gotta take the call
Gotta take the call, boys, gotta take the call
Satan's ringing in now and I gotta take the call

Interlude

G | G | G | G x2

Verse 5

Baby's in the cradle, mama's in the bed

Baby's in the cradle, mama's in the
sparrow's on the windowsill and the devil's in my head
bed

Devil's in my head, mama, the devil's in my head
head

Devil's in my

Baby's in the cradle and the devil's in my head

Outro

X | X | X | X