THE BREATH YOU TAKE

Bm. . . | G . . .| Bm . . .| A . . . |

Bm G

He looks up from second base, Dad's up in the stands

Bm G

He saw the hit, the run, the slide, there ain't no bigger fan

Em

In the parkin' lot after the game

F#m G

He said "Dad I thought you had a plane to catch?"

A

He smiled and said "Yeah son, I did

**D Em**

**But life's not the breath you take, the breathin’ in and out**

**Bm A**

**That gets you through the day, ain't what it's all about**

**G Bm**

**You just might miss the point tryin' to win the race**

**Em**

**Life's not the breaths you take**

**A D. . .. | Em . . . | A**

**But the moments that take your breath away**

Bm G

Fast forward fifteen years and a thousand miles away

Bm G

Boy's built a life, he's got a wife and a baby due today

Em

He hears a voice sayin' "I made it, son"

F#m G

Says "I told you, Dad, you didn't have to come"

A

He smiles and says "Yeah, I know you did

**CHORUS**

**Bm**

**Just like it took my breath when she was born**

**Em A**

**Just like it took my breath away when Dad took hislast that morn**

**CHORUS**

G Bm A D