

"Daddy's Tools"

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The Hammer goes kablamer
and the wrench goes flench
took some pliers and a ruler
and took down the fence
now I can walk to Andy's
and we can walk to Jeff's
Oh I love daddy's tools

Daddy's tools make it all so possible
to build my dreams or disassemble an obstacle
whatever my intention it gets all of my attention
I love daddy's tools

the drill goes whirl
and the saw goes rip
I went up on the roof
and built a ship
now I can sail to Andy's
and we can sail to Jeff's
I love Daddy's tools

Nothing should stand in the way of progress
nothing should hinder my success
as long as daddy's got a mitre box
pliers and spool of wire
vise grips, needle nose, basin wrench, garden hose
He said I could borrow

We've got a drill press, pulley and chain, hammer,
screws and nails.
A shop vac to clean the mess
it's a three speed turbo painted fire engine red you see

Daddy's tools make it all so possible to build
my dreams or disassemble an obstacle
and daddy does not mind if I play
cause he knows when I'm done
I'll put them all away

Oh Son

has anybody seen my dad's new socket set sitting
over by my swing, or his bit set, tape measure, hammer, saw
have you seen anything
I'm in trouble