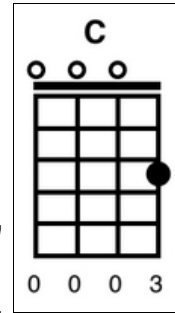


## SHORTENIN' BREAD

(play C all the way through)



**CHORUS:** Mama's little baby loves shortenin' shortenin'  
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**VERSE 1:** Put on the skillet  
Slip on the lid  
Mammy's gonna make us some shortenin' bread  
And that ain't all  
Our mammy's gonna do  
She's gonna cook us some coffee, too

## CHORUS

**VERSE 2:** I slipped in the kitchen  
Raised up the lid  
I stole me a mess o' that shortenin' bread  
I walked up to a pretty girl and I said  
Baby how'd you like some shortenin' bread

## CHORUS

**VERSE 3:** They caught me with the skillet  
They caught me with the lid  
They caught me with the girl eatin' shortenin' bread  
Six months for the skillet  
Six months for the lid  
Now I'm doin' time for eatin' shortenin' bread

## CHORUS