

I used to work with a man that was so proud to say he was a deacon of his church. I was about 23-24 and he was in his 60's. He was cheap and conniving and would secretly go to seedy topless bars. This song was inspired by him and as a reminder to myself!

### Playing Church

I Was Playing Church On Sunday  
Wearin' All Those Fancy Clothes  
I Had Gold Inlaid In My Bible  
But The Author I Did Not Know

They Even Made Me A Deacon  
Cause I Always Knew What To Say  
I Couldn't Wait To Greet You  
And Send You On Your Way

#### Chorus:

I Was Busy Playing Church  
While The Real Ones Lived God's Plan  
They Were Taking Strangers In Their Homes  
Puttin' Money In The Widow's Hands  
I Believe That God Just Might  
Do His Best Work  
While Some Of Us Are In Here Playin' Church

He Was Broken Down On The Highway  
But I Had To Pass Him By  
I Was Late For Sunday Service  
I Hope He Found A Ride  
Lord, Who Is My Neighbor?  
I Haven't Got A Clue  
What If He Was The Least Of These  
Oh, Lord, What If He Is You

#### Chorus:

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#### Bridge:

God Bless The Saints Right Here  
On Sundays  
Show Us How To Serve You All Week Long

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