

## Pine Box

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He never hit my mama  
Hit that beach at Omaha  
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But hit that beach at Omaha  
He lived - not gonna tell  
About a goddamn thing he saw

Pine box and a white stone  
Pine box and a free ride home  
He had a pine box and a white stone

Baby brother laid before he had a chance to crawl  
Baby brother got laid before he had a chance to crawl  
(?) And he's there on Iwo Jima

Pine box and a white stone  
Pine box and a free ride home  
Pine box and a white stone  
Pine box

Ain't afraid of dying  
Living has got him stumped  
Stand before God  
He kneeled down in front  
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Stand before God  
He kneeled down in front

Pine box and a white stone  
Pine box and a free ride home  
Pine box and a white stone

He always took it slow  
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Now there's fluid in his lungs  
Always took it slow  
Now there's fluid in his lungs  
The HMO says "no, no, no, you're done."

Daddy's on his way to visit for the second time  
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The soldier cemetery where my baby sisters lie

In a pine box and a white stone  
Pine box and a free ride home  
Pine box and a white stone  
Toughest Mother Fucker that I ever ought to know

Pine box  
Pine box