Cain's Blood

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Rock  \( \text{\textit{\textbullet}} = 120 \)

N.C.

G5  A5  Am7  A5

Chorus:
Half of my blood is Cain’s blood.

1.

G5  A5

half of my blood is Abel’s.

2.

G5  A5

One eye looks to heaven.

Verse:
Fmaj7

one eye looks for trouble.

1. Sweet mother, she sang in the

2. See additional lyrics.
Sunday choir... On her head was a halo, she spoke

Brimstone and fire... Daddy lived by the bottle...

Daddy died by the barn. Well, he froze one night. Mama

said, "Serves him right! The devil can keep him warm."

Chorus:

Half of my blood is Cain's blood, half of my blood is Abel's...
One eye looks to heaven, one eye looks for trouble.

Bridge:
There's an angel and a devil playing

trouble.

cresc.

A tug of war with my soul.
(Half of my blood is Cain's blood.)

The battle rages on each and every day.
(Half of my blood is...
Abel's...

It's all I can do just to try and maintain control.

(Half of my blood is Cain's blood...)

My one and only hope is to hit my knees and pray...
Chorus:

A5     Am7    A5
Half of my blood is  Cain's blood... half of my blood is  A - bel's...

A5     Am7    A5
Ad lib. vocals 2nd time

A5     Am7    A5     G5     A5
One eye looks to heav - en... one eye looks for trou - ble...

Verse 2:
Guess I always saw myself as a simple man.
But there's a man in the mirror I don't understand.
Every day I fight it, but I know down deep
It's the secrets I've been keeping,
Rising from their sleep.
(To Chorus:)

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