

# The State of Massachusetts

## Dropkick Murphys

She had excuses and she chose to use them  
She was the victim of unspeakable abuses  
Her husband was violent, malicious and distant  
Her kids now belong to the state of Massachusetts  
They've been taken away  
Betty was a bright one, Tommy's off his head  
Mother loved them both the same, at least that's what she said  
I don't predict the future, I don't care about the past  
Send them both to DSS, now you've had your chance  
The poison who stole your babies  
The judges took your rights  
You can have your children for tonight  
I suppose you were a victim, I suspect you may have lied  
You've lost all ambition, why don't you give this thing a try  
If you can't and you fail you won't be the only loser  
These kids don't stand a chance with you in their future  
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