

THE CLOSER I GET TO 40,  
THE MORE CONVINCED I AM  
THAT THE BULK OF A MAN'S  
LIFE IS NOTHIN' BUT A SERIES  
OF UNIMPORTANT MOMENTS.

WE EAT, WE SLEEP,  
WE ■■■■■, WE WORK.  
WE WATCH TV. WE TALK  
AND TALK AND TALK.

SOME OF THOSE MOMENTS  
MIGHT SEEM IMPORTANT AT THE  
TIME, BUT IN THE END, THEY'RE  
MORE BRISTLE THAN MEAT.

JUST ■■■■■ WE DO 'CAUSE  
WE'RE ALIVE AND WE GOTTA DO  
SOMETHIN' TO PASS THE TIME.

THE REALLY IMPORTANT  
MOMENTS COME ALONG ONCE  
IN A BLUE ■■■■■ MOON.

SOMETIMES YOU KNOW  
'EM WHEN YOU'RE LIVIN' 'EM.  
SOMETIMES YOU DON'T SEE  
'EM FOR WHAT THEY WAS  
UNTIL THEY'RE GONE.

THOSE BRIEF LITTLE  
MOMENTS OF RECKONING  
MAY SEEM SMALL WHEN  
YOU LOOK BACK OVER  
ALL YOUR DAYS.

BUT THOSE ARE THE  
MOMENTS THAT DECIDE  
WHAT KIND OF MAN  
YOU WAS WHEN YOU  
WALKED THIS EARTH.

THEY'RE THE  
MOMENTS YOU DON'T  
WANNA ■■■■■ UP.

I'VE ■■■■■ UP  
EVERY LAST DAMN  
ONE OF MINE.

WHAT THE HELL  
KINDA MAN DOES  
THAT MAKE ME?





CERTAINLY NOT  
THE KIND I GET  
OUT TO BE.



COACH  
BIG?

DID HE  
REALLY  
DO IT?



HOW THE  
HELL DID YOU  
GET OUT  
HERE?

DID  
IT REALLY  
HAPPEN LIKE  
EVERYBODY  
SAYS?



DID BULESS  
REALLY BEAT  
THAT MAN TO  
DEATH IN THE  
MIDDLE OF THE  
STREET...

WHILE FOLKS  
JUST STOOD  
AROUND AND  
WATCHED?



BERT  
TUBB  
1923-19  
HERE WAS  
A MAN

EARL  
TUBB  
1953-2014  
HERE WASN'T

# SOUTHERN BASTARDS



GOD  
HELP  
ME.

IT WAS MY  
HANDS ON THAT  
STICK, SAME  
AS HIS.



THAT AIN'T  
TRUE, COACH.  
THIS AIN'T YOUR  
FAULT.

AIN'T IT?

EULESS  
WOULD STILL  
BE LIVIN' IN A  
TRAILER IN THE  
WOODS IF IT  
WASN'T FOR  
MY STUPID

OR  
BURIED IN  
'EM LIKE HIS  
DADDY.



I TOLD MYSELF  
ALL THESE YEARS  
I WAS KEEPIN' HIM IN  
CHECK. BUT THAT WAS  
JUST A LIE TO HELP  
ME SLEEP NIGHTS,  
WASN'T IT?

I'M TIRED  
A' LYIN.' SICK  
AND DAMN TIRED  
OF IT.



AIN'T  
YOU?

YOU WAS  
MEANT FOR  
BETTER THINGS  
THAN THIS,  
SON.

I'M SORRY  
I COULDN'T  
NEVER HELP  
YOU GET  
THERE.



BUT THE  
GOOD LORD  
ALWAYS GIVES US  
ANOTHER CHANCE,  
DON'T HE? I BELIEVE  
THAT WITH ALL  
MY HEART.

ANOTHER  
CHANCE TO  
MAKE THINGS  
RIGHT.

WE JUST  
GOTTA BE MAN  
ENOUGH TO  
TAKE IT.

YES, SIR.  
YES, WE DO.