LEVON

Words and Music by ELTON JOHN
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Moderately slow, with a beat

Le-von wears his war wound like a crown
Le-von sells car-toon bal-loons in town

He calls his child Je-sus 'cause he likes the name
His fam-'ly bus-'ness thrives. Je-sus blows up bal-loons all day,

and he sends him to the fin-est school in town.
Sits on the porch swing watch-ing them fly. And

Le - von,___ Le - von likes his mon - ey___
Je - sus___ he wants to go to Ve - nus.___

He makes a lot___ they say___
Leave Le-von far be-hind___

Spends his days___
Take a bal - loon and go

count - ing___ in a ga - rage___ by the mo - tor way.___
sail - ing, ___ while___ Le - von ___ Le - von slow - ly dies.___

He was born a pau - per to a pawn on a

Christ - mas day___ when the New York Times___ said God___ is dead___ and___ war's be - gun.___

Al - vin Tos - tig has___ a son___ to - day.___ And he shall___ be Le -

- von. And he shall___ be a good___ man.___ And he shall___ be___ Le -

- von___ in tra - di - tion with the fam - 'ly plan___ and he shall___ be Le -

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von. ___ And he shall ___ be a good ___ man. ___ He shall ___ be Le -

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Repeat and Fade