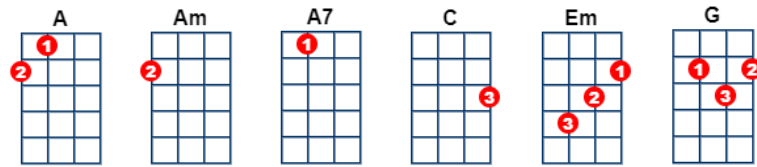


The Night They Drove Old Dixie Down – The Band/Joan Baez



[Em] Virgil [G] Kane is my name,
And I [C] served on the [G] Danville [Am] Train
'Til [Em] Stoneman's [G] cavalry came
And [C] tore up the [G] tracks a[Am]gain
[Em] In the winter of [C] '65,
We were [G] hungry, just [Am] barely alive
[Em] by May the 10th [C] Richmond had fell
It was a [G] time I re[Em]member oh so [A] well [A7]

The [G] night they [C] drove old Dixie [G] down
And all the [Em] bells were ringing
The [G] night they [C] drove old Dixie [G] down
And all the [Em] people were singing
They went [G] na...na-na [Em] na-na-na na...
[A] Na-na na-na na [C] na na-na-na-na [G] [C] [G]

[Em] Back with my wife in [G] Tennessee
When [C] one day she [G] called to [Am] me
[Em] "Virgil, [G] quick come see
[C] There goes the [G] Robert E. [Am] Lee!"
Now [Em] I don't mind [C] choppin' wood, and
I [G] don't care if the [Am] money's no good
You [Em] take what you need and you [C] leave the rest
But they should [G] never have [Em] taken the very [A] best [A7]

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[A] Na-na na-na na [C] na na-na-na-na [G] [C] [G]

[Em] Like my father be[G]fore me [C] I'm a [G] working [Am] man
[Em] Unlike my brother be[G]fore me [C] Who took a [G] rebel [Am] stand
He was [Em] just eighteen, [C] proud and brave
But a [G] Yankee laid him [Am] in his grave
I [Em] swear by the mud be[C]low my feet
You can't [G] raise a Kane back [Em] up when he's in de[A]feat [A7]

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They went [G] na na-na [Em] na-na-na na [A] Na-na na-na na [C] na na-na-na-na [Em]