

## The Night they Drove Old Dixie Down

(Em)Virgil (G)Kane is my name  
And I (C)served on the (G)Danville (Am)train  
(Em)'Till 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's a (G)time I re(Em)member, oh so (A)well

### CHORUS

The (G)night they (C)drove old Dixie (G)down  
And 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 (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 (G)Robert E. (Am)Lee!"  
Now, (Em)I don't mind (C)chopping 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

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(Em)Like my father be(G)fore me  
(C)I'm a (G)working (Am)man.  
(Em)unlike my (G)brother above me  
(C)Who took a (G)rebel (Am)stand  
He was (Em)just 18, (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

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