# **Tom Dooley (LEAD)**

North Carolina folk song 1860s (recorded by The Kingston Trio 1958)



INTRO: / 1 2 3 4 / [A] / [A] /

## **CHORUS:**

[A] Hang down your head Tom Dooley

[A] Hang down your head and [E7] cry

[E7] Hang down your head Tom Dooley

[E7] Poor boy, you're bound to [A] die

## **VERSE:**

I [A] met her on the mountain

[A] There I took her [E7] life

[E7] Met her on the mountain

[E7] Stabbed her with my [A] knife

### **CHORUS:**

[A] Hang down your head Tom Dooley

[A] Hang down your head and [E7] cry

[E7] Hang down your head Tom Dooley

[E7] Poor boy, you're bound to [A] die

#### **VERSE:**

[A] This time tomorrow

[A] Reckon' where I'll [E7] be

[E7] Hadn't have been for Grayson

I'd have [E7] been in Tennes-[A]see, well, now boy

#### **CHORUS:**

[A] Hang down, your head and cry

[A] Hang down your head and [E7] cry, poor boy, oh well-a

[E7] Hang down, your head and cry

[E7] Poor boy, you're bound to [A] die, well, now boy

[A] Hang down, your head and cry

[A] Hang down your head and [E7] cry, poor boy, oh well-a

[E7] Hang down, your head and cry

[E7] Poor boy, you're bound to [A] die, well, now boy

#### **VERSE:**

[A] This time tomorrow

[A] Reckon' where I'll [E7] be

**[E7]** Down in some lonesome valley

[E7] Hangin' from a white oak [A] tree

# CHORUS: < QUIETLY >

[A] Hang down your head Tom Dooley

[A] Hang down your head and [E7] cry, poor boy

[E7] Hang down your head Tom Dooley

[E7] Poor boy, you're bound to [A] die < LOUDLY > Well, now boy!

[A] Hang down your head Tom Dooley

[A] Hang down your head and [E7] cry, poor boy, oh well-a

[E7] Hang down your head Tom Dooley

[E7] Poor boy, you're bound to [A] die

[E7] Poor boy, you're bound to [A] die

[E7] Poor boy, you're bound to [A]↓ die



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