

C **G** **Am** **Em**
 Listen children to a story that was written long ago
F **C** **F** **G**
 'bout a kingdom on a mountain, and the valley folk below
C **G** **Am** **Em**
 On the mountain was a treasure buried deep beneath a stone
F **C** **F** **/ G C / /**
 and the valley people swore they'd have it for their very own.

C **Em** *CHORUS* **F** **C**
 Go ahead and hate your neigh~bor, go ahead and cheat~ a friend
C **Em** **F** **G**
 Do it in the name of hea~ven, you can justify it in~ the end
C **Em** **F** **C**
 There won't be any trumpets blo~wing, come the judgment~ day
C **/ F / / /** -_{stop} no chord **/ C / /**
 On the bloody morning after ~ ~ - one tin sol~dier rides away.

C **G** **Am** **Em**
 So the people of the valley sent a message up the hill
F **C** **F** **G**
 asking for the buried treasure, tons of gold for which they'd kill
C **G** **Am** **Em**
 Came an answer from the kingdom: "With our brothers we will share
F **C** **F** **/ G C / /**
 all the secrets of our mountain, all the riches buried there." *CHORUS*

C **G** **Am** **Em**
 Now the valley cried with anger mount your horses draw your sword
F **C** **F** **G**
 & they killed the mountain people, sure they'd won their just reward
C **G** **Am** **Em**
 Now they stood beside the treasure on the mountain dark and red
F **C** **F** **/ G C / /**
 Turned the stone & looked beneath it, "Peace on Earth" was all it said