

# Tom Dooley

Amerikanisches Traditional

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*Tempo rubato*

Sopran  
Hang down your head, hang down your head, poor boy, you're

Alt  
Hang down your head, hang down your head, poor boy, you're

Tenor  
Hang down your head, hang down your head, poor boy, you're

Bass  
Hang down your head, hang down your head, poor boy, you're

6 *ritardando* **A** *a tempo* ♩ = ca. 85

*mf*  
bound to die. Hang down your head, Tom Doo - ley, hang down your head and

*mp*  
bound to die. Hang down your head, Tom Doo - ley, hang down your head and

*mp*  
bound to die. Hang down your head, Tom Doo - ley, hang down your head and

*mp*  
bound to die. Hang down your head, Tom Doo - ley, hang down your head and



10 *ritardando* *mp*

cry, hang down your head, Tom Doo-ley, poor boy, you're bound to die. I

cry, hang down your head, Tom Doo-ley, poor boy, you're bound to die. I

cry, hang down your head, Tom Doo-ley, poor boy, you're bound to die. I

cry, hang down your head, Tom Doo-ley, poor boy, you're bound to die. I

15 **B** *a tempo*

met her on the, on the moun-tain, there I took her life,

met her on the, on the moun-tain, there I took her life,

met her on the, on the moun-tain, there I took her life, her life,

met her on the moun-tain, there I took her life,

19 *ritardando*

I met her on the moun-tain, stuck her with my knife.

I met her on the moun-tain, stuck her with my knife, my knife.

I met her on the moun-tain, stuck her with my knife, my knife.

I met her on the moun-tain, stuck her with my knife, my knife.

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**C** *a tempo*

Hang down your head, Tom Doo - ley, hang down your head and cry,

Hang down your head, Tom Doo - ley, hang down your head and cry,

Hang down your head, Tom Doo - ley, hang down your head and cry,

Hang down your head, Tom Doo - ley, hang down your head and cry,

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*ritardando*

hang down your head, Tom Doo - ley, poor boy, you're bound to die.

hang down your head, Tom Doo - ley, poor boy, you're bound to die, to die.

hang down your head, Tom Doo - ley, poor boy, you're bound to die, to die.

hang down your head, Tom Doo - ley, poor boy, you're bound to die, to die.

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**D** *a tempo*

*mp* This time to - - mor - row, down

*mp* This time, time to - - mor - row down some green

*mf* This time to - mor-row re - ckon where I'll be, down in some green

*mp* This time to - mor-row down some green

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*riturdando*

**E** *a tempo*

val - ley, white oak tree. Hang down your head, Tom

val - ley, white oak tree, oak tree. Hang down your head, Tom

val-ley a - hang-in' from a white oak tree, oak tree. Hang down your head, Tom

val - ley, white oak tree oak tree hang down your head, Tom

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— Doo - ley, hang down your head and cry, hang down your head, Tom

— Doo - ley, hang down your head and cry, hang down your head, Tom

— Doo - ley, hang down your head and cry, hang down your head, Tom

— Doo - ley, hang down your head and cry, hang down your head, Tom

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*tempo rubato, rallentando*

Doo - ley, poor boy, you're bound to die

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Doo - ley, poor boy, you're bound to die