

# Daddy's Gone to Knoxville

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Oh, you're gonna miss your daddy when he's gone  
When he's gone  
Yeah, you're gonna miss your daddy when he's gone  
When he's gone  
Daddy's gone down that Gallatin road  
The hen never laid and the corn never grewed  
Oh, you're gonna miss your daddy when he's gone Oh, I'd rather have a dollar than a dime  
Than a dime  
Yeah, I'd rather have a dollar than a dime  
Than a dime  
Daddy's gone down that Crossville track  
If he can't make a dollar then he ain't comin' back  
Oh, I'd rather have a dollar than a dime Oh, you better love your daddy while you can  
While you can  
Yeah, you better love your daddy while you can  
While you can  
Daddy's gone south on the Natchez trace  
If he can't show the money then he don't show his face  
Oh, you'd better love your daddy while you can Oh, your daddy's gone to Knoxville now  
Knoxville now  
Yeah, your daddy's gone to Knoxville now  
Knoxville now  
Daddy's gone down that Knoxville road  
The dog never barked and the cock never crowed  
Oh, your daddy's gone to Knoxville now

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