

Old Uncle Ned

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Musical notation for the first system, measures 1-4. The piece is in G major (one sharp) and common time. The melody is in the treble clef, and the accompaniment is in the bass clef. The melody consists of quarter and eighth notes, with a dotted quarter note in the final measure. The bass line features a steady eighth-note accompaniment.

Musical notation for the second system, measures 5-8. The melody continues in the treble clef, and the bass line continues with the eighth-note accompaniment. The melody includes some eighth-note runs and a dotted quarter note.

Musical notation for the third system, measures 8-11. This system includes the vocal line with lyrics and guitar chords. The chords are G, C/G, and G. The lyrics are:

1. There was an old work - er they called him Un - cle Ned, He's
2. His fin - gers were long like the cane in the brake, He
3. On a cold, fros - ty morn - ing poor Un - cle Ned died, Mas - ter's

The musical notation shows the vocal line in the treble clef and the piano accompaniment in the bass clef. The piano part has a simple harmonic accompaniment with some chords in the bass line.

11 G D G C

dead long a - go, long a go; He had no wool on the
had no eyes for to see; He had no teeth to
tears down his cheeks ran like rain; 'Cause he knew when poor Ned was

14 G G/D D G

top of the head, The place where the wool ought to grow.
eat the corn cake, So he had to leave that corn cake be.
un - der the ground, He'd nev - er see his like a - gain. Then

BASS *ff*
ff

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SOP G D

And hang up the fid-dle and the bow.

ALTO

And hang up the fid-dle and the bow.

lay down the shov-el and the hoe- o- o And hang up the fid-dle and the bow.

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f G D7 G C G D7 G

No more hard work for poor, old Ned. He's gone where the good work-ers go.

No more hard work for poor, old Ned, He's gone where the good work-ers go.

No more hard work for poor, old Ned. He's gone where the good work-ers go.

f p

25 G D7 G C G D G

No more hard work for poor, old Ned, He's gone where the good work-ers go.

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