

# Beds Are Burning

## Midnight Oil

Em G A

**E5**  
 Out where the river broke  
 The bloodwood and the desert oak  
 Holden wrecks and boiling diesels  
 Steam in forty five degrees

**E5** **E7sus4**  
 The time has come to say fair's fair  
**Aadd9** **E5**  
 To pay the rent, to pay our share  
**E5** **E7sus4**  
 The time has come, a fact's a fact  
**Aadd9** **F#**  
 It belongs to them, let's give it back

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**Em** **C** **G**  
 How can we dance when our earth is turning  
**Em** **C** **D** **Cdim**  
 How do we sleep while our beds are burning  
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**G** **D**  
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**E5**  
 Four wheels scare the cockatoos  
 From Kintore East to Yuendumu  
 The western desert lives and breathes  
 In forty five degrees

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