

# Hank Snow, Six-String Tennessee Flat Top

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Recorded by Hank Snow

Well let me hear the sound of the Tennessee flat top  
Ringin' off of the wall  
Behind the ice water tones of a steel guitar  
And a country fiddle walkin' tall  
Let the drums and bass set a honky tonk pace  
In every country song you sing  
And let me hear that six string Tennessee flat top  
Grand ole open hole ring

Let it ring out fine in a song about why  
A cheatin' heart had caused some pain  
About a black land farm, a pair of pretty arms  
Or the whistle of a midnight train  
Well country songs don't turn me on  
Or send the blood a-rushin' through my veins  
Unless I hear that six string Tennessee flat top  
Grand old open hole ring

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On the back of open hole rhythm  
And all the big country stars wouldn't be where they are  
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