

Games People Play. 1969. Joe South.

4/4 time. 1, 2, 1 2 3 4 1

[G] [G] [G] [G] [G] [D] [D] [C] [D] [G] [G] [G] [G] [D] [D] [C] [D] [G]

[G] _ Na na nana [G] naa n'na, [G] _ Na na nana [D] naa n'ne

[D] _ Na na nana [C] naa n'na, [D] _ Na na nana [G] naaaa

[G] _ Oh the games people [G] play now, [G] _ every night and every-[D]-day now

[D] _ Never meaning what they [C] say now, [D] _ never saying what they [G] mean

[G] _ While they wile away the [G] hours, [G] _ in their ivory [D] towers,

[D] _ Till they're covered up with [C] flowers, in the [D] back of a black limo-[G]-sine.

[G] _ Na na nana [G] naa n'na, [G] _ Na na nana [D] naa n'ne

[D] _ _ Talking 'bout [C] you and me, [D] _ and the games people [G] play

[G] _ Oh we make one a-[G]-nother cry, [G] _ break a heart then we

[D] say goodbye, [D] _ cross our hearts and we [C] hope to die,

[D] _ that the other was to [G] blame

[G] _ But neither one [G] will give in, [G] _ so we gaze at our [D] eight by ten

[D] Thinking 'bout the things that [C] might have been,

[D] _ And it's a dirty rotten [G] shame

[G] _ Na na nana [G] naa n'na, [G] _ Na na nana [D] naa n'ne

[D] _ _ Talking 'bout [C] you and me, [D] yeah and the games people [G] play

[G] _ People walking right [G] up to ya, [G] _ singing glory Halle-[D]-lujah

[D] _ And they're tryin' to sock it [C] to you, [D] _ in the name of the [G] Lord

[G] _ They're gonna teach you how to [G] meditate, [G] _ read your horoscope,

[D] cheat your fate, [D] _ and further more to [C] hell with hate,

[D] _ come on and get on [G] board

[G] _ Na na nana [G] naa n'na, [G] _ Na na nana [D] naa n'ne

[D] _ _ Talking 'bout [C] you and me, [D] _ and the games people [G] play

[G] _ Look around tell me [G] what you see, [G] _ what's happening to [D] you and me,

[D] _ God grant me the se-[C]-renity, [D] _ to just remember who I [G] am

[G] _ 'Cause you've given up your [G] sanity, [G] _ for your pride and your [D] vanity,

[D] _ turn your back on hu-[C]-manity, [D] oh and you don't give a [G] dam

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