

## **Blind Boys Of Alabama**

### **"Run On For A Long Time"**

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Stop God almighty let me tell you the news  
My head's been wet with the midnight dews  
Coming down on my bended knees  
Talking to the man from Galilee  
My God spoke and he spoke so sweet  
I thought I heard the shuffle of angel's feet  
Than He put one hand upon my head  
Great God almighty let me tell you what he said

Go tell that long tongued liar, oh well well  
Go tell that midnight rider, oh well well  
Tell the gambler, rambler, back-biter  
Tell them God almighty gonna cut them down

2x  
Well you may run on for a long time  
Run on for a long time,  
Run on for a long time  
Let me tell you God almighty gonna cut you down

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Go tell that midnight rider, oh well well  
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You may throw your rock and hide your hand  
Working in the dark against your fellow man  
As sure as God made the day and the night  
What you do in the dark will be brought to the light  
You may run and hide, slip and slide  
Trying to take the mote from your neighbour's eyes  
As sure as God made the rich and poor  
You gonna reap just what you sow

Some people go to church just to sit in the fire  
Trying to make a date with the neighbour's wife  
Brother let me tell you as sure as you're born  
You better leave that woman alone  
Because one of these days mark my word  
You think that brother is going to work  
And you'll sneak up and knock on that door  
That's all brother you'll knock no more

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Let me tell you God almighty gonna cut you down

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