

## Chiquititas

### "Home And Broken Hearted"

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Hiked up to Sydney in the week before Christmas  
It was thirty-eight degrees in the shade  
Bought a second-hand Morris for a cheap two-twenty  
And drove it down to Adelaide  
She boiled for an hour twenty miles out of Euston  
I thought the heat would never end  
But I knew I'd be home for Christmas with my Sandy  
And a few extra dollars to spend

I drove it to the buyer just as fast as I could go  
I was talking to his teenage son  
I sure hope it lasted for the poor little bastard  
At least until he'd had some fun  
I caught a taxi homeward with great anticipation  
Thinkin' all you have to do is try  
There was a note propped up against the dressing  
table mirror  
"Dear Jimmy, it's over, goodbye!"  
Home and broken hearted  
I've been pasted to the telephone  
Boxing Day break was wasted sitting home on my own  
The beer we bought for Christmas ran dry this  
afternoon  
And on the radio it's New Year's Eve  
What a low down time of the year to pack your luggage  
and leave

Went to a party, tried to drink myself happy  
The steaks were washed away in the rain  
Finished up in bed with an old acquaintance  
She'll never be my friend again  
And everyone was asking me where's the little woman  
Rolled home before the rain could stop  
I've been sitting for days reading pre-Christmas papers  
With my heels on the table-top

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