

## **Bruce Hornsby** **"Fire on The Cross"**

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They're looking for some hired guns on the Texas  
border  
To shoot 'em all down if they try to cross over the water  
And they've got their old white hoods and the same old  
orders  
To keep the dark sons away, away from their  
daughters

The nights they came on horses  
Are long gone with the wind  
Now they're passing out the torches  
And they're coming back again

There's a shotgun blast, there's a secret sign  
It's not a candle burning, it's not a Sunday night  
There's a fire on the cross  
There's a fire on the cross tonight, tonight

There wasn't any sound but it felt like sudden thunder  
Two boards nailed together, burning bright  
He was walking by the window when he saw it, now he  
wonders  
Just what he's got to do to make him see, he just wants  
to be brothers

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Are long gone with the wind  
Now they're passing out the torches  
And they're coming back again

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It's not a candle burning, it's not a Sunday night  
There's a fire tonight  
There's a fire on the cross tonight, tonight

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Are long gone with the wind  
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