

## **The Brandos**

# **"The Smoky Mt. Lament"**

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Oh Lord  
Lord, a poor mountain boy  
Was buried today  
Buried today

So young  
Just a poor woman's son  
They carried away  
So far away

One fight  
For the rest of my life  
I'll live with the pain  
Live with the pain

One child  
Sacrificed to a cause  
That I can't explain  
No I can't explain

The Smoky Mountain rain  
Comin' down  
Feels so cold  
Our blood is in the fields  
My boy is here no more  
Oh Lord

Don't cry  
I'll be home by and by  
I heard him say  
He did say

So sure  
That the dangers in store  
Were all just a game  
All just a game  
I heard  
In his last dyin' words  
He called out my name  
Called my name

Oh Lord

Can't your mercy afford  
A poor boy be saved  
One boy be saved

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