

Mellencamp John Cougar "Justice And Independence '85"

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He was born on the fourth day of July
So his parents called him Independence Day
He married a girl named Justice who gave birth to a son
called Nation
Then she walked away
Independence he would daydream and he'd pretend
That some day him and Justice and Nation would get
together again
But Justice held up in a shotgun shack
And she wouldn't let nobdoy in
So a Nation cried
CHORUS
Oh, oh
When a Nation cries
His tears fall down like missiles from the skies
Justice look into Independence's eyes
Can you make everything alright
Can you keep your Nation warm tonight
Well Nation grew up and got himself a big reputation
Couldn't keep the boy at home no, no
He just kept running 'round and 'round and 'round and
'round
Independence and Justice well they felt so ashamed
When the Nation fell down they argued who was to
blame
Nation if you'll come home we'll have this family again
Oh, Nation, don't cry
CHORUS
Roll a rock across the country
Everybody come along
When you're feelin' down, yeah, yeah
Just sing this song, yeah yeah

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