

If It Had Been A Dog

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Key of **A**

If it had been a dog, they woulda gone to jail **(2x)**

But when they kick a colored man

These mad men go unchained

Go down sunshine, see what tomorrow will bring **(2x)**

It may bring sunshine or fire

If we lucky, It'll bring rain

Now my rage is rising—violence, unemployment & disease

My rage is rising---lynch, rape, bombings, drugs & disease

Mamma's got scars on her knees

Praying for my (po' Gaye's) rage to cease

So go down sunshine---**2nd verse**

Justice, justice, drop your blindfold on the floor **(2x)**

But you won't be naked

A hood and sheet will be your clothes

If it had been a dog—**1st verse**