

## Hooks & Ride

Slim Dusty

If you want-a make a name in the rodeo game  
Then you gotta get onto that high,  
You've got a screw down put your faith in the clown,  
Hit him with the hooks and ride.

Hit him with the hooks and ride,  
Listen to the crowd go wild,  
You're hangin' up there with spur and prayer,  
And it feels like dynamite.

If you want-a make a name then you gotta be game  
And livin' you're life to the full,  
If you want-a get a buck you gotta knuckle ,  
Down on the hide of a bull.

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When you've got your name on the wall of fame  
And you've hung up your rope an' boots,  
When the kids ask you what you used to do,  
"I used to ride bulls out of rodeo shoots".

Hit him with the hooks and ride,  
Breakin' down the milk inside ,  
You've seen Troy Dunn make it look like fun,  
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