

**The Dixie Cups - Iko Iko**  
**Misc Unsigned Bands**

Iko Iko:The Dixie Cups.  
Hit the top 40 in 1965.  
The song lyrics are partly Creole French &  
the song is allegedly about the Mardi Gras.  
The only music during the whole song is Barbara  
Hawkins beating time with drumsticks on a Coke bottle.  
I added the chords.

#1.

**F**

My grandma and your grandma

**C**

were sittin by the fire.

**C**

My grandma told your grandma,

**F**

I m gonna set your flag on fire.

CHORUS:

**F**

Talkin bout

Hey now, hey now, hey now, hey now.

**C**

Iko iko unday.

Jockamo feeno ai nan ai,

**F**

Jockamo fee nan ai.

Verse 2:

**F**

Look at my king all dressed in red.

**C**

Iko iko unday.

I betcha five dollars he ll kill you dead.

**F**

Jockamo fee nan ai.

CHORUS:

#3.

**F**

My flag boy and your flag boy,

**C**

were sittin by the fire.

**C**

My flag boy told your flag boy,

**F**

I m gonna set your flag on fire.

CHORUS:

#4:

**F**

See that guy all dressed in green?

**C**

Iko iko unday.

**C**

He s not a man, he s a lovin machine.

**F**

Jockamo fee nan ai.

CHORUS:

A sixties smash from Kraziekhat.