

Beds Are Burning

Midnight Oil

Out where the river broke
The bloodwood and the desert oak
Holden wrecks and boiling diesels
Steam in forty _____ degrees

The _____ has come
To say fair's fair
To pay the rent
To pay _____ share

The _____ has come
A fact's a fact
It belongs to _____
Let's give _____ back

How can _____ dance
When _____ earth is turning
How do we sleep
While our beds are burning

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_____ wheels scare the cockatoos
From Kintore East to Yuendumu
The western desert lives and
breathes
In forty five degrees

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