MUSIC FUN BOOKS / TEACHER PREVIEW

The Recorder Fun Book's Big Song Book

Beginning recorder | 70+ songs | Six notes | Two reading stages

Two versions of familiar music. One path to fluent reading.

More than 70 recorder tunes use just six notes - G, A, B, C, D and E. Pages 1-34 place letter names inside the noteheads, while pages 35-68 revisit the same repertoire without letters. Students can practice familiar music as they move from visual cues toward independent staff reading. Large, clear notation keeps the focus on rhythm, tone and fluency.

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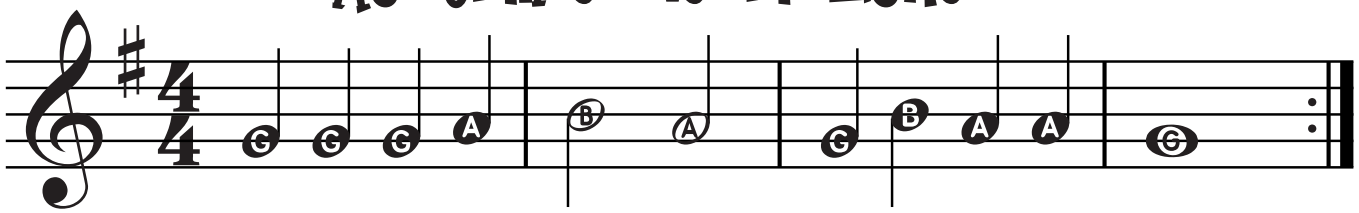
How the Book Works

The Big Song Book is two books in one. The first half includes all songs with the letters placed inside the note heads. The second half of the book includes the same songs but with no letters inside the note heads. Non-readers can use the first part of the book while note readers can use the second section.

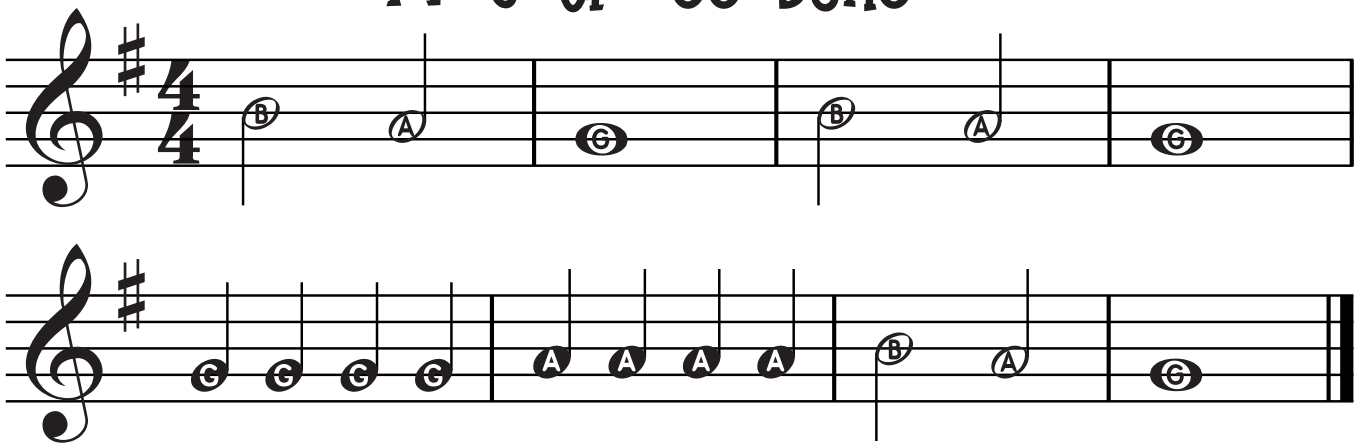
The entire book uses only six basic notes - G, A, B, C, D and E.

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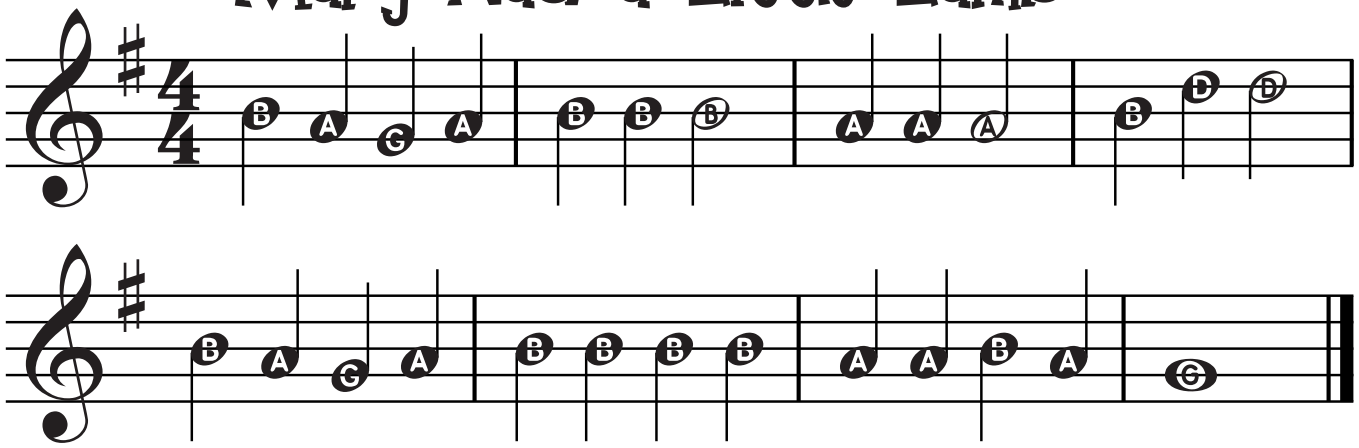
Au Claire de la Lune



Hot Cross Buns



Mary Had a Little Lamb



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Good King Wenceslas (Bonus Song- not included on page 1)



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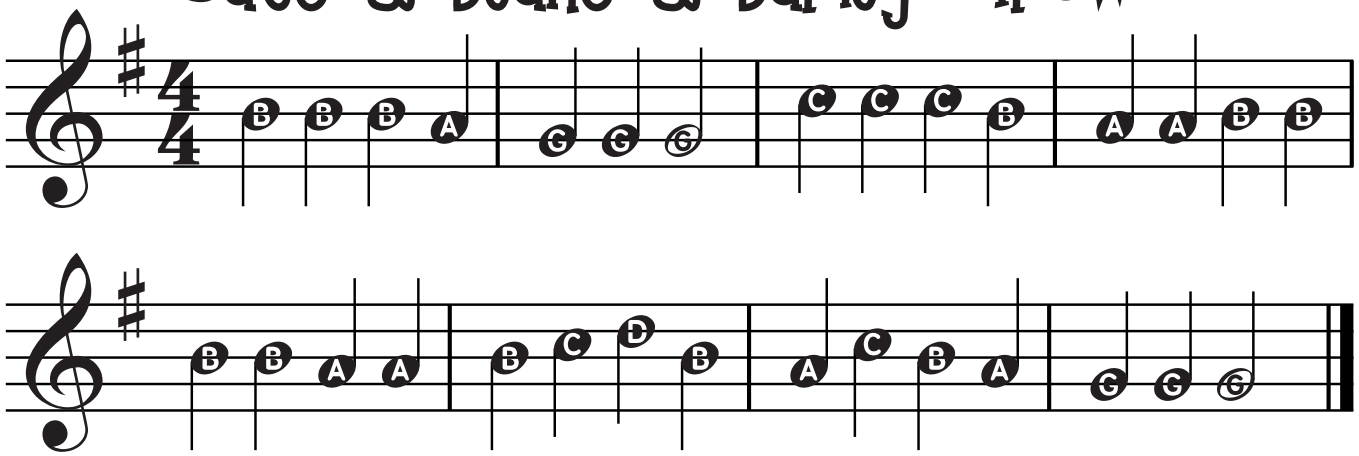


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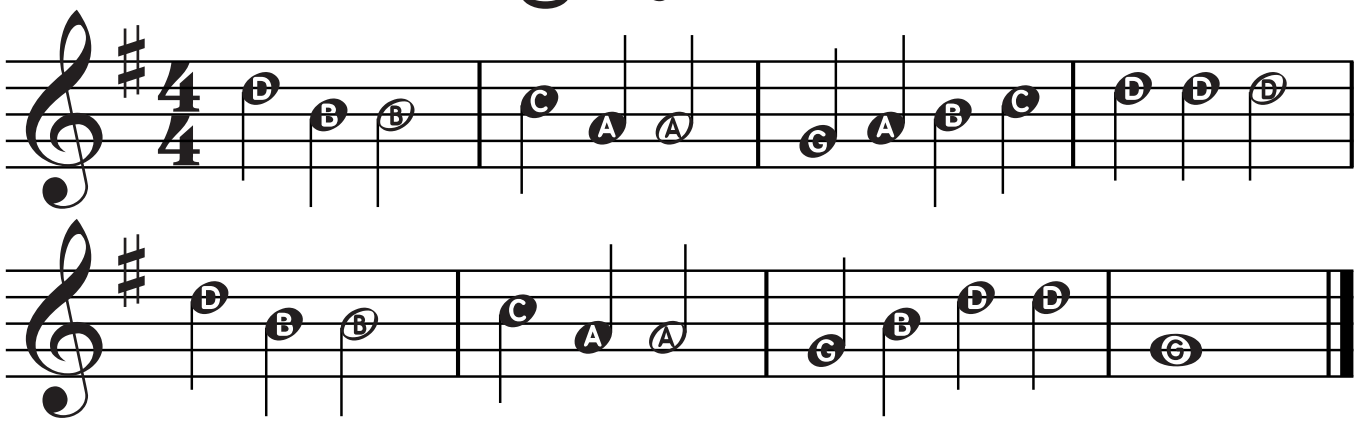
Love somebody



Oats & Beans & Barley Grow



Lightly Row

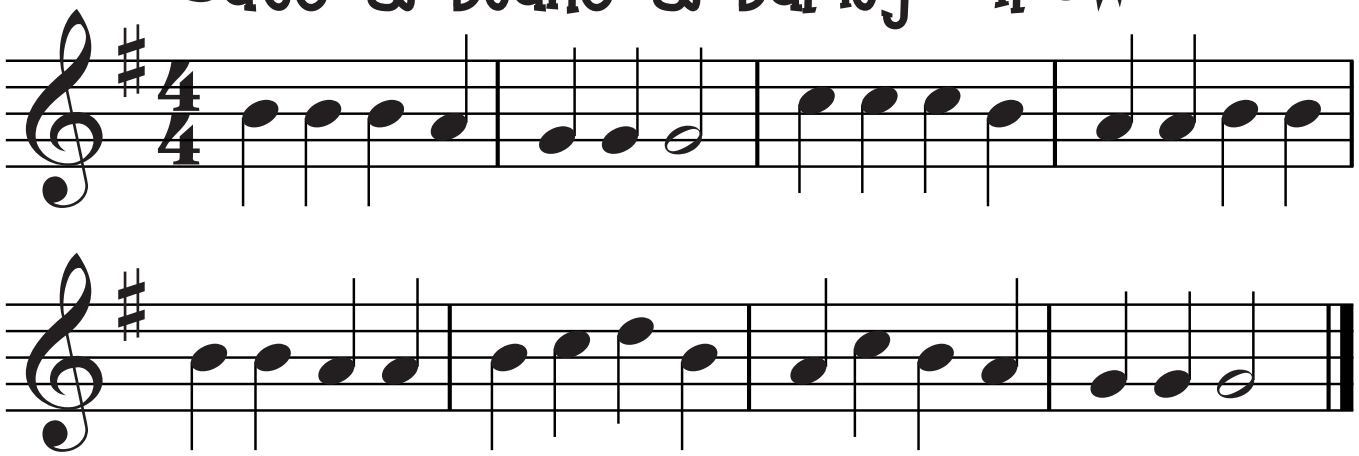


Love somebody

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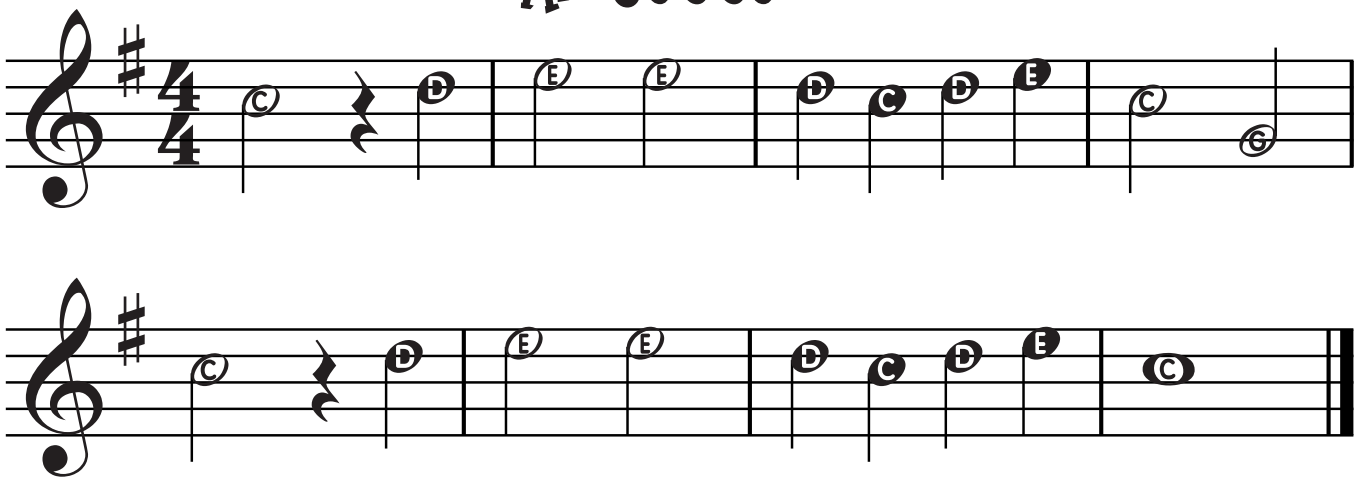


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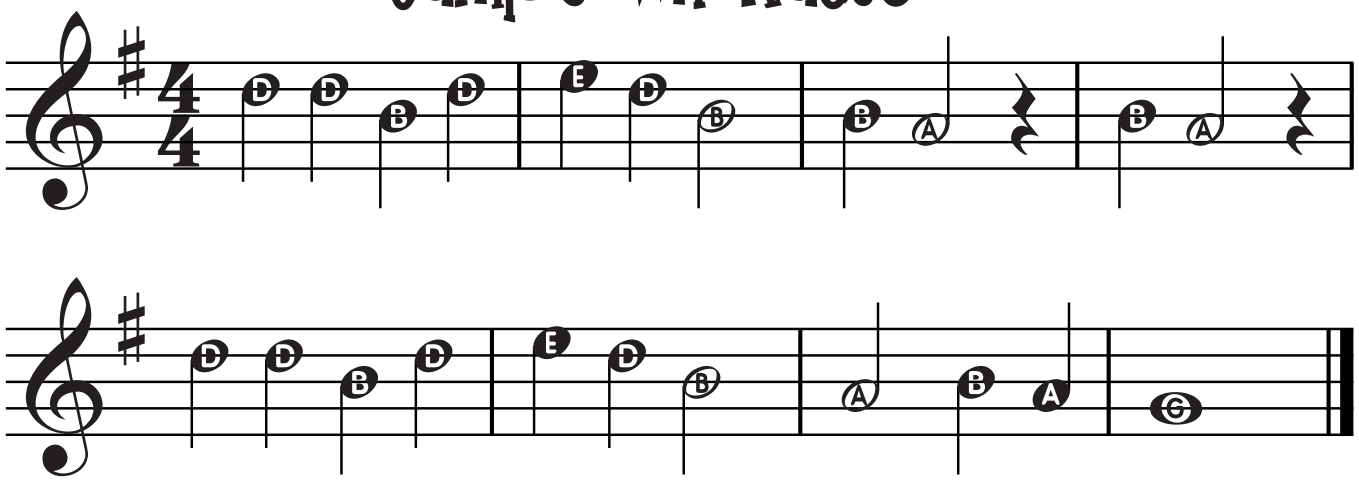


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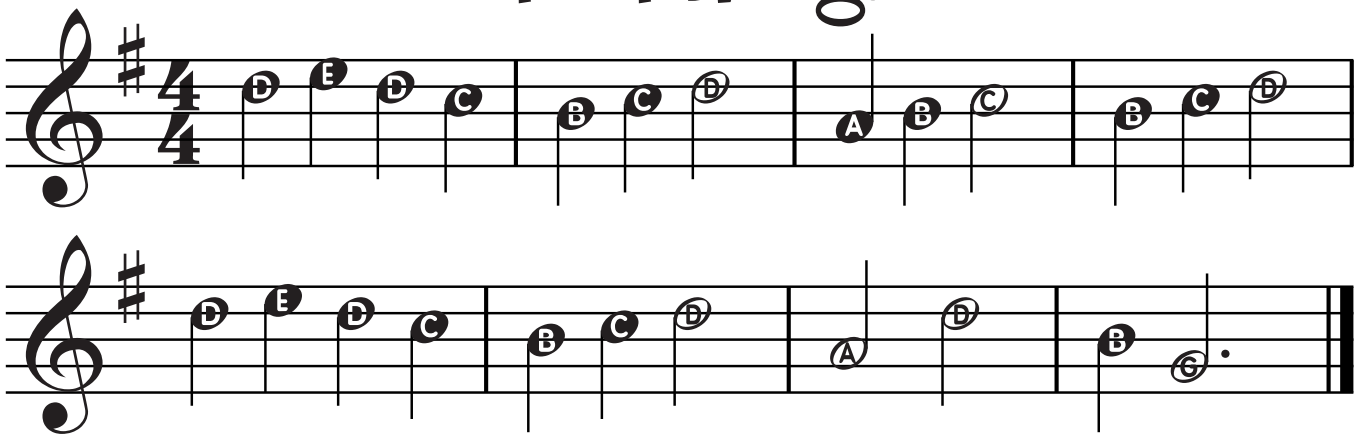
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Camptown Races



London Bridge



Alouette

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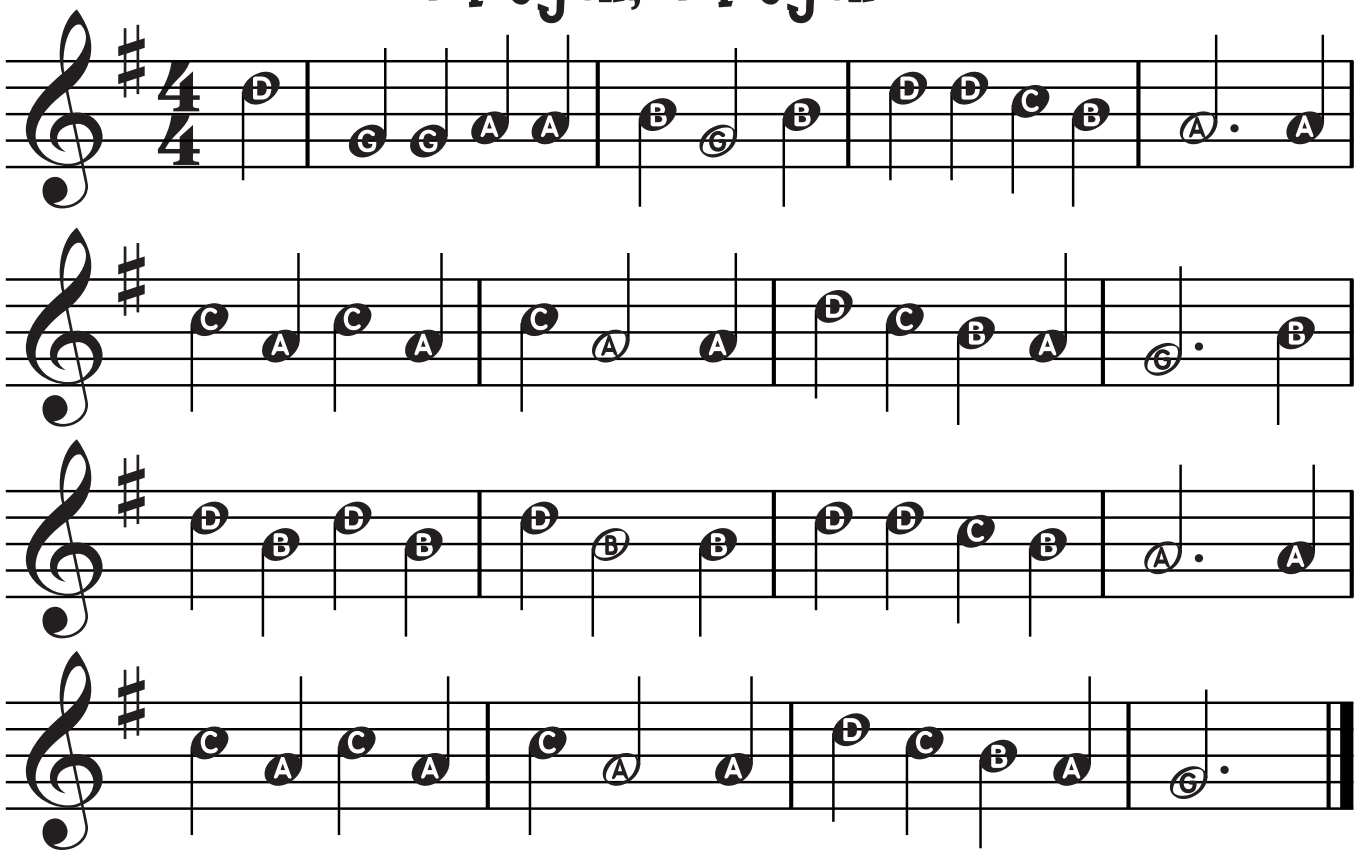


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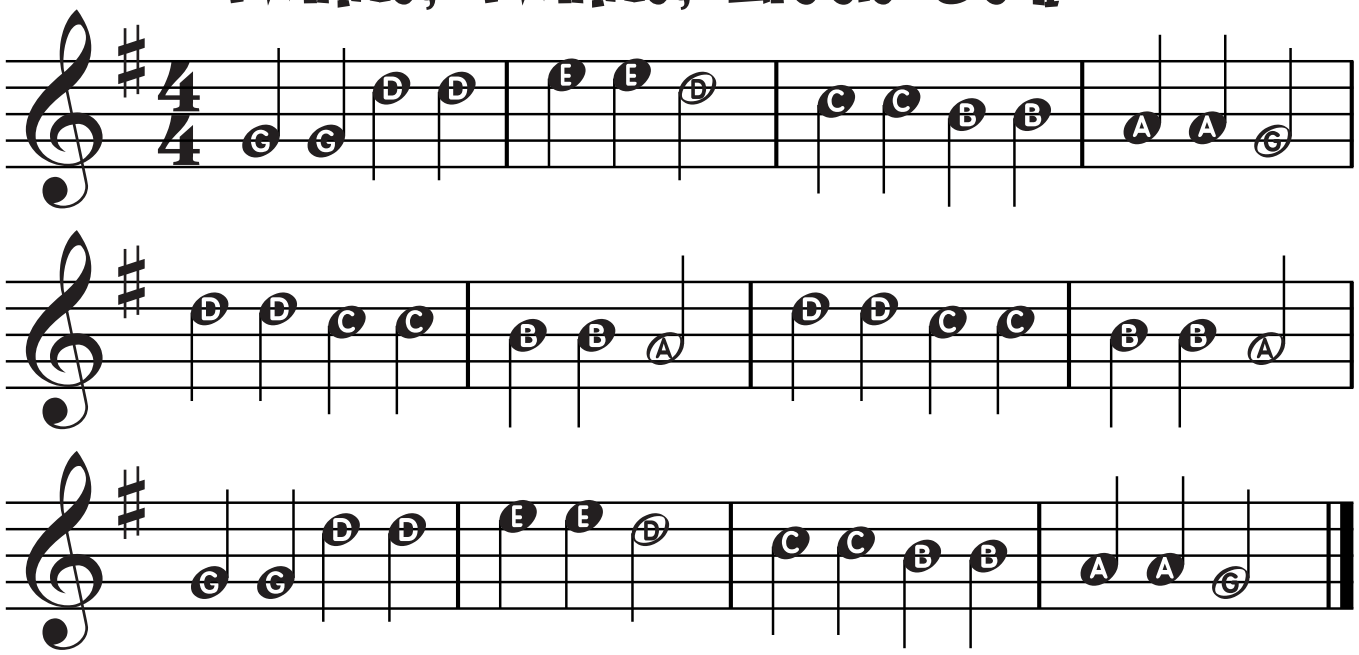


Dreydl, Dreydl

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Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star



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Dreydl, Dreydl



Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star

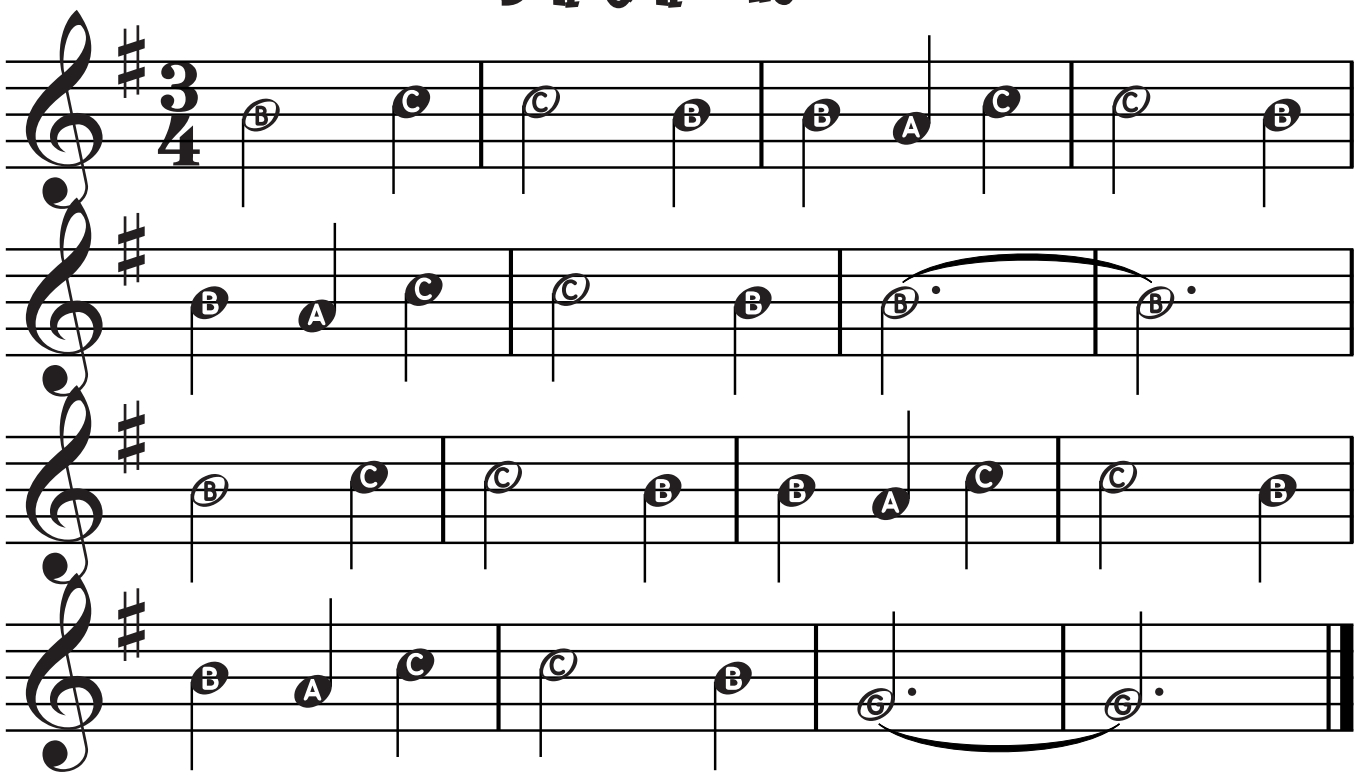


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A Tisket, A Tasket



Barcarolle



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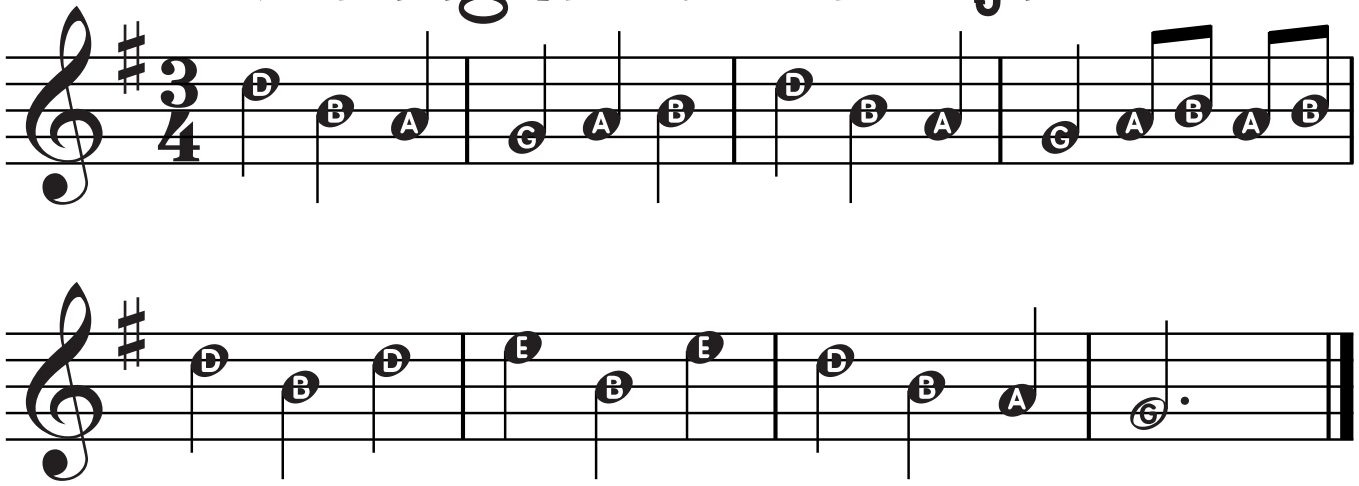


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Carnival of Venice



Morning from Peer Gynt

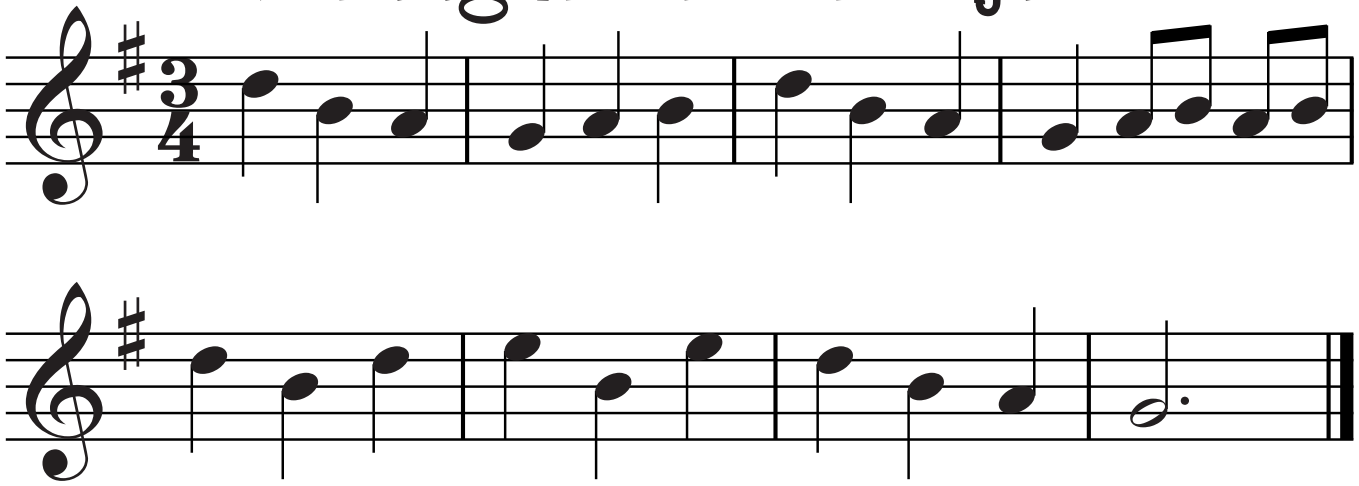


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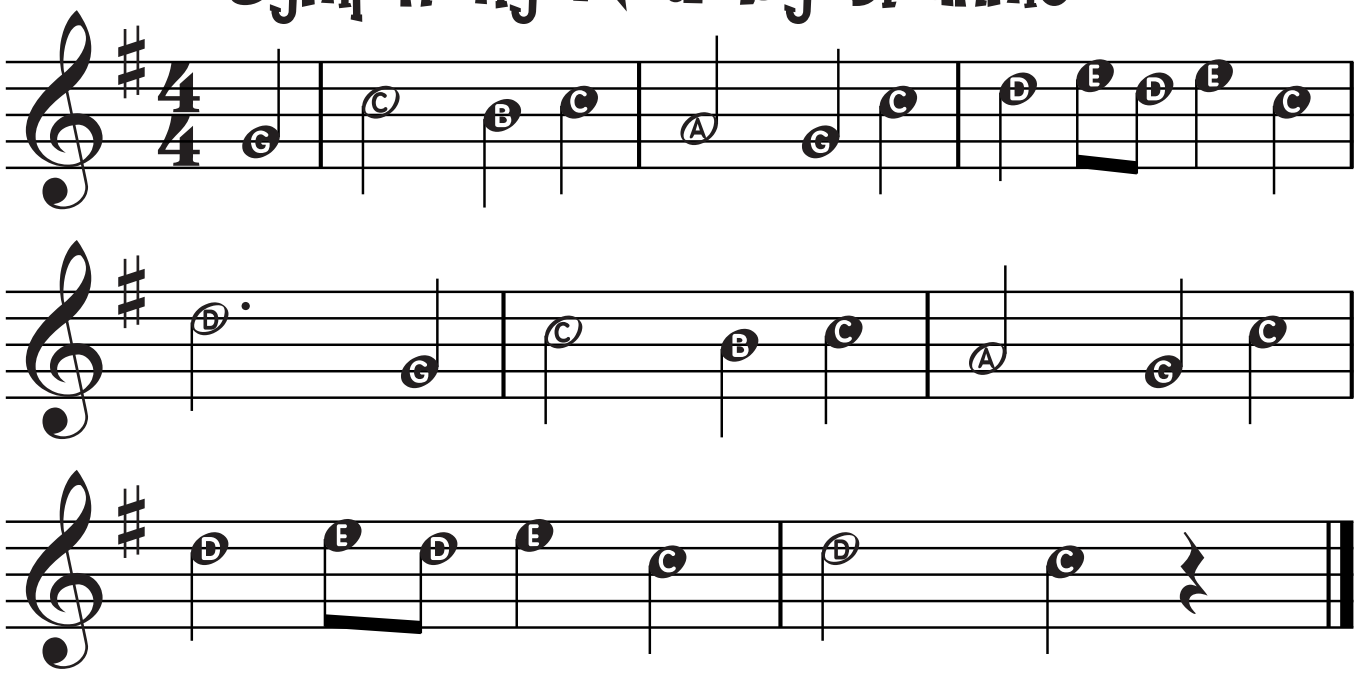


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Baa Baa Black Sheep



Symphony No.1 by Brahms



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Baa Baa Black sheep



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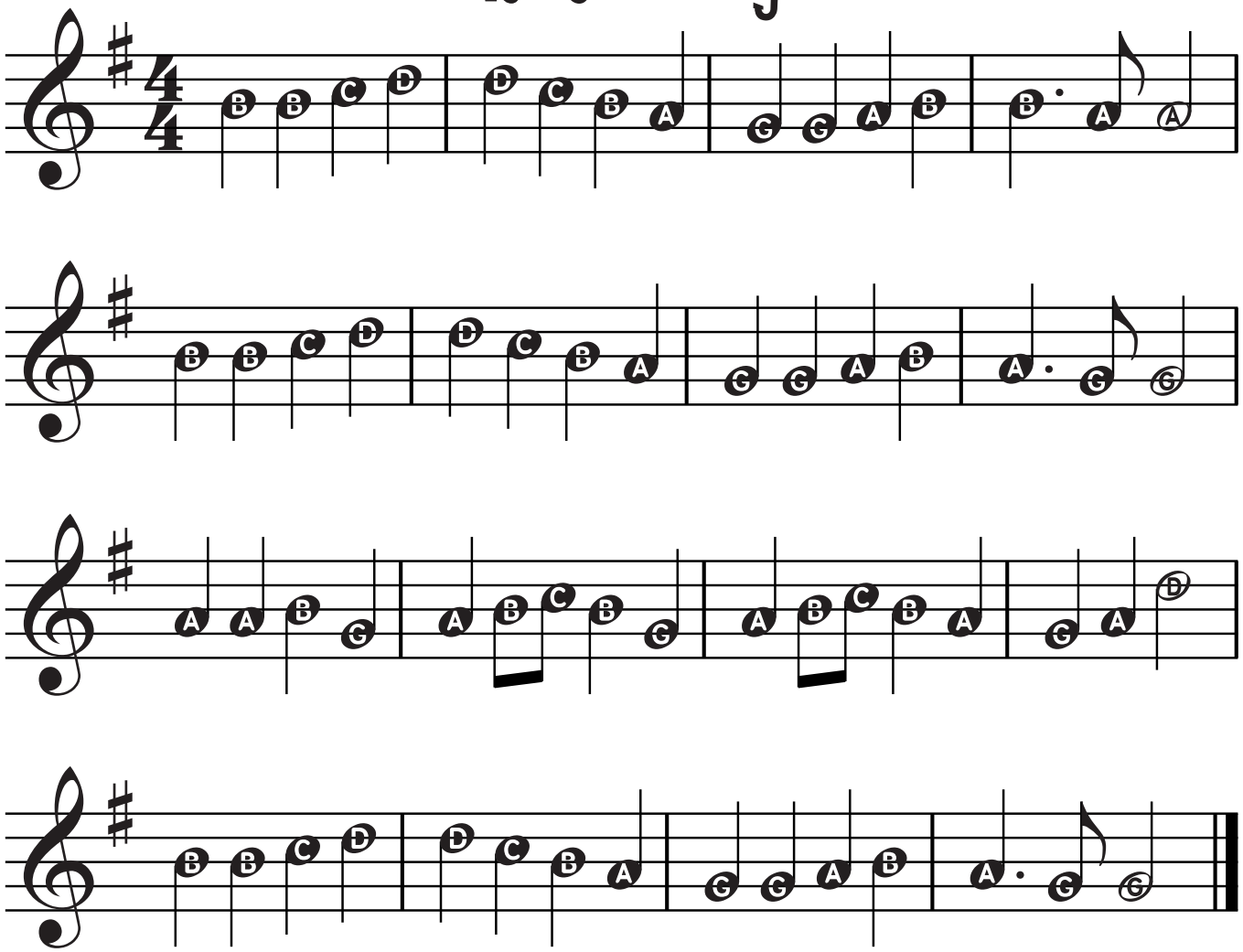
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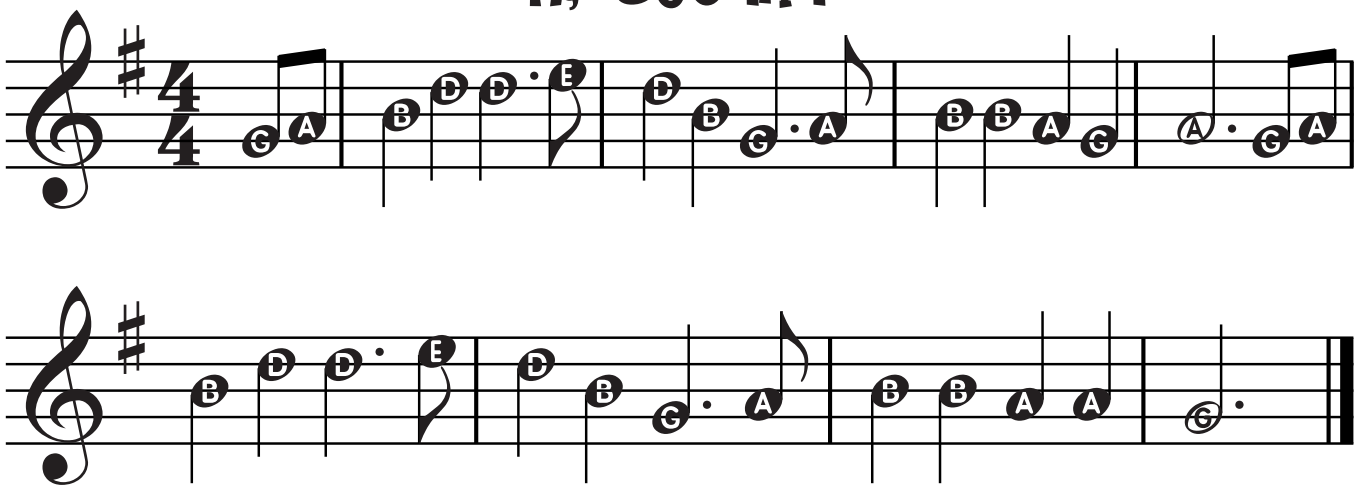


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Ode to Joy



Oh, Susana



Ode to Joy

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Oh, Susana



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Shepherd's Hey



Shepherd's Hey

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