



1998 -- 1st Quarter Newsletter

The Western North Carolina Dulcimer Collective is a member-supported group of players of mountain and hammered dulcimers, and those who enjoy listening to dulcimers and/or playing other traditional instruments with them. The group meets once per month to share tunes and information. Dues are \$5.00 per year payable to WNCDC - to Carl Cochran, 12 Pheasant Dr, Asheville, NC 28803.

THIS QUARTER'S MUSIC

Firs off, "**Er Is Een Kindeke Geboren Op Aard**" from December turns out to be a Dutch carol which means "There Is A Little Child Born on Earth" according to Carl Cochran's Dutch foreign exchange student. Thanks! For this quarter we have some more foreign tunes, from various books we have around the house. #1 is "**Romanze**" - from Beethoven's 5th Sonatina, from a piano coursebook. #2 is a folk tune called "**Little Tree Toad**" or "**El Coquito**" from Puerto Rico. I found it in a school music book we bought for 50c at a library book sale. #3 is "**Jasmine Flower**" which is a Chinese tune from a handout for a harp workshop Jean attended at the Memphis Dulcimer Festival. It says the tune is one of the Chinese melodies used by Puccini in his opera, "Turandot". I hope you enjoy them!

SONG REVIEW SCHEDULE

JANUARY 11:	Amazing Grace	(3rd Quarter, 1994)
	Banks of the Sacramento	(4th Quarter, 1995)
	George Collins	(1st Quarter, 1995)
FEBRUARY 8:	In Aimsir / Hay Cutting Time	(4th Quarter, 1994)
	Margaret Ann Robertson	(4th Quarter, 1994)
	Old Spinning Wheel	(3rd Quarter, 1994)
MARCH 8:	Suo Gam	(4th Quarter, 1994)
	Who's Gonna Shoe Your...	(3rd Quarter, 1990)
	Wondrous Love	(3rd Quarter, 1990)

Romanze

from 5th Sonatina

Mountain Dulcimer: D-A-dd and D-A-AA

Beethoven (1770-1827)
Arrangement: Steve Smith

	D	D	A
Notes	F# G A	D - D	E D E
D	0 0 0	0 0	1 1 1
A	0 0 0	0 0	0 0 0
dd	2 3 4	0 - 0	1 0 1
D	0 0 0	0 0	1 1 1
A	0 0 0	0 0	0 0 0
AA	5 6 7	3 - 3	4 3 4

	D	D	D	E
Notes	F# - D F# G A	D - D	D D C# D	
D	0 0 0 0 0	0 0	1 1 1	
A	0 0 0 0 0	0 0	1 2 1	
dd	2 - 0 2 3 4	0 - 0	0 0 0	
D	0 0 0 0 0	0 0	1 1 1	
A	0 0 0 0 0	0 0	1 1 1	
AA	5 - 3 5 6 7	3 - 3	3 3 2 3	

	A	D	D	D
Notes	E - - F# G A	D - D	D D E F#	
D	1 0 0	0 0	0 0 0 0	
A	0 0 0	0 0	0 0 0 0	
dd	1 - - 2 3 4	0 - 0	0 0 1 2	
D	1 0 0	0 0	0 0 0 0	
A	0 0 0	0 0	0 0 0 0	
AA	4 - - 5 6 7	3 - 3	3 3 4 5	

	G	G	D	A	D
Notes	G - B D B G	F# - A G E A	D - -		
D	3 3 5 5 3	0 0 1 1 1	0		
A	3 3 6 6 3	0 0 0 0 0	0		
dd	3 - 5 7 5 3	2 - 4 3 1 4	0 - -		
D	3 5 5 5 3	0 0 4 4 4	0		
A	3 6 6 6 3	0 0 0 0 0	0		
AA	6 - 8 10 8 6	5 - 7 6 4 7	3 - -		

Little Tree Toad / El Coquito

Mountain Dulcimer: D-A-dd and D-A-AA

Puerto Rican Folk Song
Arrangement: Steve Smith

	D		G		D		A7										
	The co-		qui, the co-			qui so de-		lights me.	With his		song I need						
Notes	D	F#	A	A	A	B	C#	B	A	F#	-	-	A	A	A	E	F#
D	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			0	0	1	1	1
A	0	0	0	0	0	6	6	6	0	0			0	0	0	0	0
dd	0	2	4	4	4	5	6+	5	4	2	-	-	4	4	4	1	2
D	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			0	0	4	4	4
A	0	0	5	5	5	6	6	6	5	3			5	5	4	4	4
AA	3	5	7	7	7	8	9	8	7	5	-	-	7	7	7	4	5

	A7		D		D		G		D								
	nev er count		sheep.			Ev- 'ry		night when I		lie on my		pil- low,					
G	F#	E	A	-	-	-	D	F#	A	A	A	B	C#	B	A	F#	-
1	1	1	0				0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
0	0	0	0				0	0	0	0	0	6	6	6	0	0	
3	2	1	4	-	-	-	0	2	4	4	4	5	6+	5	4	2	-
4	4	4	0				0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
4	4	4	5				0	0	5	5	5	6	6	6	5	3	
6	5	4	7	-	-	-	3	5	7	7	7	8	9	8	7	5	-

		A7		D		A7		D									
	Here's the		sing-ing that			lulls me to		sleep.	Co-	qui,	Co-	qui,	Co-				
-	A	A	A	B	A	G	F#	E	D	-	A	C#	-	A	D	-	D
0	0	0	4	4	4	1	1	1	0	0	0	4	4	0	0	0	
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	4	0	0	0	
-	4	4	4	5	4	3	2	1	0	-	4	6+	-	4	7	-	7
0	0	0	4	4	4	4	4	4	0	0	0	8	8	7	7	7	
5	5	5	4	4	4	4	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
-	7	7	7	8	7	6	5	4	3	-	7	9	-	7	10	-	7

	A7		D		A7		D		A7		D				
	qui, qui, qui,		qui! Co-			qui, Co-		qui, Co-		qui, qui, qui,			qui!		
C#	B	C#	D	-	A	C#	-	A	D	-	A	A	B	C#	D
4	4	4	0		0	4	4	0	0	4	4	4	4	4	0
4	4	4	0		0	4	4	0	0	4	4	4	4	4	0
6+	5	6+	7	-	4	6+	-	4	7	-	4	4	5	6+	7
8	8	8	7		7	8	8	7	7	8	8	8	8	8	7
0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
9	8	9	10	-	7	9	-	7	10	-	7	7	8	9	10

Jasmine Flower

Mountain Dulcimer: D-A-dd and D-A-AA

Chinese
Arrangement: Steve Smith

	Bm		D	
Notes	F# - F# A B D D B		A - A B A - - -	
D	0 0 0 5 5 5 5		0 0 0 0	
A	1 1 1 5 5 5 5		0 0 0 0	
dd	2 - 2 4 5 7 7 5		4 - 4 5 4 - - -	
D	5 5 5 5 5 5 5		0 0 0 0	
A	5 5 5 5 5 5 5		5 5 5 5	
AA	5 - 5 7 8 10 10 8		7 - 7 8 7 - - -	

	Bm		D	
Notes	F# - F# A B D D B		A - A B A - - -	
D	0 0 0 5 5 5 5		0 0 0 0	
A	1 1 1 5 5 5 5		0 0 0 0	
dd	2 - 2 4 5 7 7 5		4 - 4 5 4 - - -	
D	5 5 5 5 5 5 5		0 0 0 0	
A	5 5 5 5 5 5 5		5 5 5 5	
AA	5 - 5 7 8 10 10 8		7 - 7 8 7 - - -	

	D		Bm	D
Notes	A - A - A - F# A		B - B - A - - -	
D	0 0 0 0 0		2 2 0	
A	0 0 0 0 0		3 3 0	
dd	4 - 4 - 4 - 2 4		5 - 5 - 4 - - -	
D	0 0 0 0 0		5 5 0	
A	5 5 5 5 5		5 5 5	
AA	7 - 7 - 7 - 5 7		8 - 8 - 7 - - -	

	D		D	G	D
Notes	F# - F# E F# A E F#		D - D E E - - -		
D	0 0 0 0 0 0 0		0 0 0 0		
A	0 0 0 0 0 0 0		0 1 1 0		
dd	2 - 2 1 2 4 1 2		0 - 0 1 0 - - -		
D	0 0 0 0 0 0 0		0 0 0 0		
A	0 0 0 0 0 0 0		0 1 1 0		
AA	5 - 5 4 5 7 4 5		3 - 3 4 3 - - -		

MEETING DATES/HOSTS/HOSTESSES

The following people have volunteered to host the upcoming meetings. We always need volunteers - you will need to show up about 1/2 hour early to make sure everything is set up. You will also need to arrange for refreshments, but not necessarily bring them.

January 11, 1998 - Alma Chatfield

February 8, 1998 - Kathy Ivey

March 8, 1998 - Charlotte Pike

MEETING LOCATION/TIME

Second Sunday of each month from 2:30-5:00 at
The Folk Art Center Library, Blue Ridge Parkway, Asheville

The Folk Art Center is located on the Blue Ridge Parkway at Milepost 382, about 1/2 mile North of US 70, just East of Asheville. Take I-40 Exit 55 to Highway 70, then left to the Parkway, or take I-240 Exit 7 and go East on Highway 70 to the Parkway. The Club meets in the Library, at the top of the ramp as you enter the Folk Art Center.

Handicapped Access is available: From Highway 70, go West from the Parkway just past the VA Medical Center to Riceville Road. Go to the Folk Art Center Service Entrance. A ramp leads to a second floor entrance.

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