

The Flock of Budgies (hornpipe)

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Musical score for "The Flock of Budgies" (hornpipe). The score is written in G major (one sharp) and 3/4 time. It consists of four staves of music. The first staff begins with a triplet of eighth notes (G4, A4, B4) and continues with eighth-note patterns. The second staff continues the melody with eighth-note patterns. The third staff begins with another triplet of eighth notes (G4, A4, B4) and continues with eighth-note patterns. The fourth staff continues the melody with eighth-note patterns and concludes with a double bar line and repeat dots. Chords are indicated above the notes: G, Am7, Em7, D7, G, C, Am7, D7, G, Am7, Em, G, D, G, D, G, G, Am, G, Bm, A, A7, D, G, Am, G, Bm, Em7, D, G, D, G.

Anyone who may be interested in finding out more about the title of this tune is invited to find a very funny movie called "The Commitments". If you're NOT interested, just enjoy the tune with the knowledge that a budgie is basically a Celtic parakeet (and rejoice that your horizons have been broadened).