

Jack's Magical Pipes (hornpipe)

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The image shows a musical score for 'Jack's Magical Pipes (hornpipe)'. It consists of four staves of music in the key of D major (one sharp) and 2/4 time. The first two staves are the main melody, and the last two are the bass line. Chords are indicated above the notes. The first staff has chords D, G, A, Em, A, and A7. The second staff has D, G, Em, D, G, A, and D. The third staff has Bm, F#m, Bm, F#m7, and Bm. The fourth staff has Bm, F#m, D, Em, D, A, and D. There are triplets in the second and fourth staves.

There's a great story in O'Neill's "Irish Minstrels and Musicians" about a certain Jack Moore, a mediocre piper who became a great player after the fairies presented him with a new set of pipes. (There are different versions of this tale but the banjo doesn't figure in any of them.)

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T:Jack's Magical Pipes (hornpipe)

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L:1/8

M:Cl

Q:150

R:hornpipe

K:D

AGI"D"FGAd AFDFI"G"GBBd B4I"A"cdef "Em"gfedI"A"cABc "A7"AGFEI
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