

Nigel Gatherer's Scottish Collection



The Lismore Ferryman (John Renton)

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Musical score for mandolin in D major, 4/4 time. The score consists of 10 systems of music, each with a treble clef staff and a mandolin tablature staff. Chord symbols are placed above the treble staff. The tablature uses numbers 0-5 and includes fretting techniques like bends (marked with a dot) and slides (marked with a horizontal line).

Chord symbols used: D, G, Em, A7, Bm, D7, A, Bm, D.



Lismore Ferryman

Sources: *The Lismore Ferryman*: Composed by piano accordionist John Renton of Inverary as a tribute to the ferrymen. Pictured right is Duggald "Duggie" MacFarlane, ferryman aboard *The Swallow*, the ferry which serviced Lismore.