

# The Old-Time Collection



## Cherokee Shuffle (traditional)

Musical score for Cherokee Shuffle in D major, 4/4 time. The score consists of five systems of music, each with a treble clef staff and a mandolin staff (labeled T and B). Chords are indicated above the treble staff. Fingerings are indicated by numbers 1-4 on the treble staff and 1-4 on the mandolin staff. The score includes a double bar line with repeat dots and a final section with a 'Last time' instruction.

Cherokee Shuffle seems to be derived from an older tune called Lost Indian. The fiddler Tommy Jackson is credited for changing the latter into the former. It's more often played in the key of A, but I learned it - many years ago - in D. This setting is based on the way I play it. Tunes with more than the usual number of bars are known as "crooked" tunes.



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