

The **BLUEGRASS** Collection

Dixie Hoedown (traditional)

Musical score for mandolin in G major, 4/4 time. The score consists of five systems of music, each with a treble clef staff and a mandolin staff showing fret numbers. Chord symbols are placed above the treble staff.

System 1: G, C, G

System 2: D, G, C

System 3: G, D, C, G, G, Bm

System 4: Am, G, D, D7

System 5: 1. G, G; 2. G, D, C, G

I transcribed this tune from the playing of Jim and Jesse McReynolds on the American bluegrass CD *Mandolin Extravaganza*, which was put together by David Grisman and features some of America's greatest mandolinists. Dixie Hoedown is a good-going bluegrass tune with some nice double-stopping in the B part. I don't think it's tremendously difficult, so it may be a good opportunity to practise your pick direction.



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