

The Old-Time Collection



Ever See a Devil, Uncle Joe? (traditional)

Sheet music for mandolin in G major, 4/4 time. The score includes a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a common time signature of 4/4. The music is divided into five systems, each with a treble clef staff and a mandolin staff (labeled T and B). Chord symbols (C, G, D7) are placed above the treble staff. Fingering numbers (0-5) are placed below the mandolin staff. The lyrics are written below the mandolin staff in the fourth and fifth systems.

Chord symbols: C, G, D7, 1.G, 2.G, G, D7, G, D7, G, C, G, G, D7, G, G, D7, G, C, G, G, D7, G, G, D7, G, G, D7, G.

Lyrics:
All around this old world,
trouble on my mind,
Did you ev-er see a de vil, Un cle Joe? Did you ev-er see a de vil, Un cle Joe?

Usually the title Did You Ever See a Devil, Uncle Joe is given to an American version of the Scottish tune Mrs MacLeod of Raasay, but this tune is quite different, albeit with some similar rhythmic qualities. Transcribed from **The Spontaneous String Band** from the String Band Project LP from 1965.



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