

The Italian Collection



Tarantella (traditional Italian)

Musical score for Mandolin in 8/8 time, featuring a treble clef and a key signature of one sharp (F#). The score consists of six systems, each with a musical staff and a corresponding tablature line. The tablature uses numbers 0-5 to indicate fret positions on the strings. The piece includes various rhythmic patterns, including eighth and sixteenth notes, and features repeat signs and a double bar line with repeat dots.

The tarantella is a folk dance from Southern Italy named after the tarantula spider, or rather its effect on those it chooses to bite.

This one came from one of my old notebooks, and I would have copied out of a book at the library in the mid-1980s, when I was less scrupulous about noting sources.



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