

# Nigel Gatherer's Irish Collection

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## Around the World for Sport (traditional)

Irish jig

Chords: G Bm Em Em G Bm G D

Chords: D Em Bm A G D Em A D Em Bm A G D

## All Around the World (traditional)

Irish reel

Chords: D D G 3 D Bm A7

Chords: D D G 3 D Bm A D

Chords: D D A7 D 3 A7 D A7

Chords: G D D Em G A7 G D A7 D

Around the World

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## 1872 Around the World in Eighty Days

On this day in 1872 Phileas Fogg set out on his adventure to circumnavigate the world. Jules Verne's novel **Around the World in 80 Days** was published in 1873 and is one of his most popular works. Fogg accepts a wager of £20,000 that he can complete his round the world trip in 80 days and, accompanied by his valet Passepartout, the book describes his journey and trials.

The first tune is a jig version of an Irish reel which also goes under the name **The Sword in Hand**, although it probably stems from the Scottish tune **Hey the Bonnie Breastknobs**. The reel has the alternative title **The Wise Maid**.

