

The Irish Collection



polka

The Ballydesmond Polka No.2 (traditional)

Musical notation for The Ballydesmond Polka No.2 (traditional). The score is in 2/4 time with a key signature of one sharp (F#). It consists of three systems of music, each with a treble clef staff and a mandolin staff. Chords are indicated above the treble staff. The mandolin staff contains fret numbers for the strings.

System 1: Am G Am G Am Am

System 2: Em G Am A Am G

System 3: G Am Am Em G Am

The Ballydesmond Polka No.1 (traditional)

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Musical notation for The Ballydesmond Polka No.1 (traditional). The score is in 2/4 time with a key signature of one sharp (F#). It consists of four systems of music, each with a treble clef staff and a mandolin staff. Chords are indicated above the treble staff. The mandolin staff contains fret numbers for the strings.

System 1: Am G Am Em G G Am

System 2: G Am G Am Am

System 3: G Am G

System 4: Am G Am G Am



Ballydesmond Polkas

Two polkas named after a town in County Cork in the Sliabh Luachra area of Ireland. Ballydesmond No.2 is also known as "Maurice Manley's Polka" while Ballydesmond No.1 is also known as "Tom Billy's Polka".