

The Carolan Collection



Maurice O'Connor (Turlough O'Carolan)

Musical score for Mandolin in D major, 6/8 time. The score consists of five systems of music, each with a treble clef staff and a mandolin staff showing fret numbers. Chord symbols (D, A7, G, Em) are placed above the treble staff. The music includes a repeat sign in the third system.

Maurice O'Connor was the head of the O'Connors of Offaly. Although heir to the title, he was penniless and left Ireland in about 1700 to amass a great fortune in England. Carolan composed three pieces in honour of him; this is the third air.



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