

OLD-TIME MUSIC RESOURCES

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Old Time and Cajun Fiddle www.cathymason.net

Sources of OT Music

1. Field Recorders' Collective LLC (Ray Alden) www.fieldrecorder.com The FRC is an organization dedicated to the release of materials (music and photographs) from private collections. Although some recordings in the collections have been shared between collectors informally, never before have they appeared with the higher quality found in the FRC release. This is because of the technology available using pro-audio digital workstations. This is an extensive and impressive collection of traditional southern American roots music.

On-line Information

Old-Time Music Home Page. www.oldtimemusic.com. This web page has much information and many links to other old-time music resources.

Free downloads <http://slippery-hill.com/c/>.

In the summer of 2008, Horse Archer Productions announced a full length documentary called **Why Old Time?** The film explores the beauty and art of Old Time music and demonstrate why this particular type of roots music holds such power. www.whyoldtime.com.

Print Information

Play Me Something Quick and Devilish - Old Time Fiddlers in Missouri. By Howard Wight Marshall. University of Missouri Press 2012.

Explores the heritage of traditional fiddle music in Missouri. The author considers the place of homemade music in people's lives across social and ethnic communities from the late 1700s to the World War I years into the early 1920s. This exceptionally important and complex period provided foundations in history and settlement for the evaluation of today's old-time fiddling.

Dear Old Illinois - Traditional Music of Downstate Illinois. By Garry Harrison and Jo Burgess. Pick Away Press, Bloomington, Indiana 2007.

This book documents over 750 songs, ballads and fiddle pieces from this now bygone time. The music was collected from living sources in downstate Illinois beginning in 1932 and represents the

two most significant collections from the region, The David S. McIntosh and Garry Harrison collections.

Instruction

1. Learn To Play Old-Time Fiddle 1 and 2 taught by Brad Leftwich
2. Southern Old-Time Fiddle Tour. *An In-Depth Lesson in Traditional Styles*. Taught by Bruce Mol-sky
3. Peghead Nation - Online lessons from top instructors at very reasonable price.

The first two are available from **Homespun Tapes Catalogue of Music Instruction** www.homespun-tapes.com.

Jams

Old Time

Burren (Davis Square) Somerville, MA Hosted by Alan Kaufman alanfiddler@gmail.com .

BeBop. 1116 Boylston St. Boston, MA Every Sunday 7-10 PM

Celtic

Druid. 1357 Cambridge St. Cambridge, MA 02139
Inman Square

Mr. Dooley's. 77 Broad St. Boston, MA 02109

The Black Rose. 160 State St. Boston, MA 02109. (617) 742-2286

The Green Briar. 304 Washington St. Brighton, MA 02135. (617) 789-4100

The Snug. 116 North St. Hingham Square.

Boston Scottish Fiddle Club. Belmont, MA (FB page)

Canadian American Club. Watertown, MA

Bluegrass

Boston Bluegrass Union <https://www.bbu.org>

Bebop (see address above under Old Time)

South Shore Bluegrass Jam. Daddy's Beach Club 280 Nantasket Ave, Hull, MA