

# Johnny Cronin's Favourite Reel (G major)

traditional Irish Reel

transcribed and arranged by Frank Weber, learned from Dylan Foley's album

Recordings: Paddy O'Brien & Séamus Connolly: *The Banks of the Shannon* (1993); James Keane & Kieran Hanrahan: *The Tocane Concerts* (2002); Heather Breeze Céili Band: *Music in the Glen* (2004); Comhaltas Concert Tour 2003 - *From the Liffey to the Hudson* (2006); Orla Harrington: *Melting Snow* (2009); Ryan Hackett: *Comhaltas Live #367-2* (2011); Dylan Foley, Dan Gurney, Alec Finn & Brian McGrath: *Irish Music from the Hudson Valley* (2015); John Blake, Mairead Hurley & Nathan Gourley: *The Truckley Howl* (2016); Éilís Crean: *Searbh Siúcra. 21 Eddie Kelly Compositions. Bitter Sweet* (2017); Nathan Gourley, Laura Feddersen, Natasha Sheehy & Anna Colliton: *Ship in the Clouds* (2020); Adrian Connolly: *Adrian Connolly* (2022); Ian Bascombe: *Contented He'll Remain* (2025)

The musical score is written in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. It consists of six staves of music. The first staff begins with a treble clef, a key signature of one sharp (F#), and a 4/4 time signature. The melody is written on a single staff with a treble clef. Chords are indicated above the notes: G, G, Em, D, C, D. The second staff continues the melody with chords G, G, Em, D, and includes a first ending (1. C G) and a second ending (2. C G). The third staff has chords G, G, C, G, Am, D. The fourth staff has chords G, G, C, Em, G, Am, D. The fifth staff has chords G, G, G, Am, D. The sixth staff has chords G, G, Em, G, and includes a first ending (1. Am D) and a second ending (2. Am D).

Last line to finish:

The last line to finish is a single staff of music in G major, 4/4 time. The melody is written on a single staff with a treble clef. Chords are indicated above the notes: G, G, Em, G, Am, D, G.