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An Introduction to

# The Canjo

A Quick Guide to Playing  
5 Easy Fun Tunes

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# **A Quick Guide To Playing Your Canjo**

**The numbers on the song sheet correspond to the frets on the Canjo.**

**Zero should be played as an ‘open string’ by picking the string with the right hand without holding a fret with your left.**

**The number 1 means press the string at the first fret, number 2 the second and so on. For the best tone, press the string just behind the desired fret, not directly on the fret or in the middle of the fret.**

**Pluck the string with a Pick or your finger. Get into the habit of plucking the string both on the down stroke and the upstroke, otherwise as you progress you’ll only be able to play half as fast!**

## **Tuning Your Canjo**

**Your canjo will be tuned to a major key, usually D or G but as there is only one string, tuning is not really important unless you want to play with others or sing in a specific key to suit your voice.**

**HAVE FUN & HAPPY PICKING**

## LONDON BRIDGE

4 5 4 3 2 3 4 1 2 3 2 3 4

Lon-don Bridge is fall-ing down, fall-ing down, fall-ing down,

4 5 4 3 2 3 4 1 4 2 0

Lon-don Bridge is fall-ing down, my fair la-dy.

## IF YOUR HAPPY

0 0 3 3 3 3 3 3 2 3 4

If you're hap-py and you know it clap your hands,

0 0 4 4 4 4 4 4 3 4 5

If you're hap-py and you know it clap your hands,

5 5 6 6 6 6 1 1

If you're hap-py and you know it

6 6 5 5 5 4 3 3

And you real-ly want to show it

2 3 4 4 4 3 2 0 1 2 3

If you're hap-py and you know it clap your hands.

## A BICYCLE MADE FOR TWO

8 5 3 0 1 2 3 1 3 0

Daisy, Daisy, Give me your answer do!

4 8 5 3 1 2 3 4 5 4

I'm half crazy all for the love of you!

5 6 5 4 8 5 4 3

It won't be a stylish marriage

4 5 3 1 3 1 0

I can't afford a carriage

0 3 5 4 0 3 5 4

But you'll look sweet upon the seat

5 6 8 5 3 4 2 3

Of a bicycle made for two.

## DRUNKEN SAILOR

5 5 5 5 5 5 5 1 3 5  
What shall we do with a drun-ken sai-lor?

4 4 4 4 4 4 4 0 2 4  
What shall we do with a drun-ken sai-lor?

5 5 5 5 5 5 5 7 8 9  
What shall we do with a drun-ken sai-lor?

5 4 3 2 1 1  
Ear-ly in the morn-ing

## ADAMS FAMILY

0 3 5 4 3 1 4 0 2 4 3 1 0 3  
They're cree-py and they're koo-ky, my-ster-i-ous and spoo-ky,

0 3 5 4 3 1 4 3 2 0 1 2 3  
they're all to-ge-ther oo-ky, The Ad-ams Fam-i-ly.

0 3 5 4 3 1 4 0 2 4 3 1 0 3  
Their house is a mu-se-um, when peo-ple come to see 'em,

0 3 5 4 3 1 4 3 2 0 1 2 3  
They real-ly are a screa-um, The Ad-ams Fam-i-ly.

0 3 5 4 3 1 4 0 2 4 3 1 0 3  
So get a wit-ch's shawl on, A broom-stick you can crawl on

0 3 5 4 3 1 4 3 2 0 1 2 3  
we're gon-na make a call on, The Ad-ams Fam-i-ly.