

Knights of Saint Patrick (D maj)

traditional Irish Double Jig, a.k.a.: King of the Pipers

transcribed by Frank Weber, learned from Eoin Ó Riabhaigh's album

Recordings: Jimmy Power: Irish Dances Recording Sessions (1967); Kevin Taylor & Mary Conroy: Irish Traditional Music (1978); Leo Rowsome:

Rí na bPíobairí - The King of the Pipers (1969); James Kelly & Zan McLeod: The Ring Sessions (1995); Eoin Ó Riabhaigh, Conal Ó Gráda, Alec Finn & Colm Murphy: Ab Bodhrán (1999); Chris Droney: Down From Bell Harbour (2005); Eoin & Mhícheál Ó Riabhaigh: Tiomnacht - Handed

On (2000); Pride of New York: Pride of New York (2009); St. Roch's Céilí Band: ComhaltasLive #328-5 (2010); Patrick Madden & Friends:

Sounds of St Andrews (2010); Nada Ní Churraoin: Comhaltas Live #453-3 (2014); The Indianapolis Céilí Band: Comhaltas Live #502-8 (2016)

The sheet music consists of eight staves of musical notation for a single instrument, likely a fife or flute. The key signature is D major (no sharps or flats). The time signature is 6/8. The melody is a traditional Irish double jig. The notes are primarily eighth notes, with some sixteenth-note patterns and grace notes. Chords are indicated above the staff at various points. The first staff starts with a D note. Subsequent staves show the progression through the piece, with chords including D, G, Em, A, Bm, and A7.