

Coilsfield House

Nathaniel Gow
Arr. David James

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The musical score is arranged in three systems, each consisting of three treble clef staves. The key signature is one sharp (F#) and the time signature is 4/4. The first system (measures 1-3) has chords G, G, G, D7, G, D, D7. The second system (measures 4-6) has chords C, G, G, C, G, D, G. The third system (measures 6-8) has chords G, Em, Am, G, D. Each system includes repeat signs at the end of the first and third staves.

System 1 (Measures 1-3):
Chords: G, G, G, D7, G, D, D7

System 2 (Measures 4-6):
Chords: C, G, G, C, G, D, G

System 3 (Measures 6-8):
Chords: G, Em, Am, G, D

9 G C G C C D G

11 G C Am G D

13 G Am D G D G

Nathaniel was the son of the celebrated Neil Gow, and became, in his turn, one of the greatest Scots composers. His mother's name was Margaret Wiseman, and he was born at Inver, near Dunkeld, Perthshire, on the 28th May, 1766. He composed over three hundred tunes in Scottish styles and was known for being very courtly in manner. He died on the on the 17th of January 1831, at the age of sixty-five. Read about him on the web, at http://www.electricscotland.com/history/other/gow_nathaniel.htm.

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