



# Always Faithful

Gavotte

"The Nonpareil Guitar Folio" vol.2  
(1902)

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Sheet music for "Always Faithful" (Gavotte) by W<sup>m</sup> C. Stahl. The music is written for guitar, featuring a treble clef and a common time signature (C). The piece is marked *mf* (mezzo-forte) and includes a key signature of one sharp (F#).

The score is divided into three systems, each with a treble staff and a guitar-specific staff (labeled T, A, B). The guitar staff includes fret numbers (0-4) and fingerings (1-4).

**System 1 (Measures 1-4):** The melody begins with a half note G4, followed by a quarter note A4, and a half note B4. The guitar staff shows a sequence of frets: 0, 0, 3, 0, 0, 3, 2, 3, 4, 0, 3, 0, 0, 3, 0, 3, 1, 0, 1.

**System 2 (Measures 5-8):** The melody continues with a half note G4, followed by a quarter note A4, and a half note B4. The guitar staff shows a sequence of frets: 0, 0, 3, 0, 0, 3, 2, 3, 4, 0, 3, 0, 0, 3, 0, 3, 1, 0, 1.

**System 3 (Measures 9-12):** The melody concludes with a half note G4, followed by a quarter note A4, and a half note B4. The guitar staff shows a sequence of frets: 0, 0, 3, 0, 0, 3, 2, 3, 4, 0, 3, 0, 0, 3, 0, 3, 1, 0, 1.

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19

mf

0 0 3 0 0 3 3 2 3 4 0 3 0 3 1 0 1

0 0 0 0 2 2 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0

3 0 0 2 3 2 3

23

8

0 0 3 0 0 3 3 2 3 4 0 3 0 0 0 3 1 0 1 0 0 3 3

27

8 *f*

0 0 0 0  
1 1 3 3  
2 2 1 1

0 0 0 0  
0 0 1 1  
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0 4 0 2 0 4 0 2 3 2 0 4 0 2 2 3 2

31

Example 10 (continued)

35

mf

0 0 3 0 | 0 3 3 2 3 4 | 0 3 0 0 3 1 0 1

1 2 | 2 2 | 0 0 0 0

3 0 | 0 2 2 | 3 0 2 3

39

0 0 3 0 | 0 3 3 2 3 4 | 0 3 0 0 3 1 0 1

1 2 | 2 2 | 0 0 0 0

3 0 | 0 2 2 | 3 0 2 3