

# Hard Times

Stephen Foster

This musical score for "Hard Times" by Stephen Foster is presented in a simplified format for guitar. It consists of eight staves, each representing a measure of music. The notation includes a treble clef, a 4/4 time signature, and a key signature of one sharp (F#). The notes are represented by black dots on the staff lines, with some notes having stems. Intervals are indicated by numbers below the notes, such as +7, -8, +8, +9, -10, and +10. The score is divided into measures by vertical bar lines, and some measures contain a whole rest. The intervals are as follows:

Measure	Interval
1	+7, -8, +8, +8, -8, +8, +9, +9, +8
2	-8, +7, +7, -8, +7, +8, +10, -10, +9, +8, +7
3	-8, +7, +8, -8, +7, +7, +7, -8, +8, +8, -8
4	+8, +9, +9, +8, -8, +7, +7, -8, +7, +8, +10, -10
5	+9, +8, +7, -8, +7, +8, -8, +7, +7, +8, -9
6	+9, +9, +9, -9, +9, -10, +9, +10, -10, +9
7	+8, -8, +7, -8, +7, -8, +8, -8, +7, -8, +8, +8, -8
8	+8, +9, +9, +8, -8, +7, +7, -8, +7, +8, +10, -10

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A musical staff in treble clef with a key signature of one sharp (F#). The staff contains the following notes and rests: a half note F#4, a quarter note E4, a dotted quarter note D4, a dotted quarter note C4, a quarter note B3, a quarter note A3, a quarter note G3, a half note F#3 tied to the next measure, a quarter note E4, a quarter rest, and a whole rest. Below the staff, fret numbers are indicated for each measure: +9, +8, +7, -8, +7, +8, -8, +7, +7. The staff ends with a double bar line.

+9 +8 +7 -8 +7 +8 -8 +7 +7