

IT WAS A WONDERFUL YEAR

As recorded by Baden Powell, 1971

(From the 1974 Album GRANDEZZA ON GUITAR)

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Flute Gtr I

Guitar (Dropped D tuning) Gtr II

Tempo: $\text{♩} = 72$ (initially), $\text{♩} = 48$ (later)

Dynamic markings: *sl.*, *8va*

Accents: *acc.*

Technical markings: *3* (triplets), *8va* (octave), *H H* (harmonics)

Staff	Instrument	Notes / Fingering
1	Flute	Rests in first three measures, then eighth notes: G4, A4, Bb4, C5.
1	Guitar	Chords and melodic lines in D5 tuning. Includes triplets and slurs.
5	Flute	Octave transposition (8va) with eighth notes: G5, A5, Bb5, C6.
5	Guitar	Complex rhythmic patterns with triplets and slurs.

8va-----1

8va-----1

T 3 5 5 7 8 5 5 8 5 5 8 8 8 5 6

A

B

T 1 2 3 1 2 2 1 2 2 2 1 2 2 1 2

A 0 0 0 2 2 2 2 1 2 2 2 1 2

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

8va-----1

8va-----1

8va-----1

T 5 7 7 7 8 5 8 5 5 5 7 8

A

B

T 2 3 2 2 5 0 0 0 0 0 1 3 0 1

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

B 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3 2 0 2 3 2 3 2 0

8va-----1

8va-----1

8va-----1

T 7 7 7 7 5 3 5 2 3 5 6 5 3

A

B

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

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

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

H

♩ = 56

13 *8va*

T 4 5 3 5 2

A

B

H

let ring-----|

T 3 5 3 5 5 3 5 3 2 3 3 2 0 2 | 3 5 5 6 7 6 0 5 6 8 5 7 5

A

B 0 2 3 3 2 0 2 | 0 0 0 0 0 5 6 8

sl. H P

15

Gtr II

T 3 4 4 4 3 4 4 6 4 | 3 4 3 5 5 7 6 7 8 5 6 5 6 8

A

B 5 3 5 3 4 5 5 | 0 7 6 7 5 6 5 6 8

H P sl.

17

T 5 4 3 4 3 4 3 4 3 4 3 5 6 | 5 2 2 2 3 2 | (2) 2 3 2 3 5

A

B 5 3 4 5 3 5 3 4 3 4 3 4 5 | 0 0 0 2 3 2 | 0 2 3 2

sl.

20

T 3 0 0 0 2 3 | 2 3 3

A

B 3 2 0 3 2 0 3 2 0 0 0 | 0 0 0

$\text{♩} = 69$ $\text{♩} = 48$
8va-----

22

Gtr I

T
A
B

7 4 6

Gtr II

T 12 10 12 10 10 12 13 12 10 12 10 12 5
A 11 10 10 10 11 12
B 0 0 (0) (0) sl. 8 sl. 1

8va-----

26

T 5 8 5
A 7 6 8 5
B 8 8 8 8 6 8

P

Gtr III

T 8 10 10 10 8
A 0 0 0 0 0
B 0 0 0 0 0

8va-----

28

T 5 5 8 5 7 8 5 5 8
A 6 7
B sl. H P

8va

8va-----┐ 8va-----┐ 8va

T 5 8 8 8 7 8 5 6 5 6 7 6 7 2

A

B

H sl. sl.

T 0 0 4 2 3 2 3 2 5 2 3 2

A 0 0 4 2 2 3 2

B 0 0 4 2 2 3 2

Gtr II

8va-----┐ 8va-----┐ 8va-----┐

T 3 5 3 5 5 5 2 3 2 3 3 3

A

B

H

T 0 1 3 0 1 3 0 1 0 0 1 0

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

B 3 2 3 2 3 2 0 0 0 0 2 3 2 2 5 2

H

8va-----┐ 8va-----┐ 8va-----┐ 8va-----┐

T 5 3 5 2 3 5 6 5 3 4 5 3 5 2 2 0 2

A

B

H H

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

A 3 2 3 2 3 1 3 1 3 1 3

B 5 5 5 5 3 0 2 2 3 5 0

H

rit.
8va-----

♩ = 40

1

T 3 5 5 5 (5)

A

B

T 0 0 0 2 3 2 3 2 (G)

A 0 0 0 2 3 2 3 2 (G)

B 0 0 0 2 3 2 3 2 (G)