

## MacCrimmon's Lament

Donald Bàn MacCrimmon

Em Em Em D Em Em D Em

Em Em Em A Em D D Bm D Em

alt  $\underbrace{\quad\quad\quad}_3$  D G D D D D D G A

A D Bm G D G D A D

According to Hopekirk, this melody was composed in 1745 on the departure of Donald MacCrimmon by his sister. Another legend has it that Donald MacCrimmon had a premonition of his death and composed the tune the night before he died and that his sister later added the words. Donald MacCrimmon is said to have been killed in a skirmish in 1746 at the Rout of Moy during the last Jacobite Uprising. According to the Jacobite Dictionary, he was a piper of Lord Loudon's advance guard and was the only man to be killed at the Rout (spelled Route) of Moy. The MacCrimmons were famous pipers and the hereditary pipers of the Clan MacLeod. (See <http://www.contemplator.com/scotland/>).

## Return to the Stewartry

Ian Lowthian

Gm Eb F Gm Dm

Gm Eb F Gm (D7) Gm (D7)

Gm Cm F Bb

Eb Ab D D7 D7 D7 Gm

## Lady Margaret Stewart

(Also known as The Ale Is Dear, Tha Leann Daor Aig Na Gillean.)

Trad

Bm A D F#m Bm F#m Bm

Bm Bm G A A F#m Bm G G6 F#m Bm