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September On The Mississippi

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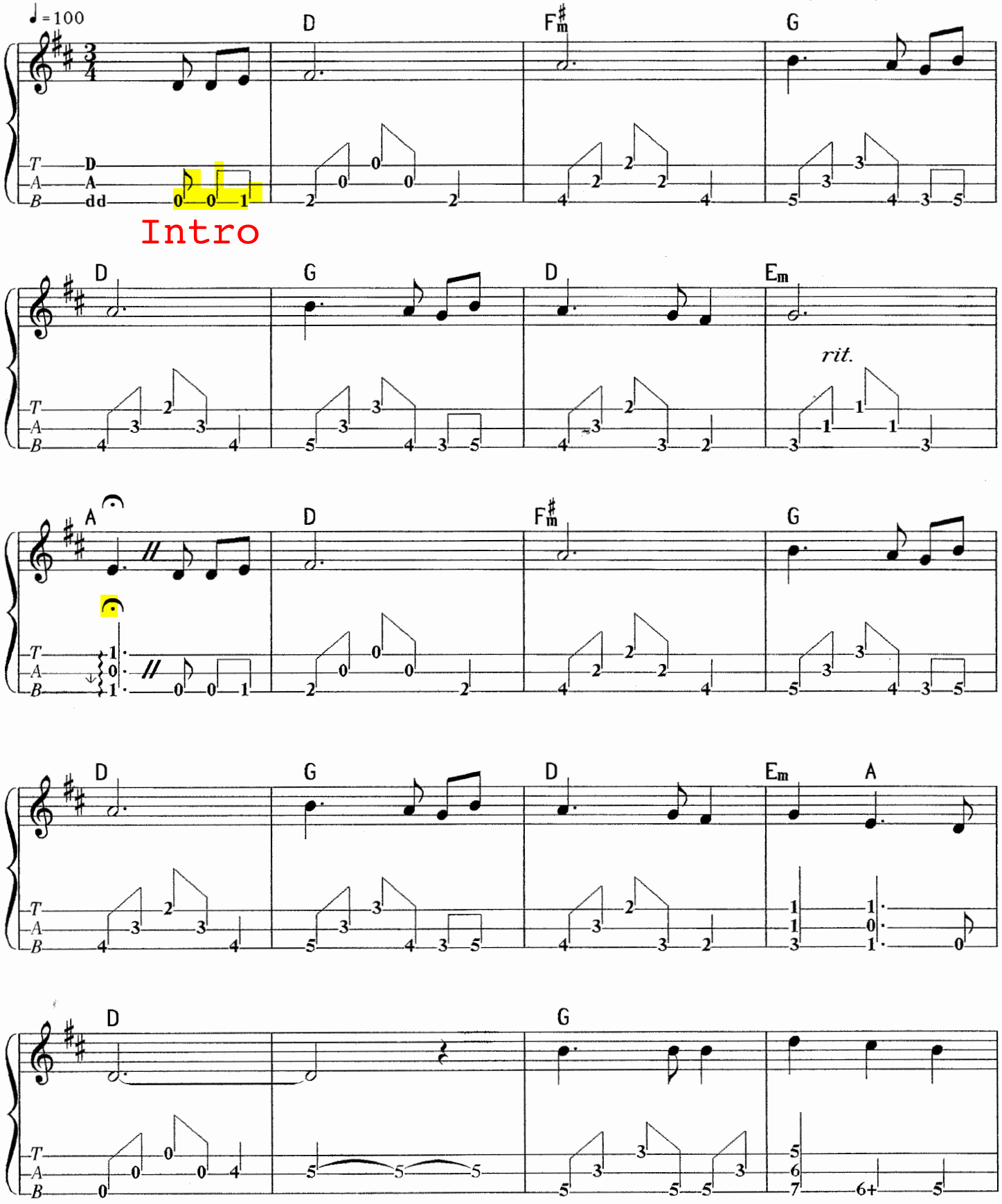

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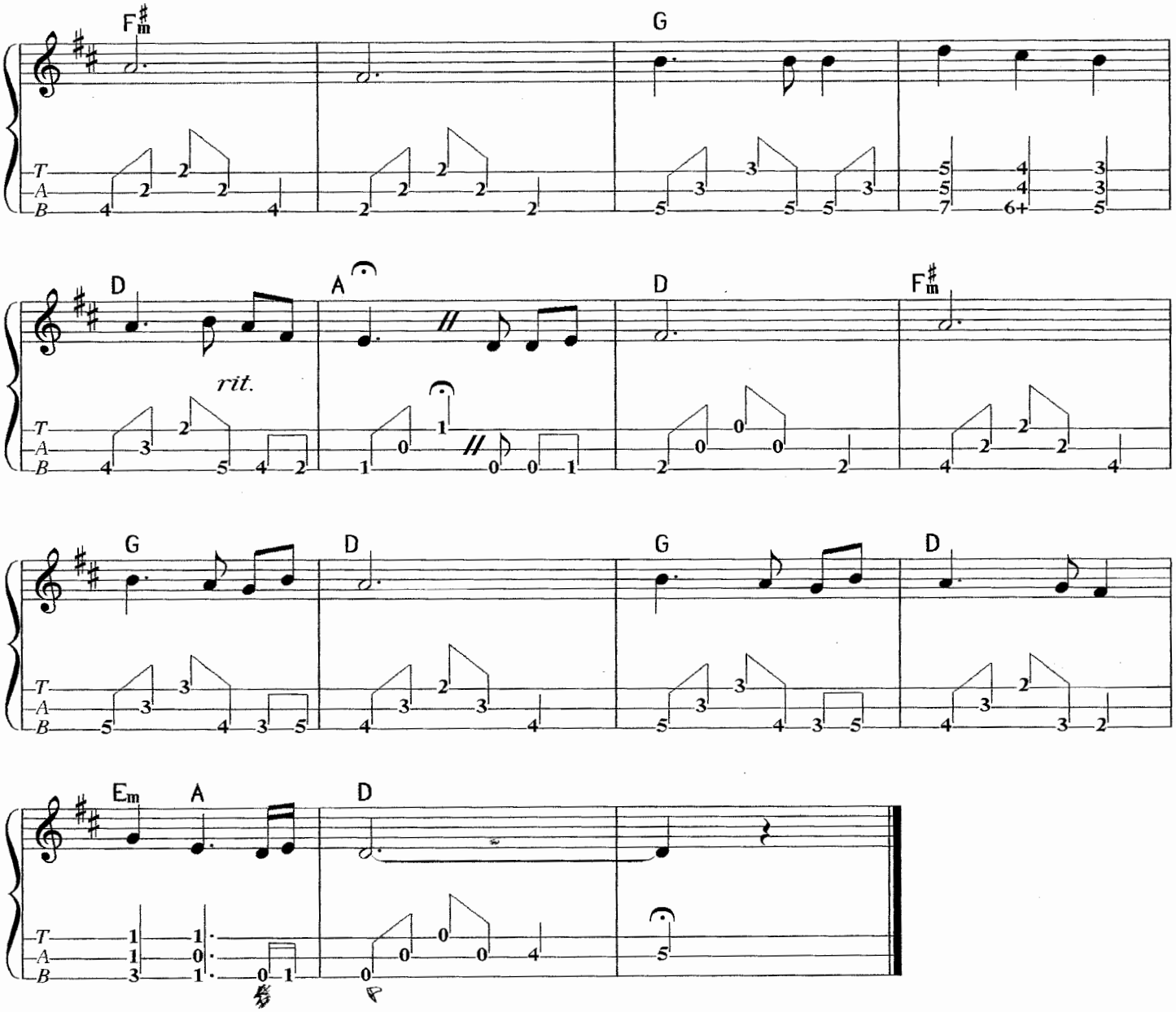

This is the very first tune I ever composed for the dulcimer. It came as the result of attending the Memphis Dulcimer Festival in September of 1990. I had been taking workshops throughout the weekend and began applying skills I had learned in the workshops to this tune.

Once, upon hearing a young dulcimer player do this tune I asked where he first heard it and he mentioned picking it up at a festival in Oklahoma. On another occasion, a woman from California wrote me to tell me how much she enjoyed the tune. In both cases I never discovered how either of them came across the tune since, at the time it had not been published or recorded.