

# Old Dan Tucker

First verse collected from concertina player Herb Tattersall by John Meredith. Other verses added by David Johnson 2009

The image shows the first two lines of musical notation for the song 'Old Dan Tucker'. The music is written on a treble clef staff in 2/4 time, with a key signature of one sharp (F#). The melody consists of eighth and quarter notes. Chord symbols 'D' and 'A7' are placed above the staff at various points. The lyrics are written below the staff, aligned with the notes.

D A7

Old Dan Tuck - er was a fun - ny old man. He washed his face in a fry - ing pan,

D A7 D

Combed his hair with the leg of a chair, Com - plained of a tooth - ache in his hair.

Old Dan Tucker had a funny old dog.  
He danced a jig on a hollow log.  
From dawn to noon he played this tune  
And beat out the rhythm with a fork and spoon

Old Dan Tucker had a funny old wife.  
She washed the clothes with a carving knife,  
Swept the floor with an apple core,  
Kept a big brown turkey in the kitchen drawer.

Old Dan Tucker had a funny old pig.  
She went to church in an orange wig.  
She lived in a sty made of apple pie  
And sang in the rain when the weather was dry.

Old Dan Tucker had a funny old chook.  
She put on a hat to read a book.  
She had a dolly peg for a wooden leg  
And played the piano when she laid an egg.