



Nigel Gatherer's  
**TUNE of the WEEK**

# 87: Salt Creek (traditional)

A 0 5 4 5 5 3	A 0 5 4 5 5 3	G 0 5 0 2 3 2 0 5	G 0 5 0 2 3 2 0 5
T	T	T	T
A	A	A	A
B	B	B	B

A 0 5 4 5 5 3	A 0 5 4 5 5 3	G 0 5 0 2 3 2 0 5	E7 A 2 0 5 0
T	T	T	T
A	A	A	A
B	B	B	B

A 2 4 0 0	A D 4 5	G 2 5	G A 2 0 5 2
T	T	T	T
A	A	A	A
B	B	B	B

A 2 4 0 0	A D 4 5	G 3 2 0 5 3 2 0 5	E7 A 2 0 5 0
T	T	T	T
A	A	A	A
B	B	B	B

An American old-time tune which I learned from a recording by Steve Turner (*Jigging One Now*, 1982). Steve is an English concertina player and singer, but he also plays old-time banjo. Years later I had the pleasure of playing with him in person. This is my attempt to make sense of the way Steve played the tune on the banjo.

