

Blackberry Blossom

Violin

Traditional

A G D C G C G A D

5 G D C G C G D G

B Em B7

9 Em D G

13

Performance Tips:

Playing a hoedown is a little different from playing your regular solos or orchestra music. You don't have to play exactly what's on the page, you just have to stay in the right key and keep the right number of beats.

Although there are a lot of notes in this melody, there are still ways you can personalize it for your own variation. One good way is to add drone notes in the "B" section. You can either use 4th finger for the E (as in beat 4 of measure 9) and play your open E-string as a drone, or hold your 1st finger on the D-string the entire time. (Tricky, but sounds great.)

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