

# Willie winks, my daughters way

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The image displays a lute tablature for the piece "Willie winks, my daughters way". It consists of seven systems of music, each starting with a system number in a box (10, 18, 25, 34, 41, 48). Each system includes a rhythmic line at the top, a staff with letters (a, b, r, d) and accidentals (grave accents) representing fret positions, and a lower staff with letters and accidentals representing the string names and their positions. The notation is a form of early musical shorthand used in lute books.

54

r r r e r e f r r a r d a d a d a a a d a d a r a a a g i C ar d d r d a

a a a a a a a a

63

r a d d a r d r a r a r r a d d a r r b, b r r r a

a a a a a a a a a a a a a a a a

71

a b d a r d r a d d b a, r a d r d d a r d a r d a r d a r

b a a a a a a a a a a a a a a a a

78

d r r d a r d r r d a r d a r d a r e f r b a a r e f

a a a a a a a a a a a a a a a a

85

a r d a r d a r d d b a b r a a a a r e b, e e

a a a a a a a a a a a a a a a a

93

r a b a a b d d b a d b a d a a b d a a a a a a b d a r e

a a a a a a a a a a a a a a a a

101

f d d d r b d a b, d b a r b r e e f r b r r b, r r

b a b d a b a b a, a a a a a a a a a a