

# CONTENTS

**Preface to the Revised Edition** 5

*By Howard Marshall*

**Foreword to the First Edition** 11

*By Alan Jabbour*

**An Introduction to Traditional Violin Playing in Missouri** 12

*By Howard Wight Marshall*

Style 13

    Ozark Style 18

    Little Dixie Style 19

    North Missouri Style 21

Contexts 22

    Jam Sessions 22

    Religious Services 22

    Fiddle Contests 24

    Community Dances 25

The Players 33

Tunes 33

The Project's History 33

Acknowledgments 37

**Biographies of the Musicians** 38

*By Amy E. Skillman, with Charlie Walden, Julie Youmans, and Howard Marshall*

R.P. Christeson 38

Bill Eddy 40

Lyman Enloe 43

Gene Goforth 46

Carol Hascall 49

Vesta Johnson 53

Dean Johnston 56

Pete McMahan 59

Cyril Stinnett 62

Howe Teague 64

Charlie Walden 67

Bob Walsh 70

Nile Wilson 73

**Tune Annotations** 77

*With transcriptions by Charlie Walden and Julie Youmans*

**Bibliography** 90

*By Barry Bergey and Howard Marshall*

**Discography** 96

*By Charlie Walden*