



# Joe Collins

## Mtn Dulcimer Workshops

New Hope Christian Church  
1400 South George Washington DR  
Wichita, Kansas

**Tuesday, May 20, 2025**

Sponsored by the Great Plains Dulcimer Alliance

<https://gpdaks.org>

### Schedule

**1:30 – 2:30 pm: Wrkshp 1 – Rosie's Last Waltz (Int)**

*A repertoire workshop for solo or duet playing. "Rosie's Last Waltz" is a song about an elderly woman who continues to dance long after her legs can no longer carry her. Learn two different parts for the song. Also learn to play with an accompaniment track which will be made available to all participants.*

**2:45 – 3:45 pm: Wrkshp 2 – Sweet & Gentle Tunes MD-Vol 1 (Nov & up)**

*While we appreciate fast & furious tunes, sometimes it's good to relax and play sweet, gentle songs on the mountain dulcimer. Let's face it; some songs are just prettier. This is a repertoire workshop of pretty tunes that are not that hard to play, but really make the soft melodious sound of the dulcimer shine. Includes "Braham's Lullaby," "All Things Bright and Beautiful," "Midnight on the Water," and others.*

**4:00 – 5:00 pm: Wrkshp 3 – Multi-part Hymn Arrangements – Vol. 1 (multiple levels)**

*Introduces hymn arrangements that include 2, 3, or 4 parts. This set includes "Dona Nobis Pacem (a round)," "Nothing but the Blood" (2-part duet), and "There Shall Be Showers of Blessing" (3-part). There's a part for you to play whether you are new to the dulcimer world or have tons of experience. The secret is playing together at whatever level you can.*

**5:00 - 6:30 pm – Potluck Dinner (church & dulcimer people invited)**

**6:30 – 7:30 pm – Concert**

**Cost for Workshops:** \$15 for one; \$25 for two; \$30 for three.

**Please register by contacting**

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