

# Irish Traveller Musicians



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### *The Great*

The uilleann piper, Johnny Doran is considered by many to be the greatest traditional musician Ireland has ever produced.

Doran's mastery of the pipes and all its available techniques on chanter and regulators was absolutely complete. A remarkably creative mind, his ability to apply variation in rhythm, ornamentation and melody at every repeat of a tune, marks him out as a true genius.

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