## **GRACENOTES**

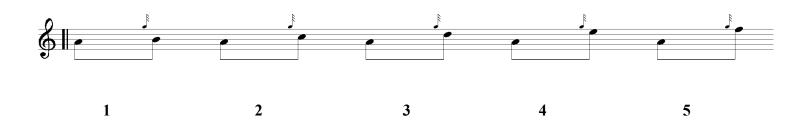
## **HIGH G GRACENOTE:**

The High G Gracenote is a quick up and down action by the High G finger (left index). The sound should be a small "chirp" and the action thought more as a "down" action so that the finger does not spend too much time "up".

This exercise practises the gracenote action. First play Low A. Then play a gracenote on Low A. Continue up the scale, first playing the note and then the gracenote on that note.



## **GRACENOTES UP THE SCALE:**



- 1. Play Low A. Lift High G gracenote finger up. Get bottom hand ready for B. Then put gracenote finger down.
- 2. Play Low A. Lift High G gracenote finger up. Get bottom hand ready for C. Then put gracenote finger down.
- 3. Play Low A. Lift High G gracenote finger up. Get bottom hand ready for D. Then put gracenote finger down.
- 4. Play Low A. Lift <u>HIGH G GRACENOTE FINGER AND E FINGER UP TOGETHER.</u> Then put High G gracneote finger down.
- 5. Play Low A. Lift <u>ALL THREE TOP FINGERS OFF TOGETHER.</u> Then put High G gracenote finger down to play F.