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The Great American Songbook - The Composers: Music And Lyrics For Over 100 Standards From The Golden Age Of American Song



Synopsis

(Piano/Vocal/Guitar Songbook). From Berlin to Gershwin to Carmichael to Cahn, this folio features a comprehensive collection of standards from the greatest American composers, along with photos and bios of these masters of song. Includes beloved standards such as: Ain't Misbehavin' * All the Way * Blue Skies * Cheek to Cheek * Come Fly with Me * Don't Get Around Much Anymore * A Fine Romance * Georgia on My Mind * Honeysuckle Rose * I've Got You Under My Skin * It Could Happen to You * Mona Lisa * Mood Indigo * Moon River * My Funny Valentine * Satin Doll * Stella by Starlight * Take the "A" Train * Time After Time * You'd Be So Nice to Come Home To * and dozens more.

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Good, wide-ranging selection of 100 songs. Good arrangements, including guitar chords. Well printed - easy to read. Includes brief biographies of the composers.

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so I thought it SURELY would be something I could easily read on an iPad, but it won't let me resize, so I can't see it well enough to read and play on a HUGE Mac display...I hate this.

I haven't tested the arrangements yet, but the selection is fantastic! There are usually a few greats mixed in with mostly clunkers in any collection. I haven't seen a clunker. Thicker than I expected, but it does stay open if you lay it flat.

Absolutly good! The piano harmony is very delicate. Enjoy it very much!

all above cd well worth the price if you like piano music. art pepin

Medium skill level. Some arrangements are too easy.

Advanced ability . Many arrangements in keys other than C.

Amazing!! If you love music from this era, you will love this book. The short bio's on the composers makes a great coffee-table conversation piece as well. The chords are identified beautifully and makes one feel like a true musician.

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