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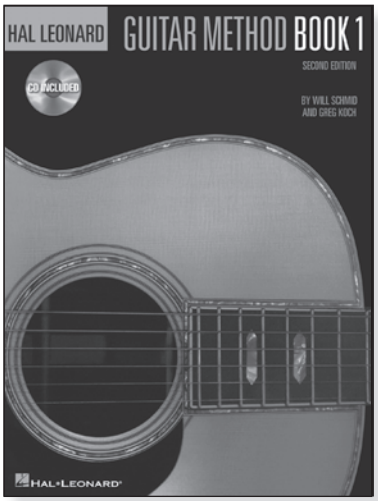
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Greg Koch is a successful bandleader, studio musician, author, magazine contributor, clinician and recording artist. He's won many awards, including the prestigious Bluesbreaker Guitar Showdown, is a recording guitarist for Steve Vai's Favored Nations label, and a Fender clinician.

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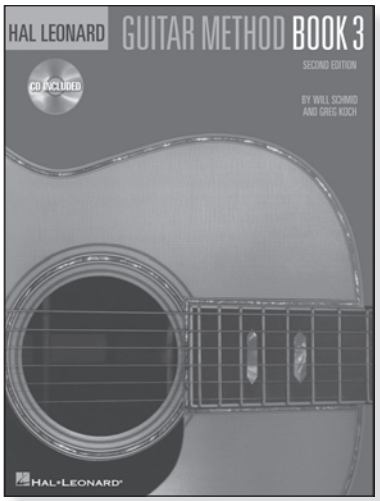


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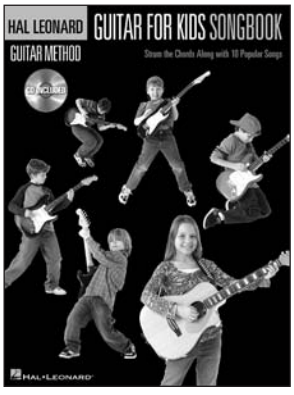
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by Bob Morris and Jeff Schroedl

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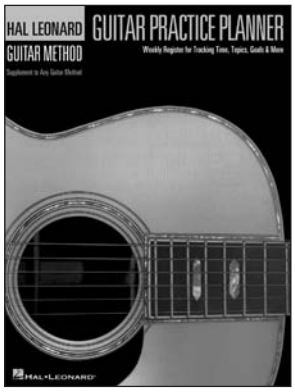
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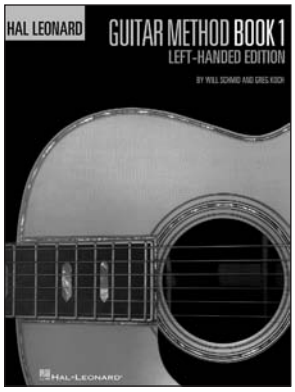


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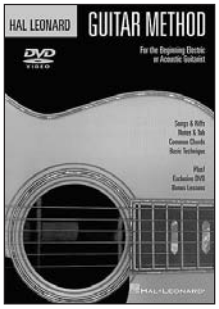
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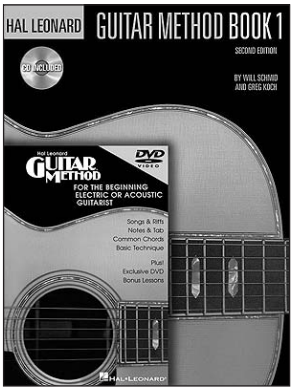
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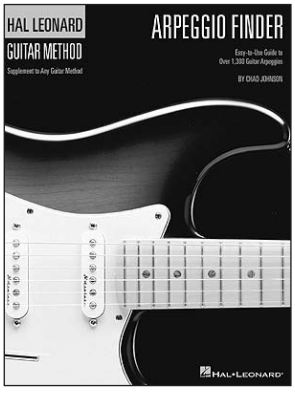


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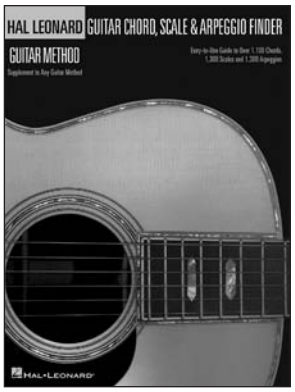
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Arpeggio Finder for Guitar is an extensive reference guide to over 1,300 arpeggio shapes. It's essential for absolute beginners or those who need to brush up on their skills. Twenty-eight different qualities are covered for each key, and each quality is presented in four different shapes. Open strings are used when possible, but most of the shapes are moveable, and therefore easily transposed to any key. The shapes are shown first with a sixth-string root, then with a fifth-string root. There are a few shapes built off the fourth string as well. Most of the arpeggios (besides the extensions) span two full octaves. A fingerboard chart of the guitar neck is provided for reference.

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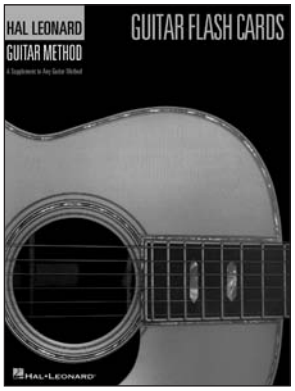


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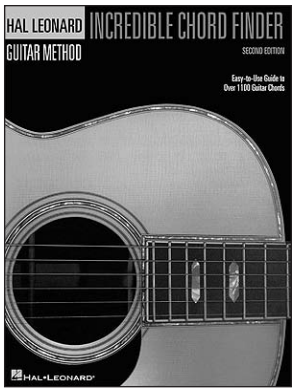
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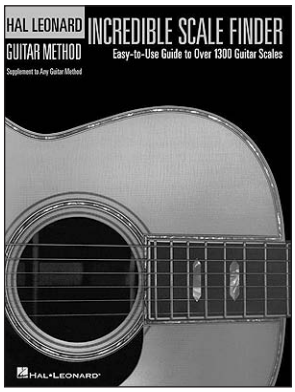


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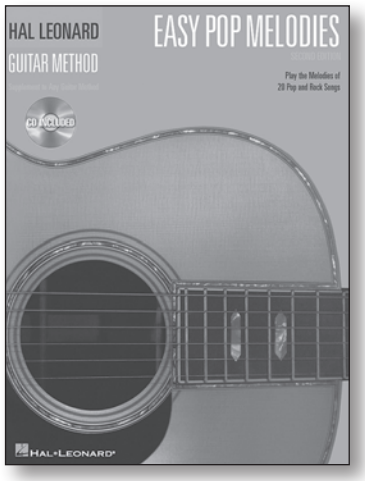
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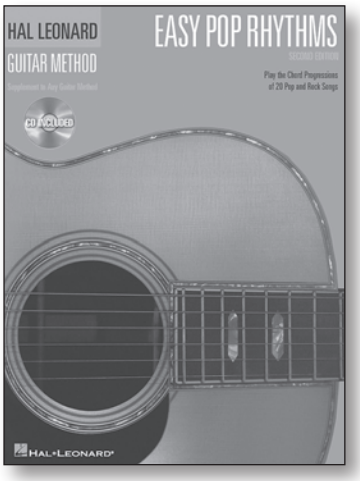
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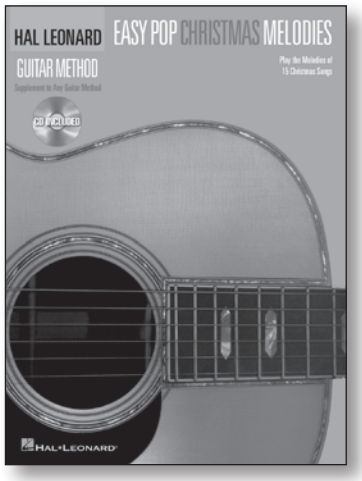
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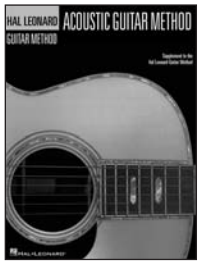
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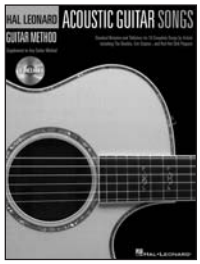


ACOUSTIC GUITAR METHOD

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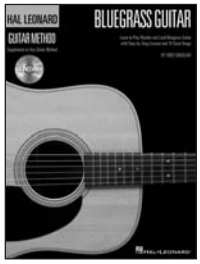


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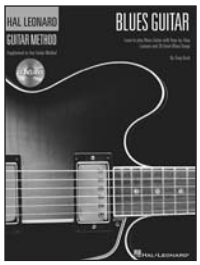


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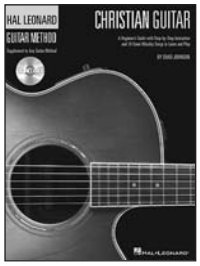


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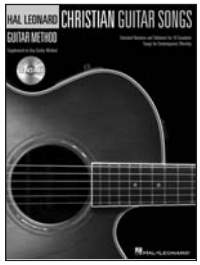
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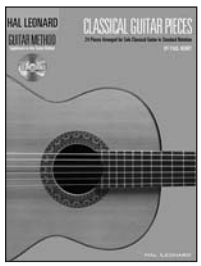


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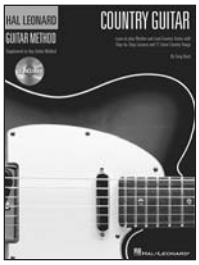


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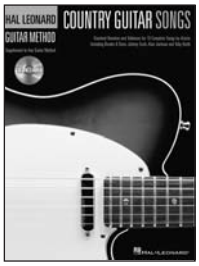
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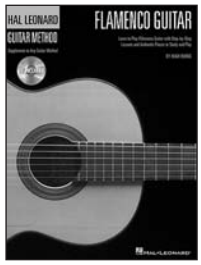
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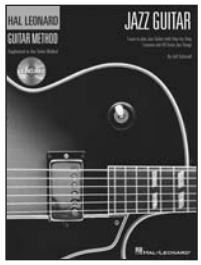
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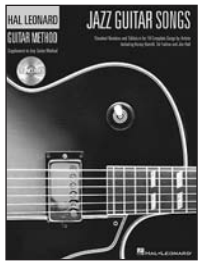
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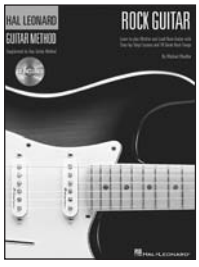
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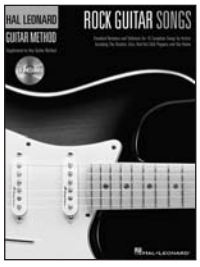
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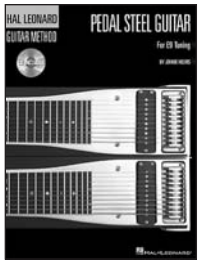


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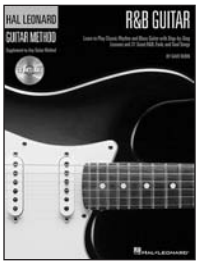
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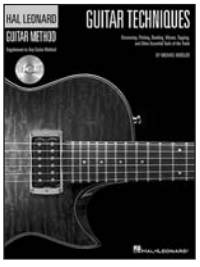
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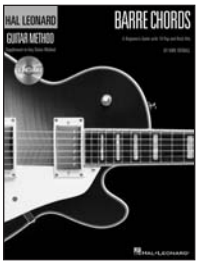
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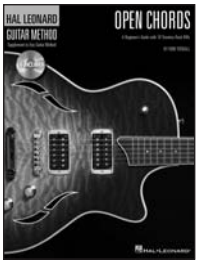
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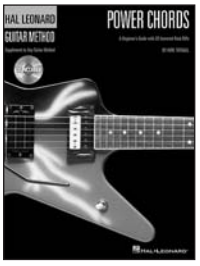
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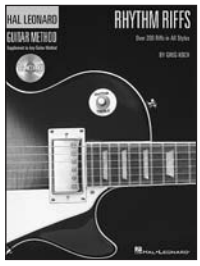
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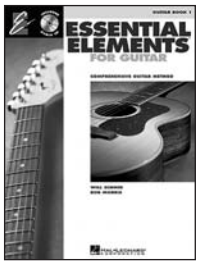
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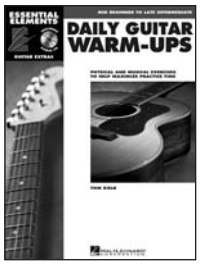


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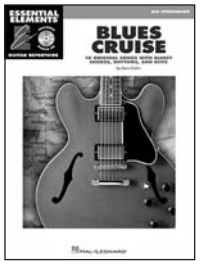
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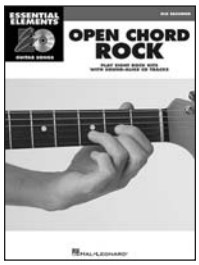
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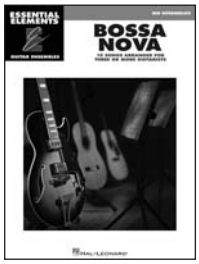
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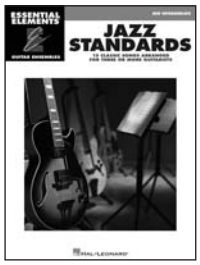


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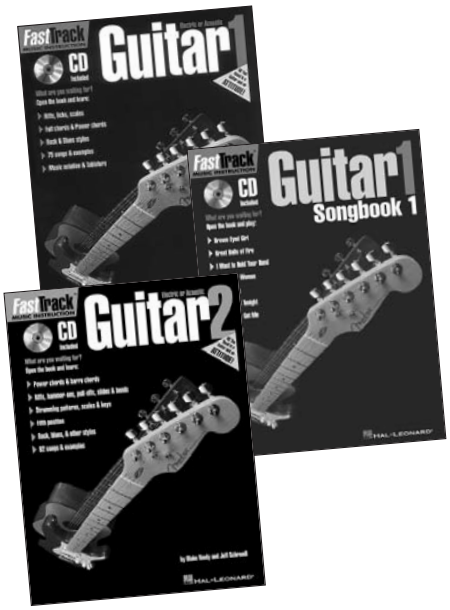
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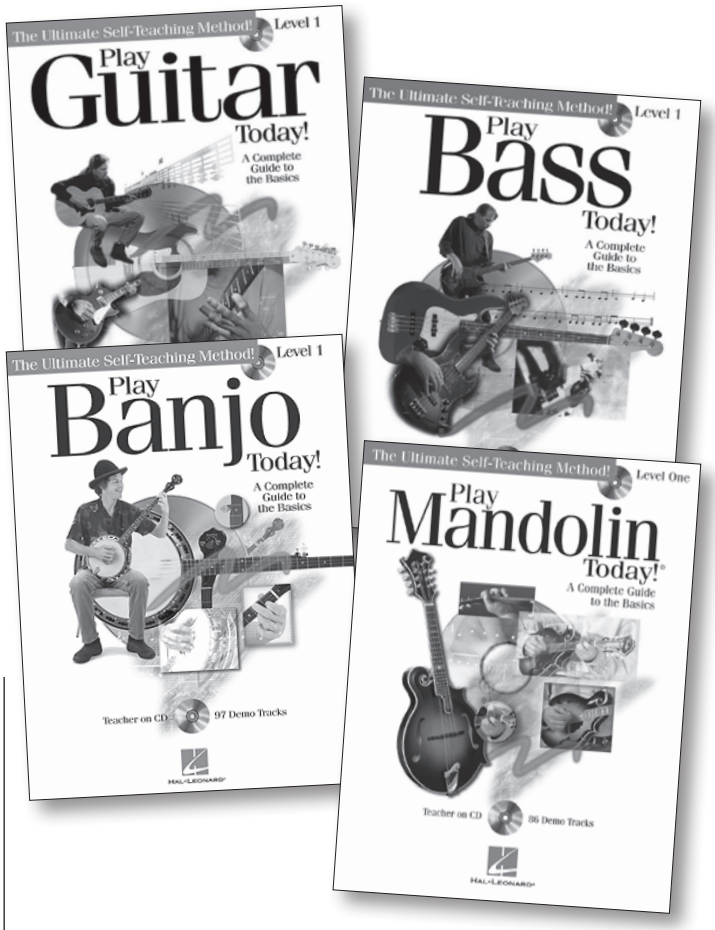
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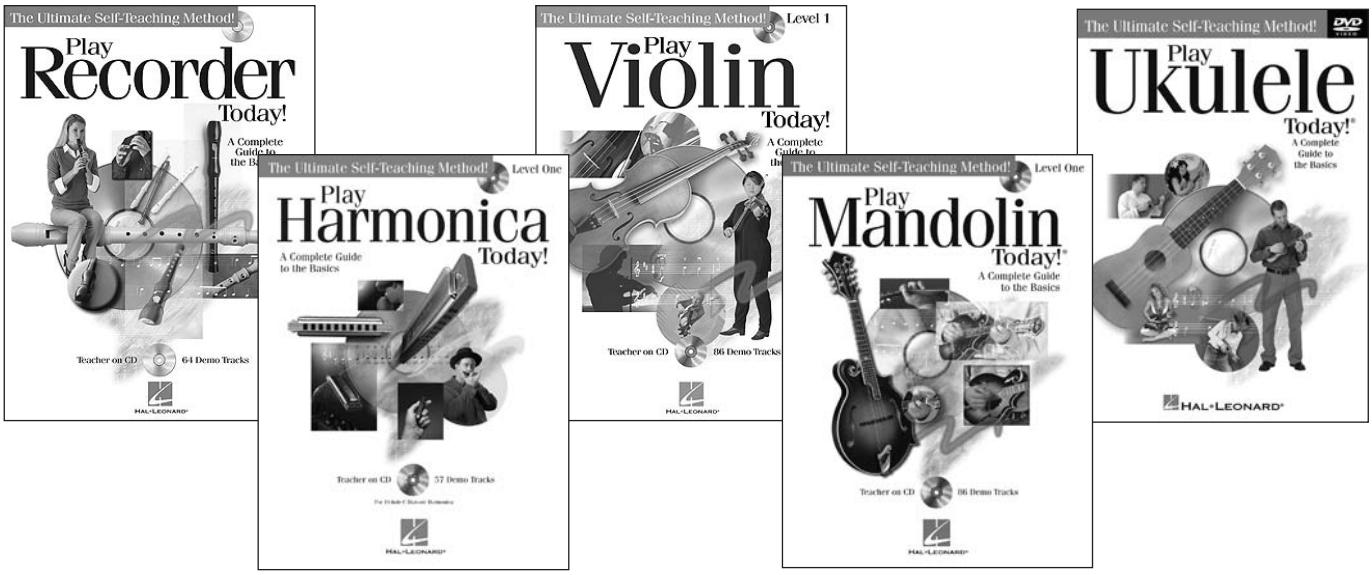
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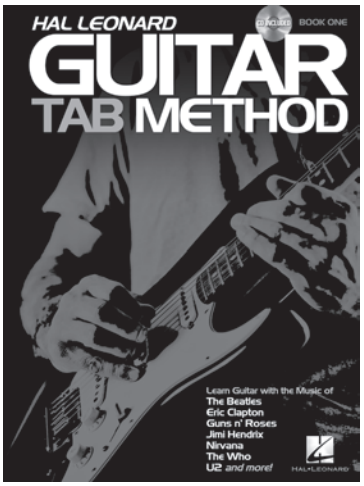
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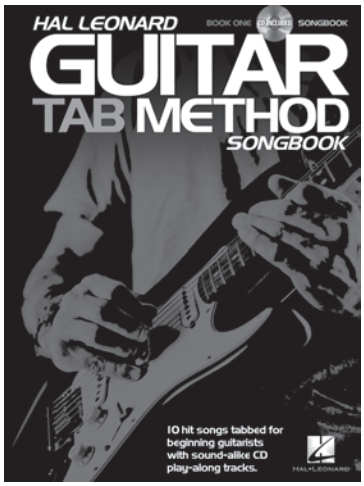
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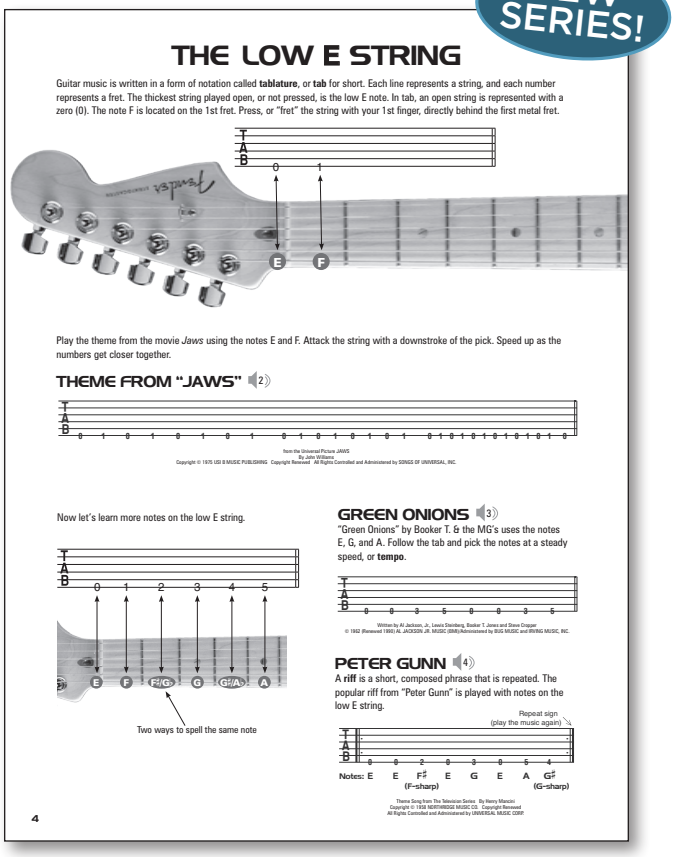
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Play the theme from the movie *Jaws* using the notes E and F. Attack the string with a downstroke of the pick. Speed up as the numbers get closer together.

THEME FROM "JAWS" 2

Now let's learn more notes on the low E string.

Two ways to spell the same note

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"Green Onions" by Booker T. & the MG's uses the notes E, G, and A. Follow the tab and pick the notes at a steady speed, or **tempo**.

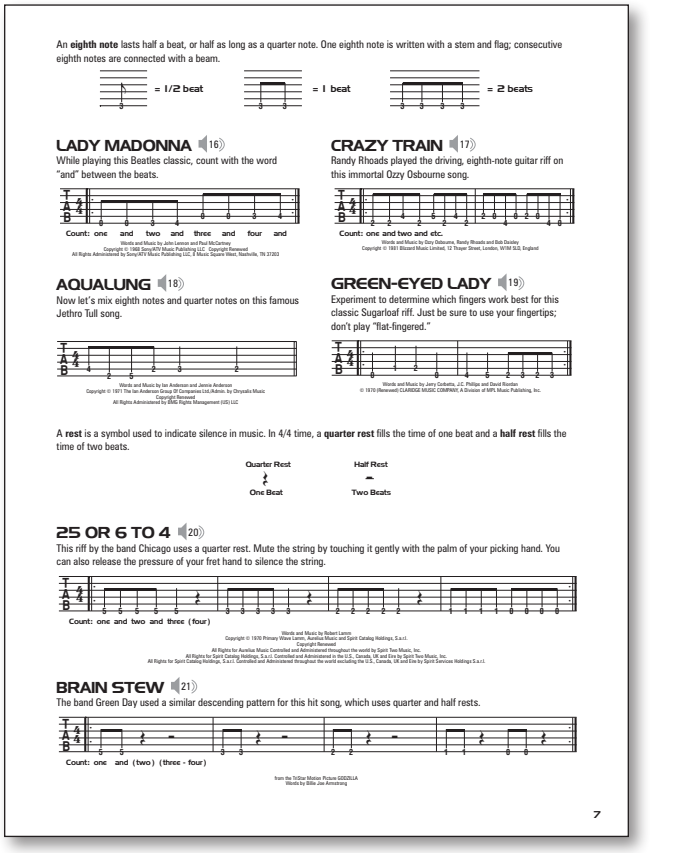
PETER GUNN 4

A **riff** is a short, composed phrase that is repeated. The popular riff from "Peter Gunn" is played with notes on the low E string.

Repeat sign (play the music again)

Notes: E E F♯ (F-sharp) E G E A G♯ (G-sharp)

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An **eighth note** lasts half a beat, or half as long as a quarter note. One eighth note is written with a stem and flag; consecutive eighth notes are connected with a beam.

= 1/2 beat = 1 beat = 2 beats

LADY MADONNA 16

While playing this Beatles classic, count with the word "and" between the beats.

Count: one and two and three and four and

CRAZY TRAIN 17

Randy Rhoads played the driving, eighth-note guitar riff on this immortal Ozzy Osbourne song.

Count: one and two and etc.

AQUALUNG 18

Now let's mix eighth notes and quarter notes on this famous Jethro Tull song.

GREEN-EYED LADY 19

Experiment to determine which fingers work best for this classic Sugarloaf riff. Just be sure to use your fingertips; don't play "flat-fingered."

A **rest** is a symbol used to indicate silence in music. In 4/4 time, a **quarter rest** fills the time of one beat and a **half rest** fills the time of two beats.

Quarter Rest — One Beat

Half Rest — Two Beats

25 OR 6 TO 4 20

This riff by the band Chicago uses a quarter rest. Mute the string by touching it gently with the palm of your picking hand. You can also release the pressure of your fret hand to silence the string.

Count: one and two and three (four)

BRAIN STEW 21

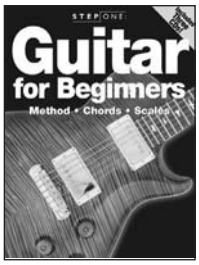
The band Green Day used a similar descending pattern for this hit song, which uses quarter and half rests.

Count: one and (two) (three - four)

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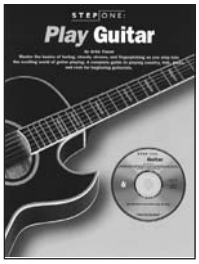


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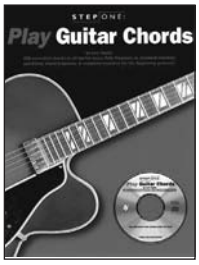
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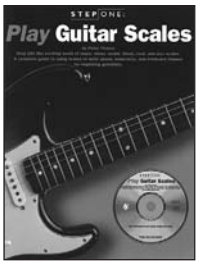
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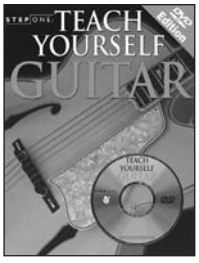
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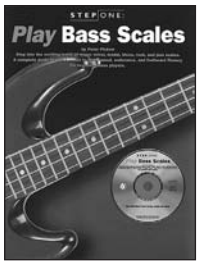
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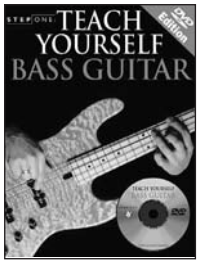
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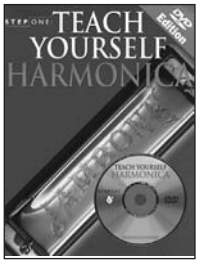
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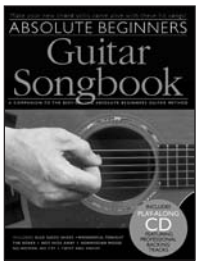
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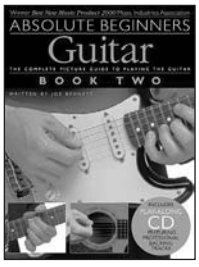


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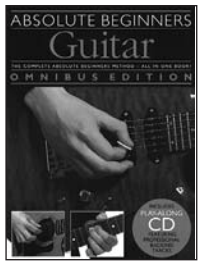
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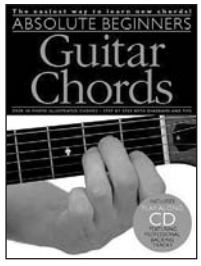
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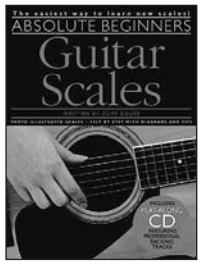
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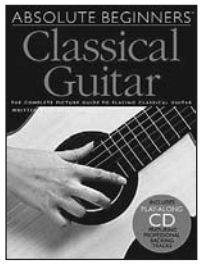
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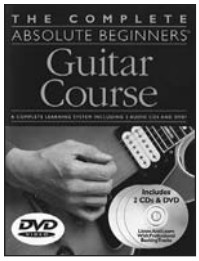
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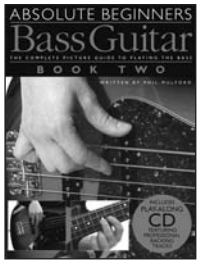
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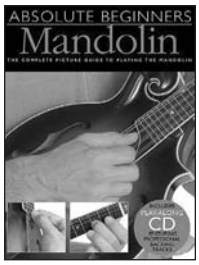
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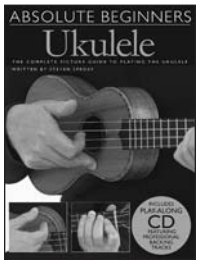
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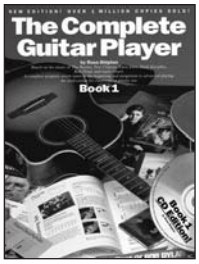


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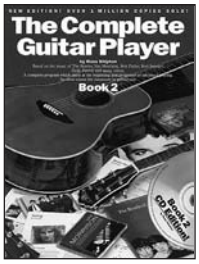
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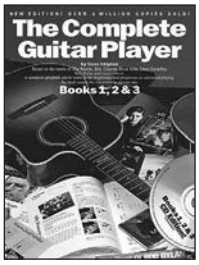
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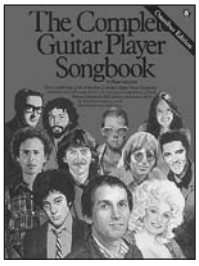
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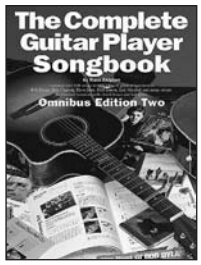
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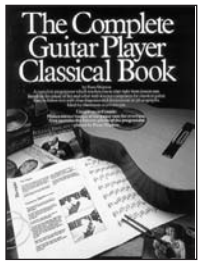
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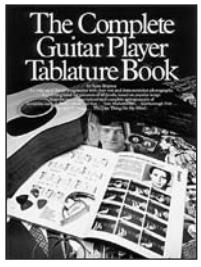
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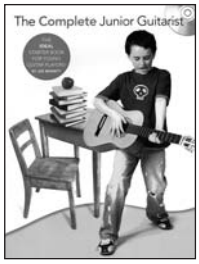
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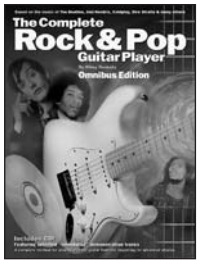
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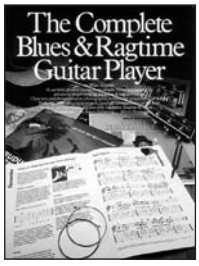
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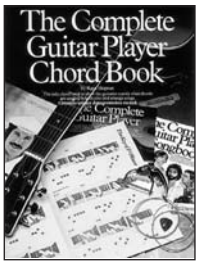
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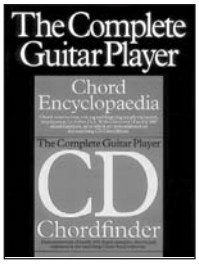
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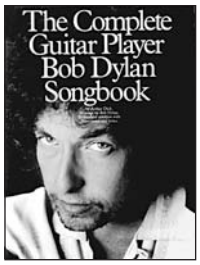
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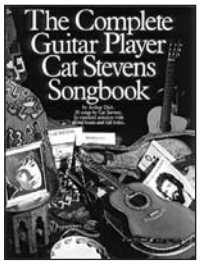
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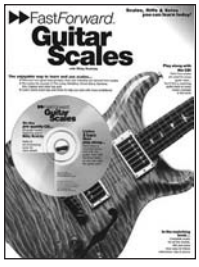
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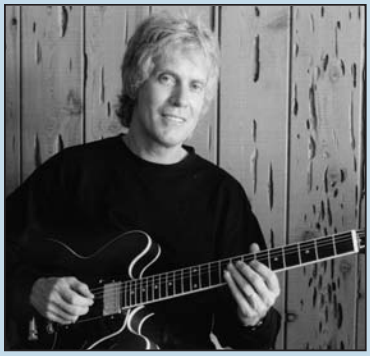
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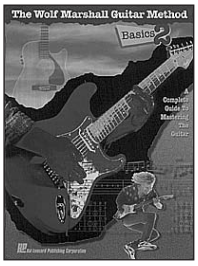


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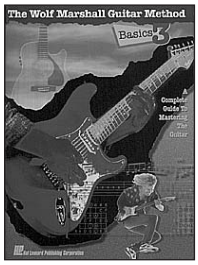
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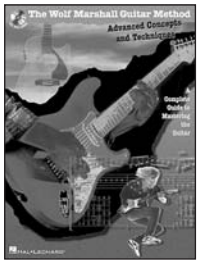
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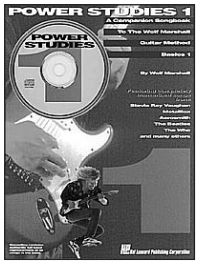
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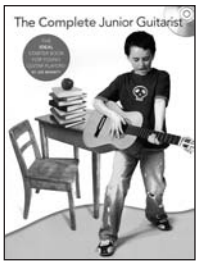
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This popular method starts young children on their musical journey by teaching basic principals of guitar playing. It begins with the parts of the guitar, how to comfortably hold the instrument, right and left hand positioning and tuning. Easy step-by-step playing examples are used to teach chords, picking, strumming patterns and single note melodies. It uses plain language that makes it easy to understand major and minor chords, rhythm and timing. Have fun playing complete song rhythms with full band backing tracks that give children the feel and excitement of playing with other musicians.

This program developed by renowned guitar instructor John McCarthy includes a follow along DVD that illustrates the playing examples through close-up views of each hand, Players Perspective Views and a Video Chord Chart that shows how to play the most popular chords and what they should sound like. There is even a section that will teach kids to change strings and care for their guitar!

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THE COMPLETE JUNIOR GUITARIST

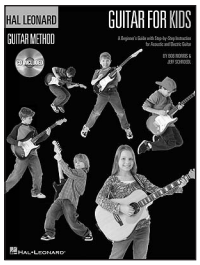
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by Joe Bennett

Music Sales America

The long-awaited book from Joe Bennett, author of numerous best-selling guitar titles, is the perfect starter course for young boys and girls. Expert advice on all the key areas: advice about what sort of guitar to buy, holding the guitar properly, tuning up, basic chords and strumming patterns, mastering all of the basics. This fully-illustrated book also features a wide range of songs all specially composed to be easy to play so that great-sounding results come faster! Start them right with the book that delivers fast-track learning from day one.

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GUITAR FOR KIDS

A BEGINNER'S GUIDE WITH STEP-BY-STEP INSTRUCTION FOR ACOUSTIC AND ELECTRIC GUITAR

by Bob Morris and Jeff Schroedl

Guitar for Kids is a fun, easy course that teaches children to play guitar faster than ever before. Popular songs such as "Yellow Submarine," "Hokey Pokey," "I'm a Believer," "Surfin' U.S.A.," "This Land Is Your Land" and "Hound Dog" keep students motivated, and the clean, simple page layouts ensure their attention remains focused on one concept at a time. The method is equally suitable for students using electric or acoustic guitars. It can be used in combination with a guitar teacher or parents, even if they've never had any musical training themselves. The accompanying CD contains more than 30 tracks for demonstration and play-along. No tablature included.

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GUITAR FOR KIDS SONGBOOK

Book/CD Pack

Strum your favorite hits from the Beatles, the Police, Steve Miller, and more! *Guitar for Kids Songbook* is a useful supplement to the *Guitar for Kids Method Book* as the songs follow the chords in the order they are taught, beginning with simple two- and three-chord songs and ending with songs that contain four and five chords. 10 songs, including: At the Hop • Feelin' Alright • Fly like an Eagle • Jambalaya (On the Bayou) • Love Me Do • Paperback Writer • Three Little Birds.

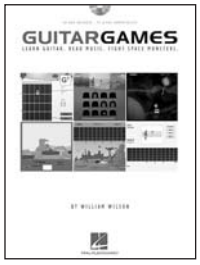
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GUITAR FOR KIDS METHOD & SONGBOOK

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This convenient pack combines the *Guitar for Kids* Method and Songbook for all-in-one learning.

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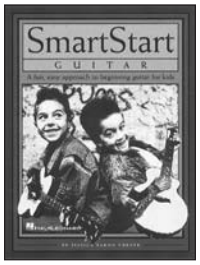
NEW! CD ROM

LEARN GUITAR. READ MUSIC. FIGHT SPACE MONSTERS.

by William Wilson

Any new skill is easier to acquire when the task of learning is made fun. Why shouldn't the same hold true for learning the guitar? In *Guitar Games*, you'll be developing the same skills and knowledge you would by taking lessons, but you'll be thoroughly enjoying yourself in the process with fun, clever computer games that keep you motivated to do more. *Guitar Games* covers topics such as: notes on the fretboard and staff, chord shapes, key signatures and scales, ear training with intervals and chords, music theory and building chords/scales, musical theory, and more.

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SMARTSTART GUITAR

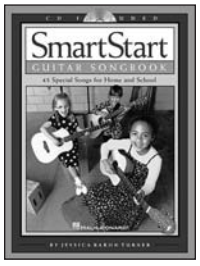
A FUN, EASY APPROACH TO BEGINNING GUITAR FOR KIDS

by Jessica Baron Turner

Students as young as four succeed with *SmartStart Guitar*. They'll learn the fundamentals and eventually strum and sing 19 favorite songs, including: Are You Sleeping • Old MacDonald Had a Farm • This Old Man • Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star • and more.

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SMARTSTART GUITAR SONGBOOK

by Jessica Baron Turner

43 special songs for home and school, in arrangements designed to help beginners of all ages begin to hear, feel and remember the music. Songs include: America • Apples and Bananas • The Boll Weevil • Casey Jones • The Ballad of John Henry • Lincoln and Liberty • Shenandoah • Simple Gifts • and more.

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SMARTSTART GUITAR EN ESPAÑOL

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METHOD & SONGBOOK

by Jessica Baron Turner, Alexander Marshall, Cecilia Phillips &

26 beautiful songs in both Spanish and English with classics such as: Caballito blanco • Cielito lindo • De colores • Guantanamera • La Cucarach • La Bamba • Las Mananitas • Mi Gallo • and more. The book includes simple guitar instruction, easy guitar arrangements, standard melodic notation and chords, lyric sheets for sing-along duplication, cultural information about specific songs, and ready-to-use lesson plans for integrating music into school.

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ALL ABOUT GUITAR

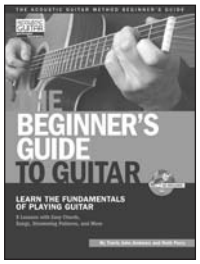
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A Fun and Simple Guide to Playing Guitar

by Tom Kolb

Whether it's learning to read music, playing in a rock band, finding the right instrument, or all of the above, this enjoyable guide will help you to finally start playing your favorite songs in many different styles. Plus, learn interesting tidbits on guitar gear, care and maintenance, ad other fun stuff about the guitar. Learn to play 25 songs, including: Dust in the Wind • Iron Man • Pride and Joy • Smoke on the Water • Sultans of Swing • Takin' Care of Business • You've Got a Friend • and more.

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Learn the Fundamentals of Playing Guitar

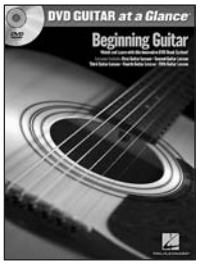
by Travis John Andrews and Ruth Parry

Acoustic Guitar Private Lessons

String Letter Publishing

Learn to play guitar the fun and easy way, right from the beginning! Whether your passions lie in rock, jazz, fingerstyle, blues, or any other style of music, the lessons in *The Beginner's Guide to Guitar* will introduce you to chords, melodies, and rhythmic patterns you need to start playing today. With this pack you'll learn: to play simple, three- and four-note chords; the notes on the guitar's strings; to strum new rhythm patterns; how to play 32 fun, easy songs – arranged for two guitars, complete with tab.

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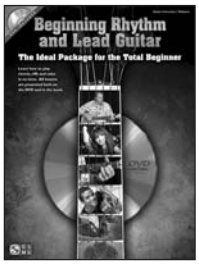
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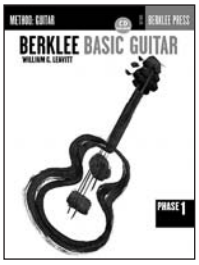
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The Ideal Package for the Total Beginner

Cherry Lane Music

If you're an absolute beginner, this book/DVD is for you. On the DVD, guitar instructor Jeff Bihlman is your personal guide to playing chords, riffs, and solos so that you can rock out on the world's coolest instrument – the guitar. You'll learn how to: hold the guitar • tune the guitar • read chord diagrams and tablature • strum • play chord progressions • make the guitar talk with bends, slides and vibrato • play solo • play barre chords • and so much more! All lessons are presented both in the book and on the DVD.

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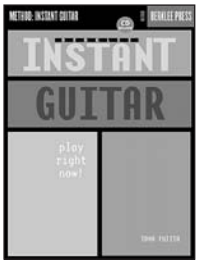
BERKLEE BASIC GUITAR, PHASE 2

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This phase includes solo, two-part, and three-part ensemble arrangements of traditional and newly composed music for the beginning to intermediate student or class.

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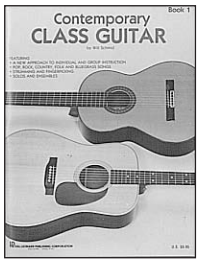
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Features tips on playing and locking in with a band, strategies to help you understand the guitar and develop your own guitar parts, and solid chords and rhythm-guitar patterns you'll use in these tunes and beyond.

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A revolutionary course of instruction for class guitar offering the ultimate in solid educational value and maintenance of student interest. Many popular songs, including: Eleanor Rigby • By the Time I Get to Phoenix • Hey Jude • Yesterday • The Long and Winding Road • It's Hard to Be Humble • Daniel • and more!

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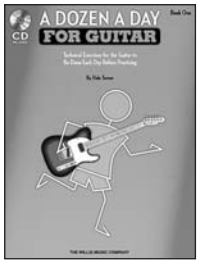


AL DI MEOLA PRESENTS THE ULTIMATE FIRST GUITAR BOOK

by Bob Aslanian

Unlike other beginning guitar method books, *The Ultimate First Guitar Book* will teach you all of the notes on the guitar through the fifth position, all of the most common open string chords, and both flat and sharp keys. In addition, you will learn the basics of guitar technique and music theory.

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A DOZEN A DAY FOR GUITAR – BOOK 1

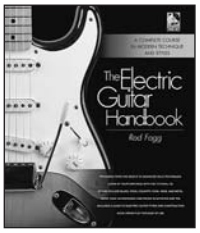
Technical Exercises for the Guitar to Be Done Each Day Before Practicing

by Dale Turner

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A Dozen a Day for Guitar takes the same approach to warm-up exercises as Edna Mae Burnam's acclaimed "Dozen a Day" series for piano. Examples are both challenging and entertaining, which makes practicing fun! CD included with 61 audio tracks.

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THE ELECTRIC GUITAR HANDBOOK

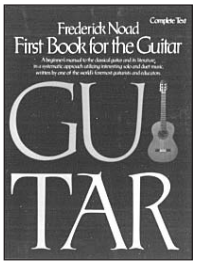
A Complete Course in Modern Technique and Styles

by Rod Fogg

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by Frederick Noad

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FRETBOARD ROADMAPS FOR THE BEGINNING GUITARIST

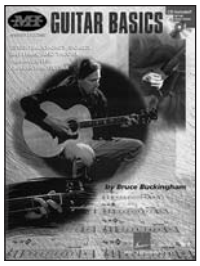
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Fred Sokolow's best-selling guitar method and series has helped hundreds of thousands of guitar players. For the first time, this system is presented for the absolute beginner. While teaching the basic skills needed to play countless songs, Sokolow presents practical music theory that will enhance your playing. The visual fretboard patterns, used in all of the Roadmaps books, make it easier to understand the guitar and think like a musician. With chord grids, tablature, music notation, and a recording, you'll immediately learn: How to play over 20 familiar tunes; How to strum and fingerpick songs with many different rhythms; How to play melodies in five different keys; How to play dozens of chords; How to use the "blues box" to play solos and to jam with other players; How to play power chords and barre chords up and down the neck; How to read tablature and music notation; and more! The accompanying recording includes the songs, scales, and exercises that are presented in tablature and music notation throughout the book. The success of the Fretboard Roadmaps series is due to its practical, visual patterns, which help the guitarist learn to play – quickly!

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GUITAR BASICS

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Essential Chords, Scales, Rhythms, and Theory

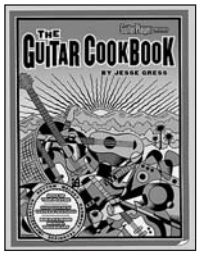
by Bruce Buckingham

Private Lessons

Musicians Institute

This pack gives essential instruction on open chords, barre chords, power chords, strumming; scales, rhythm playing, the blues, and moveable chord shapes. It includes inversions, "color" chords, practice tips, chord charts, songs, and progressions.

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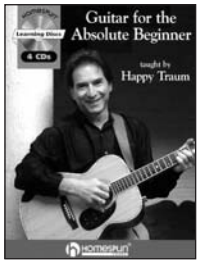
The Complete Guide to Rhythm, Melody, Harmony, Technique & Improvisation

by Jesse Gress

Backbeat Books

Spice up your playing with *The Guitar Cookbook*! Written by *Guitar Player* magazine music editor Jesse Gress, this collection of "recipes" for satisfying a wide variety of musical appetites is for beginning to advanced guitarists. It covers all the ingredients for cooking up great music on the guitar: music notation, tuning, intonation, rhythm, melody, scales, motifs, harmony, ear-training, technique, improvisation and much more. Players will develop a personalized musical vocabulary; learn how to apply it to many different styles; and more.

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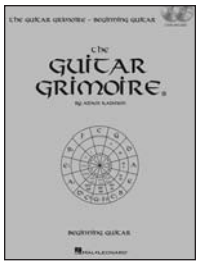
GUITAR FOR THE ABSOLUTE BEGINNER

taught by Happy Traum

Homespun

Happy Traum, one of the world's most experienced guitar teachers, has carefully designed this hands-on, step-by-step method for all age groups. All the basic chords and important picking and strumming techniques are taught, and the student will be singing and playing more than a dozen songs right from the first lesson! By the end of this course he or she will know over 70 songs, and be able to play in most keys using a variety of picking and strumming techniques.

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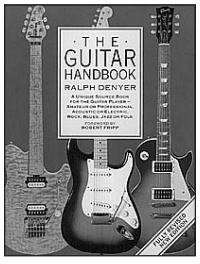
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Beginning Guitar

by Adam Kadmon

Here's the first book in this respected series to address the needs of novices who want to play right away, without lessons or reading music and tab. The Wizard presents 4+ hours of video instruction on two DVDs, with a supplementary book. Beginners will start playing chords and songs immediately, and after the first few lessons, they will be improvising and composing. Try this magical method and be amazed – it really works!

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THE GUITAR HANDBOOK

by Ralph Denyer

Random House

The Guitar Handbook is the complete guide to playing the guitar – from simple chords to advanced improvisations. Its uniquely devised learning program combines specially commissioned, step-by-step photographs with a chord dictionary containing over 800 easy-to-follow fingerings, and clear, concise text. 43 pages with full-color photos and illustrations. 256 pages, 8-1/2" x 11"

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Where Rock's Guitar Masters Share Their Tricks, Tips & Techniques

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Cherry Lane Music

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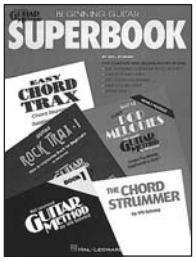
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EVERYTHING YOU NEED TO KNOW TO BE A WORKING MUSICIAN

by Dale Turner

From repertoire to accompaniment patterns to licks, this book is fully stocked to give you the confidence knowing you can "get by" and survive, regardless of the situation. The book covers: songs and set lists; gear; rhythm riffs in styles from blues to funk to rock to metal; lead licks in blues, country, jazz & rock styles; transposition and more. The CD features 99 demonstration tracks, and the book includes standard notation and tab.

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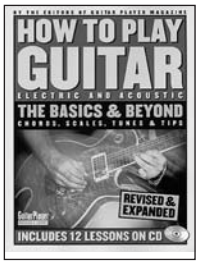
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Five complete best-selling books in one: *Hal Leonard Guitar Method, Book 1* • *Easy Pop Melodies* • *The Chord Strummer* • *Easy Chord Trax* • *Rock Trax*.

This incredible Hal Leonard Guitar Method collection provides any guitarist with all the essential lessons they need:

- Learn to play solo guitar and accompaniments in a variety of styles.
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HOW TO PLAY GUITAR – 2ND EDITION

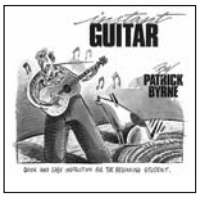
THE BASICS AND BEYOND – CHORDS, SCALES, TUNES & TIPS

by the editors of Guitar Player magazine

Backbeat Books

Packed with music, charts and photos, this easy-to-use guidebook provides lessons for playing electric and acoustic guitar by some of the guitar world's top teachers – pros like Arlen Roth, Rick Gartner, Happy Traum, and Dan Crary. Topics range from the basics to "getting serious." The companion CD contains 12 lessons in the book, from stringing and tuning the guitar to playing the blues scale in all positions and keys.

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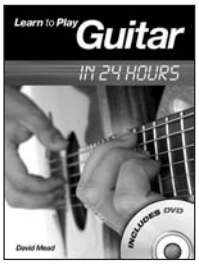
INSTANT GUITAR

QUICK & EASY INSTRUCTION FOR THE IMPATIENT STUDENT

by Pat Byrne

Instant Guitar is the fun, easy and non-intimidating approach to learning to play the guitar, either on your own or with a teacher. Using a unique "Quick Start" notation, the student progresses more quickly through the basics of guitar playing. More than 90 songs surrounded by humorous illustrations make this an ideal beginning method for those who can't read music or for frustrated "guitar lesson dropouts"!

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LEARN TO PLAY GUITAR IN 24 HOURS

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LEARN TO PLAY GUITAR WITH 8 CHORDS

by Stephen Dydo

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This book is designed for absolute beginners who want to play real songs on the guitar just moments after opening this book! With Dydo's method, new players can learn over 40 pop, folk, and patriotic songs including: Amazing Grace • America the Beautiful • Annie's Song • Day-O • From a Distance • Leaving on a Jet Plane • Puff, the Magic Dragon • Rocky Mountain High • Scarborough Fair • and many more! Perfect for impatient beginners, especially adults, who want some instant gratification from their new guitar!

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LEFT-HANDED GUITAR

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by Troy Stetina

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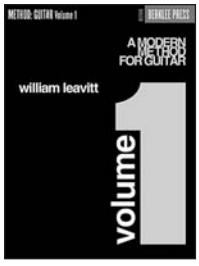
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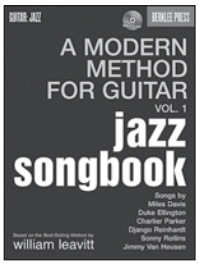
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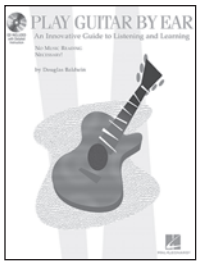
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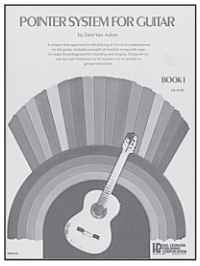
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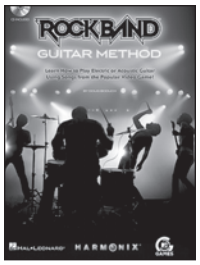
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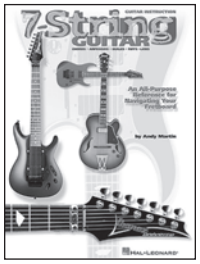
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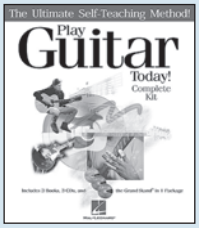


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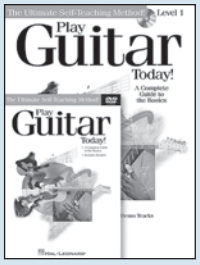


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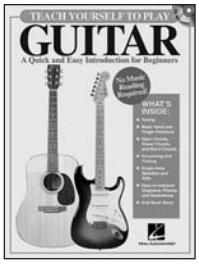


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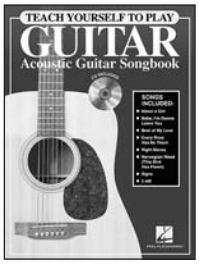
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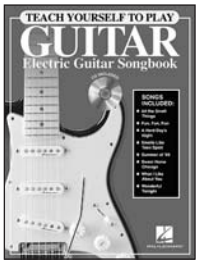
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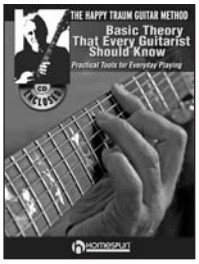
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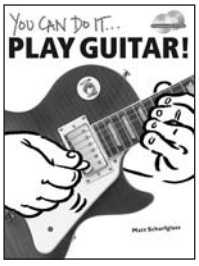


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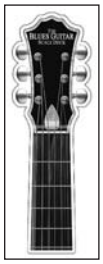
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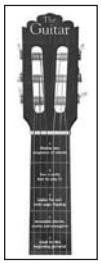
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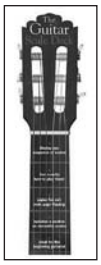
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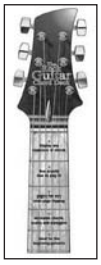
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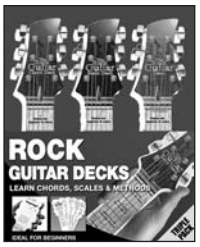
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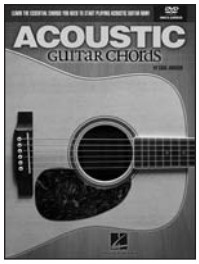
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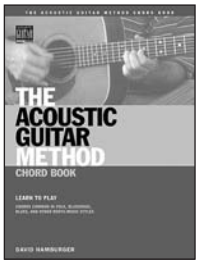
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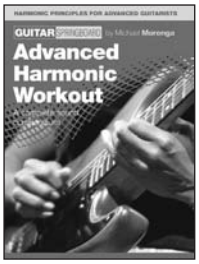
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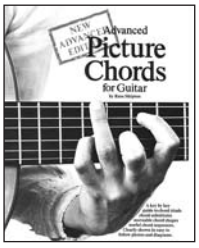
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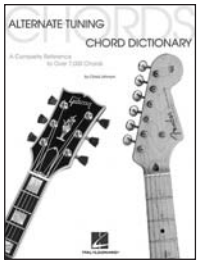
ALL SCALES IN ALL POSITIONS FOR GUITAR

A POCKET REFERENCE FOR CONSTRUCTING AND PLAYING GUITAR SCALES ANYWHERE ON THE FINGERBOARD

by Muriel Anderson and Jim Scott

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ALTERNATE TUNING CHORD DICTIONARY

A COMPLETE REFERENCE TO OVER 7,000 CHORDS

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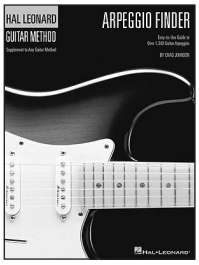


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The Complete Guide, Including Theory, Patterns, Techniques, and Applications

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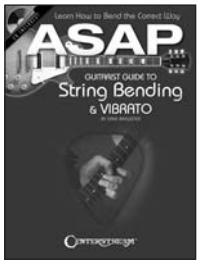
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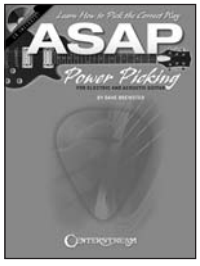
Learn How to Bend the Correct Way

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String bending and vibrato are two of the most popular guitar techniques used in all musical styles, yet for most beginning and intermediate players, gaining control of them might seem overwhelming. This book outlines some of the most common bending and vibrato techniques and licks, teaching them in an easy-to-digest manner to help you see and hear how to use them with confidence in a musical context. Contains more than 150 helpful examples!

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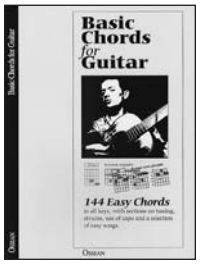
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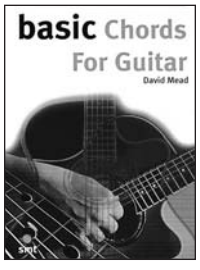
144 Easy Chords

by John Loesberg

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This wide-reaching guitar chord book contains 144 easy but fundamental chords. All the basics are covered in clear and intelligible language with information on chords, tuning, strums and songs. It discusses topics such as how to change key in a particular song, and where to put a capo, and includes illustrations from numerous periods in the history of the guitar. Other features include a detailed section on tuning and a selection of familiar folk tunes.

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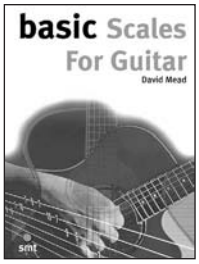
BASIC CHORDS FOR GUITAR

by David Mead

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All guitar players, from the Edge to Santana, have one thing in common: they know their chords. In fact, chords form the backbone of nearly all pop music and are an essential part of the guitarist's vocabulary. This handy pocket-sized book is the perfect guide to guitar chords and has plenty of other useful tips for the budding guitarist.

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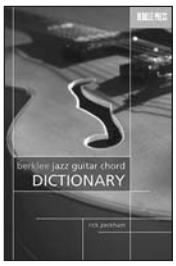
A BEGINNER'S GUIDE TO CHORD POSITIONS

SIMPLE, CREATIVE WAYS TO MOVE UP THE NECK

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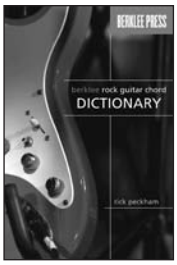
BERKLEE JAZZ GUITAR CHORD DICTIONARY

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by Rick Peckham
Berklee Press

This chord dictionary from the assistant chair of Berklee's guitar department includes 100+ chord forms, from basic 7th chords to guide tone chords and triads over bass notes. It is organized to reveal chord relationships and help guitarists learn voicings quickly and thoroughly. Includes notes, fretboard diagrams and tab for each chord. 6" x 9"

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by Rick Peckham
Berklee Press

This chord dictionary includes over 100 rock chord forms, from open-position chords to barre chords and drop-tunings, with a comprehensive glossary of the essential chords in all 12 keys. It is organized to reveal relationships between different types of chords and help you learn the voicings quickly and thoroughly in a way that is easy to remember. You will improve your comping and soloing, develop your fingerboard facility, and add more colors to your harmonic palette.

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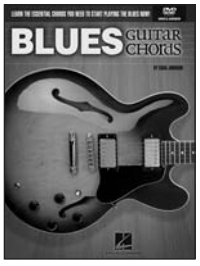


THE BLACK BOOK – INSTANT GUITAR CHORDS

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A portable resource of chord diagrams that's always handy! This comprehensive collection of chords serves as an instant reference grouped by key. Features include: easy-to-read horizontal chord diagrams; a variety of positions for every chord including rock, country, jazz and blues; chord shapes for every style from simplified power chords to variable bass note slash chords; and more.

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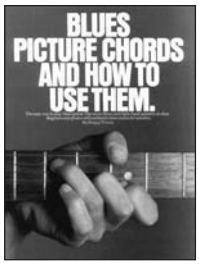
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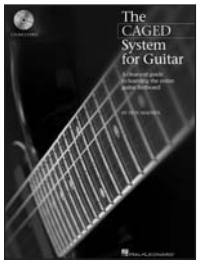


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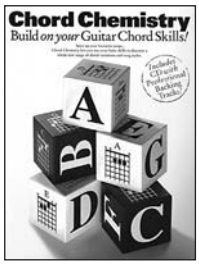
CHORD CARDS

ESSENTIAL CHORDS FOR ALL GUITARISTS

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52 essential chords for all guitarists whether they play rock, pop, or jazz. Includes full instructions for bar chords and power chords, clear fingering diagrams, extra information about each chord, and full-color photographs, all in a handy card deck format.

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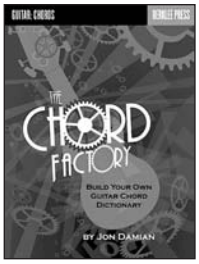
BUILD ON YOUR GUITAR CHORD SKILLS!

by Arthur Dick and Dave Holmes
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Spice up songs and learn more chord variations! With this detailed guide, you'll build on your guitar chord skills to discover a whole new range of chord variations and song styles. It includes a CD with professionally recorded backing tracks so you can learn to play along with the chord sounds of blues, funk, rock, jazz, country and a whole lot more. Plenty of chord progressions and tunes to learn are also included.

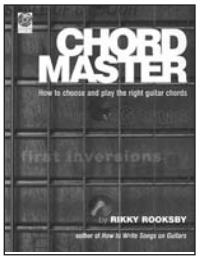
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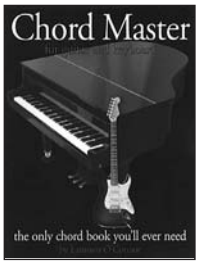
THE CHORD FACTORY

BUILD YOUR OWN GUITAR CHORD DICTIONARY
by Jon Damian
Berklee Press
The Chord Factory is for all levels and styles of chord explorers, from professional-level guitarists in need of harmonic stimulation and to fill in some "gray areas," to the early-level guitarist just embarking on that fascinating and fun aspect of exploring chords and harmony. This added chord vocabulary and understanding will strengthen all areas of your musical world as a performer and composer.
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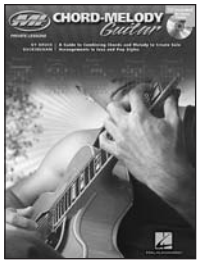


CHORD MASTER

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Unlike a traditional chord dictionary, *Chord Master* takes the time to discuss each of the chord types and patterns a guitarist is likely to come across. Includes over 1,000 chords and their variations, in easy-view color "guitar neck" boxes; chords arranged by key, by type, or by musical style; answers to all your chord queries; sections for beginners, songwriters, and advanced guitarists; chord secrets of famous songs; a 20-track audio CD demonstrating chords and chord sequences in musical context; and more!
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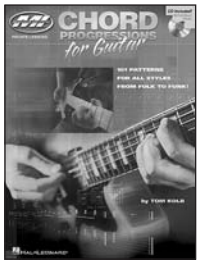
THE ONLY CHORD BOOK YOU'LL EVER NEED
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A unique cross-reference chord system for all levels is presented in this book, with guitar and keyboard positions shown side-by-side. Over 1,800 chords positions for guitarists and 520 root positions for keyboard players are included.
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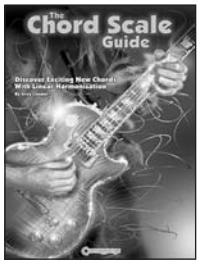
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A GUIDE TO COMBINING CHORDS AND MELODY TO CREATE SOLO ARRANGEMENTS IN JAZZ AND POP STYLES
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Master the art of blending melody and harmony on the guitar with this book/CD pack. It includes in-depth studies of chords and chord melodies as well as a CD containing 90 demonstration tracks. Lessons include: the five patterns; chord shells; inversions; voice leading; cadences; diminished chords; and more.
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CHORD PROGRESSIONS FOR GUITAR

101 PATTERNS FOR ALL STYLES FROM FOLK TO FUNK!
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Centerstream Publications
The Chord Scale Guide will open up new voicings for chords and heighten your awareness of linear harmonization. This will benefit jazz ensemble players, rock guitarists and songwriters looking to create new and unique original music, and understand the harmony behind chords.
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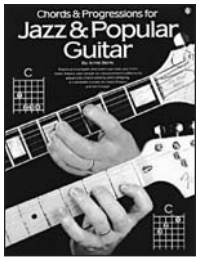
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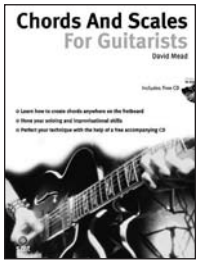
CHORDS

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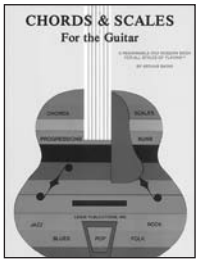
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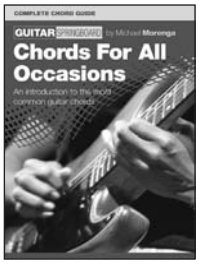


CHORDS & SCALES FOR THE GUITAR

Ashley Publications Inc./ Lewis Publications

This book includes several series of chords, and the purpose of each chord is explained. The notes contained in each chord are shown along with its musical construction. Also includes a special section on chord progressions.

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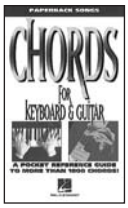


CHORDS FOR ALL OCCASIONS

Guitar Springboard Series
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by Michael Morenga
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This introduction to the most common guitar chords teaches you how to decipher chord diagrams, how to play the chords they represent, and how to transfer them to different frets. This complete chord guide includes: all the basic chords in first position • barre chords • sevenths • drop2 and drop3 chords • inversions.

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CHORDS FOR KEYBOARD AND GUITAR

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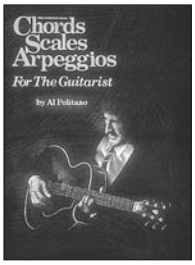


THE COMPACT BLUES GUITAR CHORD REFERENCE

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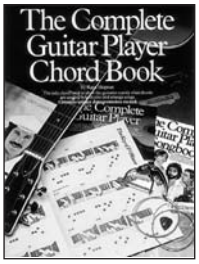
THE COMPLETE BOOK OF CHORDS, SCALES, ARPEGGIOS FOR THE GUITARIST

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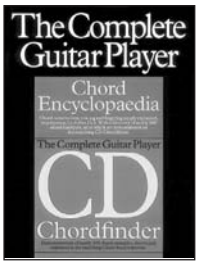


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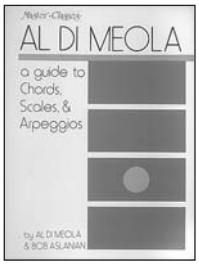
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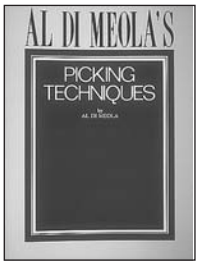


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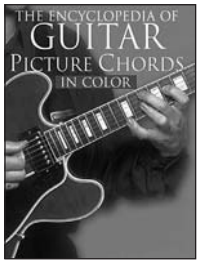
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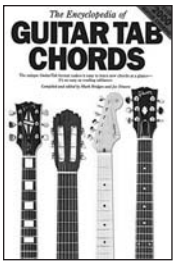


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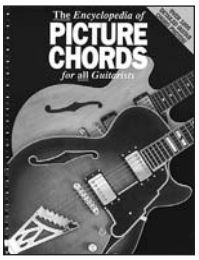
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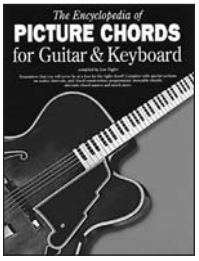
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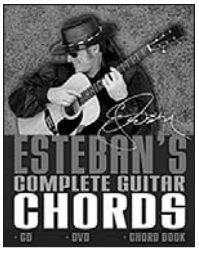
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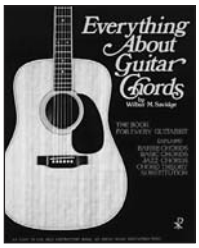
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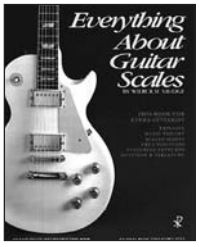


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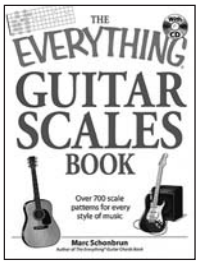
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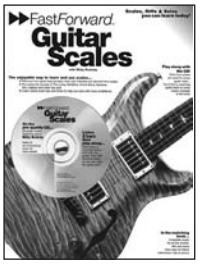


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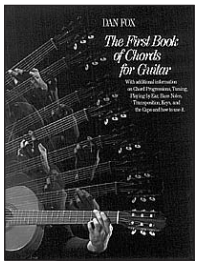
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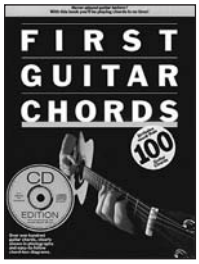


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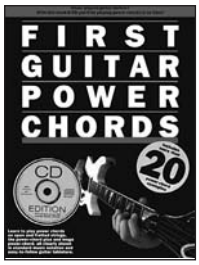


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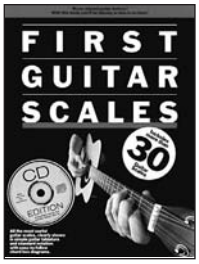
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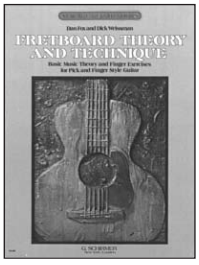
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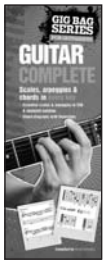


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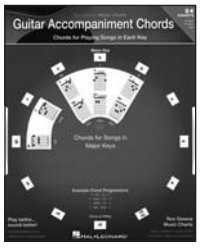


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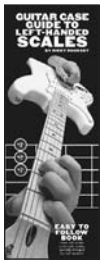
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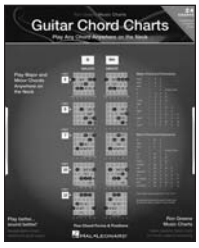
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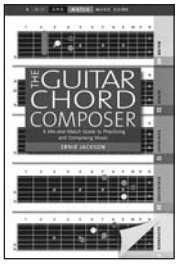
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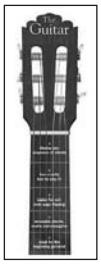
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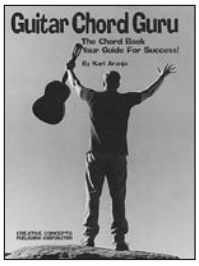


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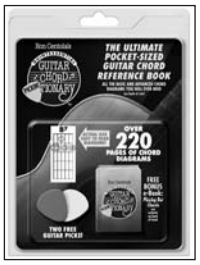
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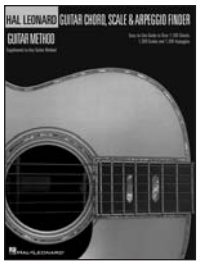
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Ron Centola's *Guitar Chord Pickin'Tionary* is a 220-page miniature guitar chord book. The winner of the Summer 2011 NAMM Award for Best in Show (small item) has a patent-pending perfect binding that keeps the pages intact. The book is 2 inches x 1 3/8 inches x 1/2 inch. It can easily fit into your pocket and is small enough to take anywhere. This chord book makes for fun during those times when you find yourself using the same chord paths and need a new idea for chord structure. The book is small but the chord diagrams are easy to read. They are standard size chord diagrams: 2 inches in height x 1-1/4 inches wide. The book is packaged in an attractively designed display case with two free picks and free access to the e-book *Playing Bar Chords* by Ron Centola.

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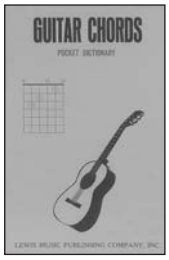


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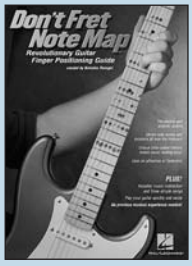


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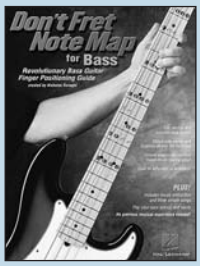


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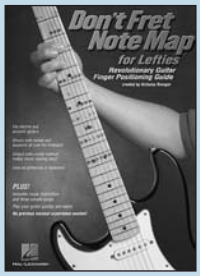


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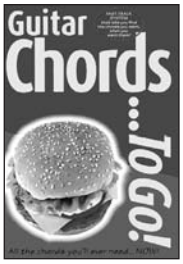
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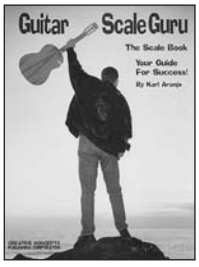
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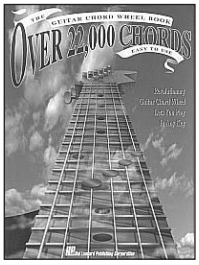
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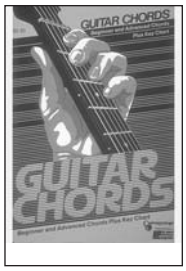
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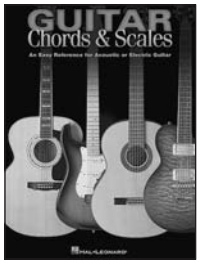


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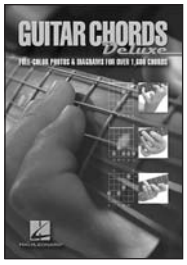


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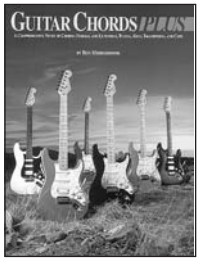


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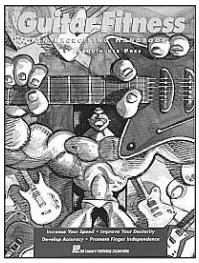
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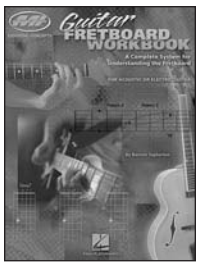
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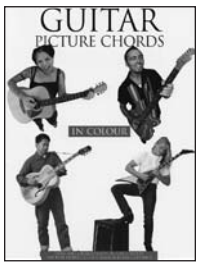
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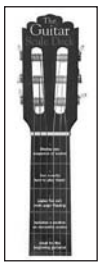


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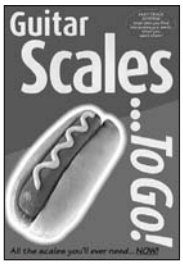
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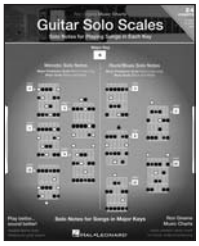


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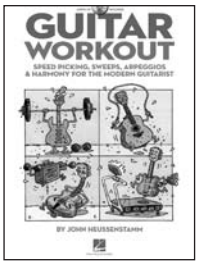


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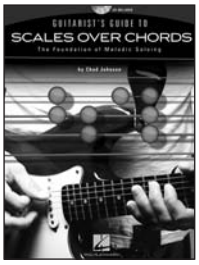


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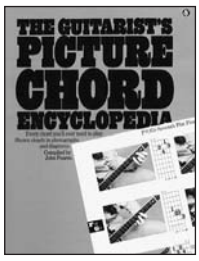
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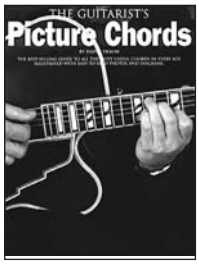


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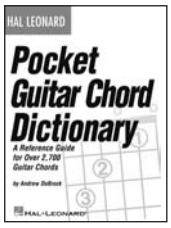


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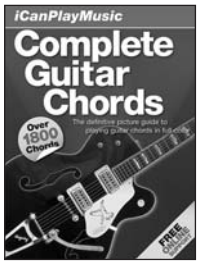
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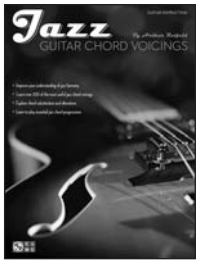
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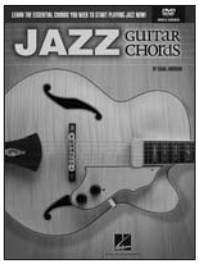
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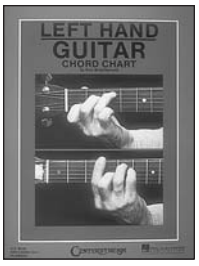
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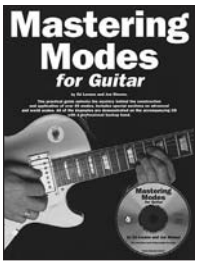
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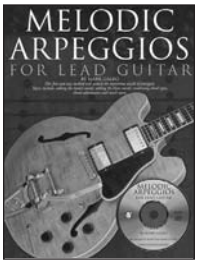


MASTERING MODES FOR GUITAR

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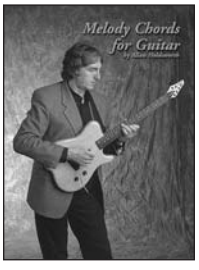
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An arpeggio is simply playing the notes of a chord, one after another, in a melodic fashion. Piano, bass, string, and horn players routinely find the study of arpeggios a staple of their learning process. But, somehow, guitarists often manage to skip over this essential musical building block. This book is designed to demystify arpeggios and demonstrate their application in a musical and easy-to-understand format. All of the material is presented within the context of various "jam tracks" which allow students to immediately apply new knowledge and hear for themselves why arpeggios are essential to their playing. All of the music examples are presented in standard notation and tablature so there is no need to read music. Also includes a special demonstration and play-along CD.

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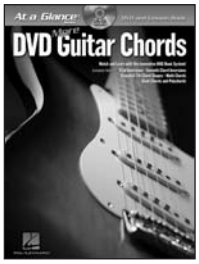
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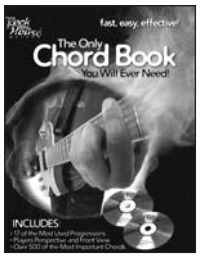
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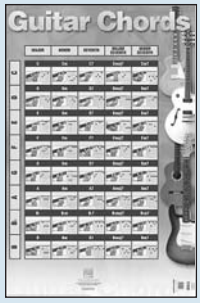
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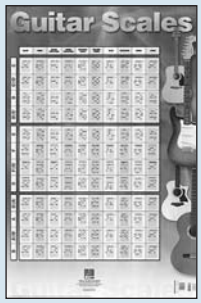
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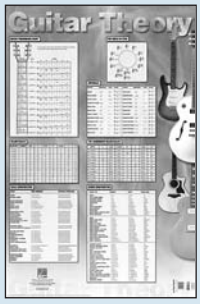
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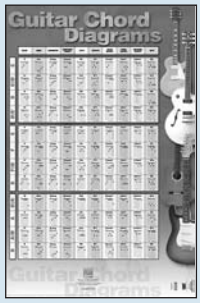
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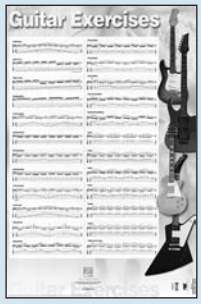
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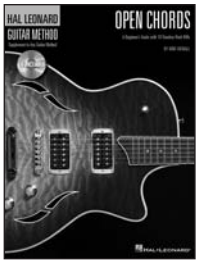
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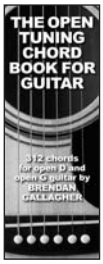
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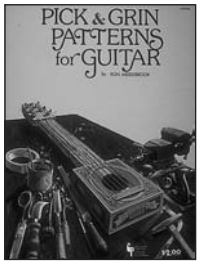
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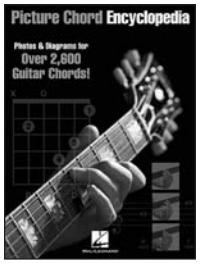
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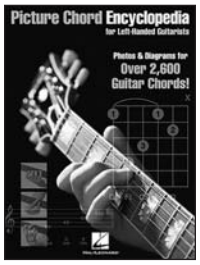


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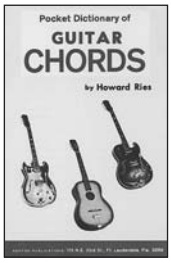


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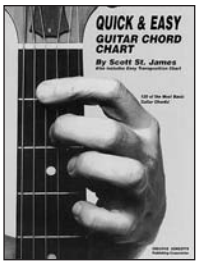
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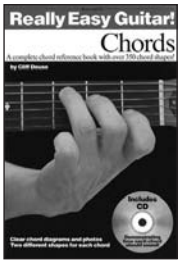
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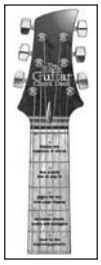


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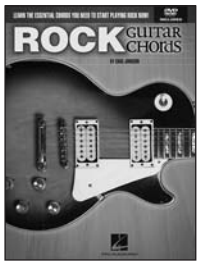


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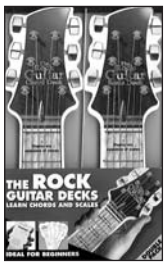
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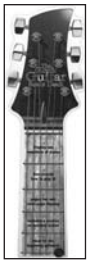
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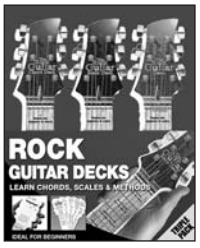
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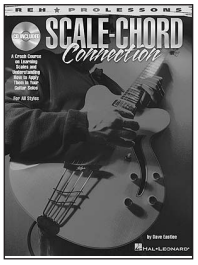
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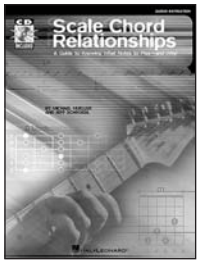
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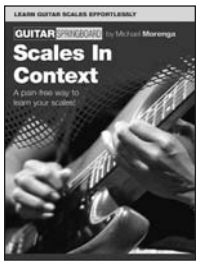
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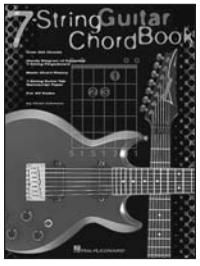
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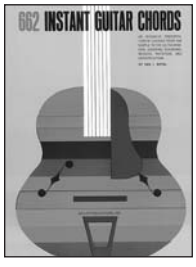


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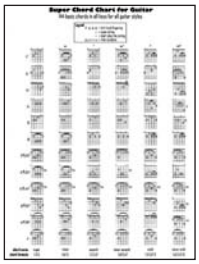
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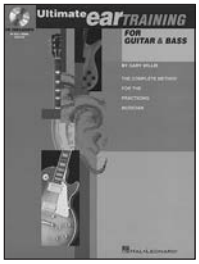


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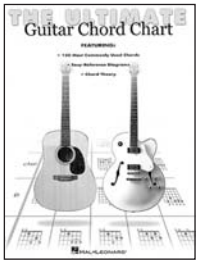


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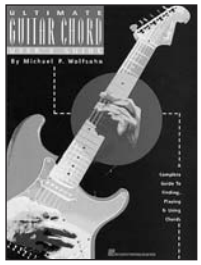
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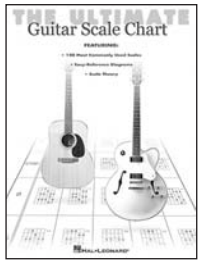
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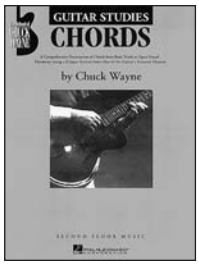


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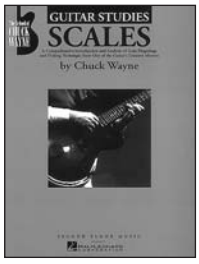
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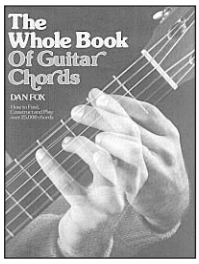


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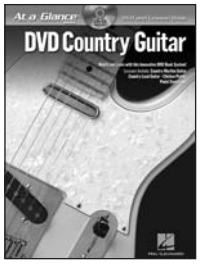
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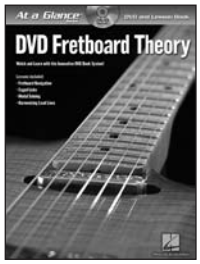
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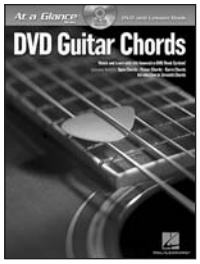
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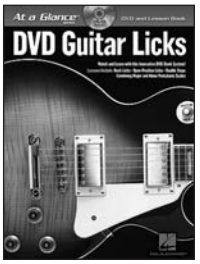
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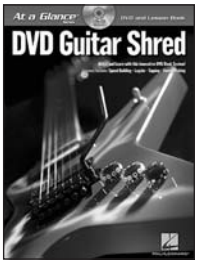
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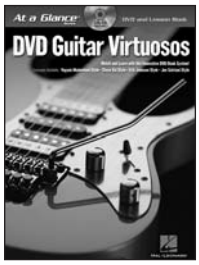
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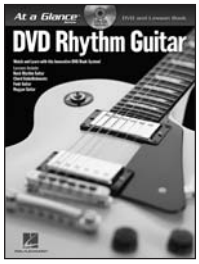


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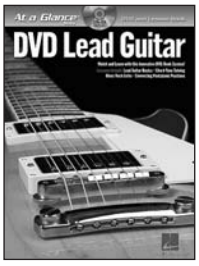
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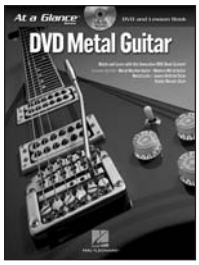
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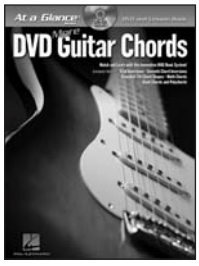
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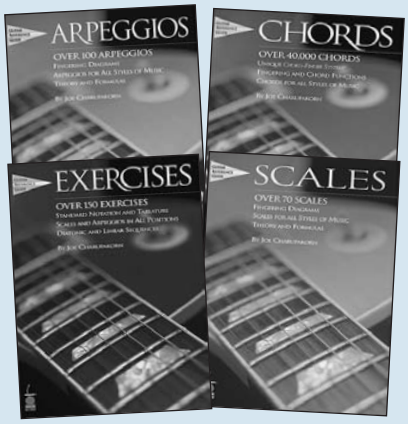
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The Essential Guide for All Guitarists

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Get the most out of your effects with this ultimate beginner's guide! Jargon-free and packed with professional hints and tips, it covers: how effects pedals work; how to use distortion, chorus, compression, delay, reverb, wah-wah and other effects; how to combine effects; multi-effects units and how to use them; getting the most out of your gear; and more. The CD features over 50 demo tracks, sample settings and FX do's and don'ts and the book has tons of photos and diagrams.

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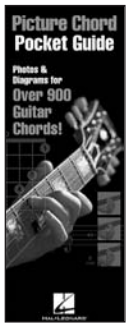
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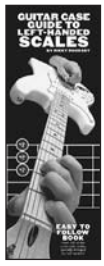
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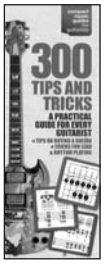


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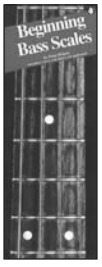


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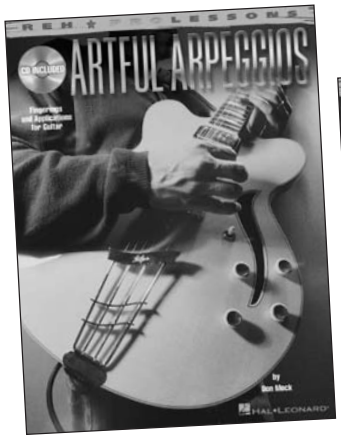


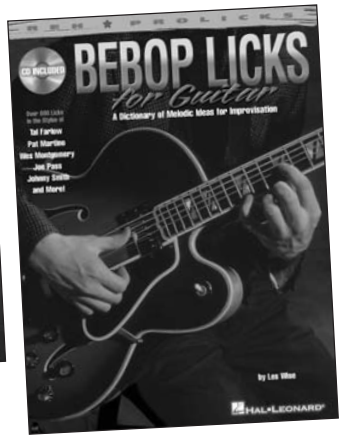
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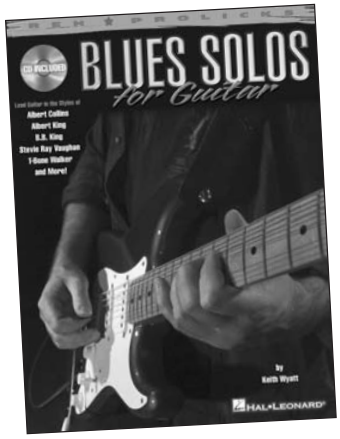
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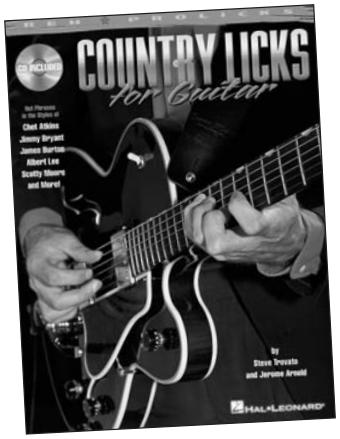
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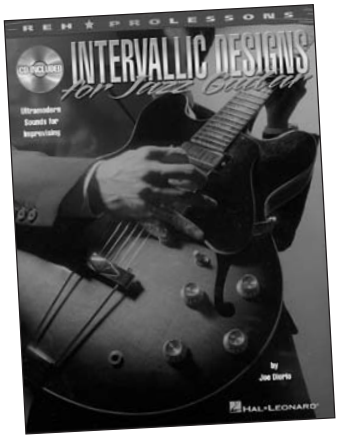
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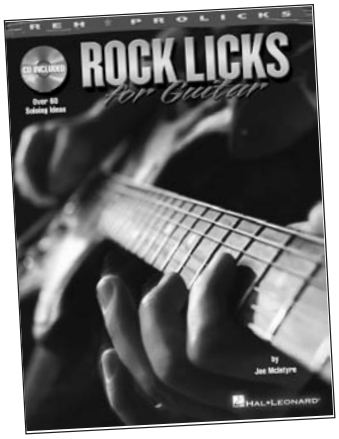


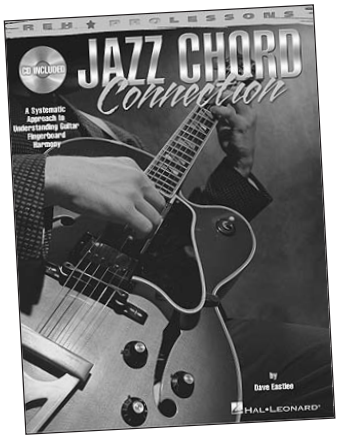


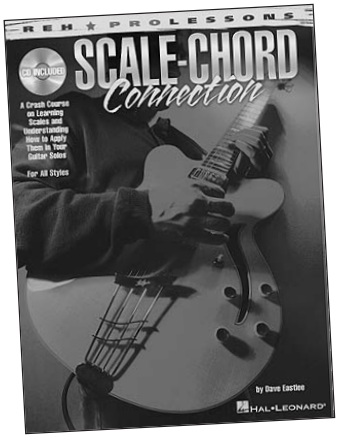












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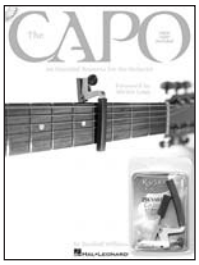
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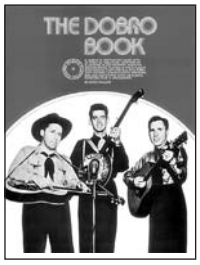
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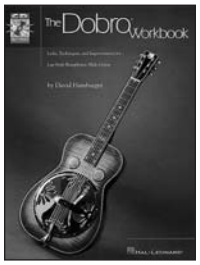
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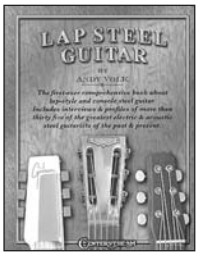
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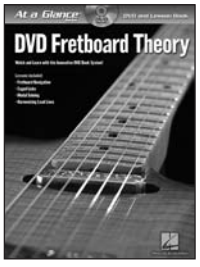
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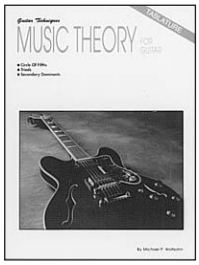
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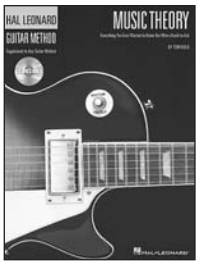
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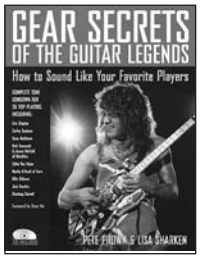
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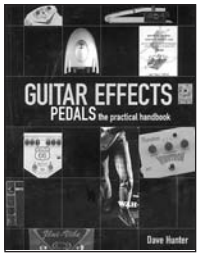
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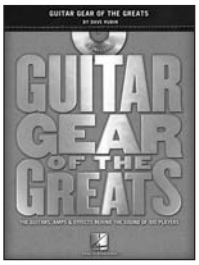


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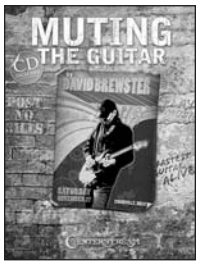
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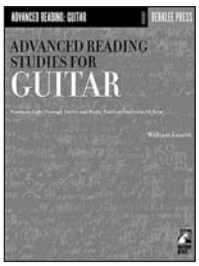
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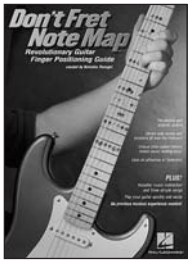
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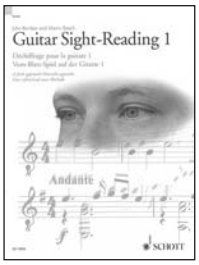


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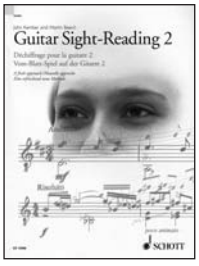


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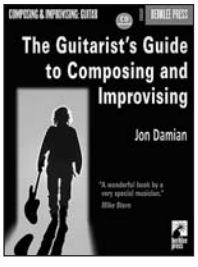


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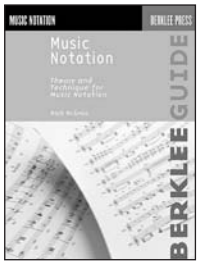


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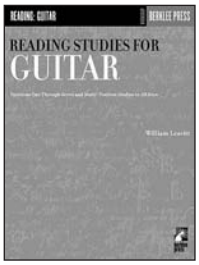


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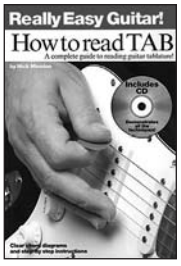


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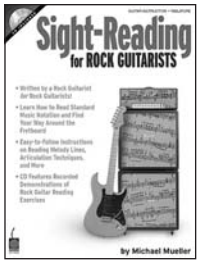
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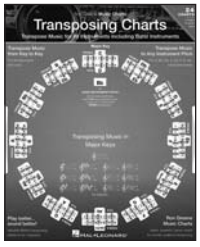
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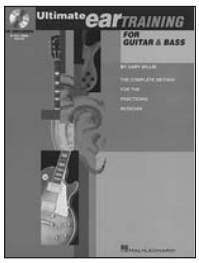


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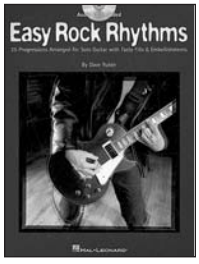


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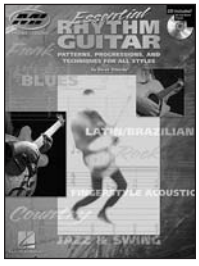
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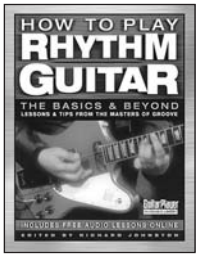
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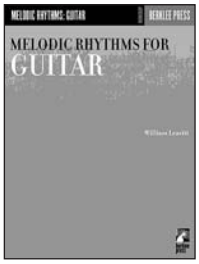
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THE BASICS AND BEYOND

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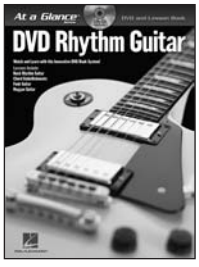
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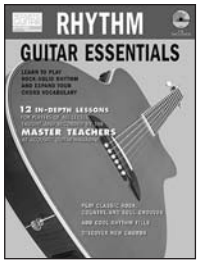
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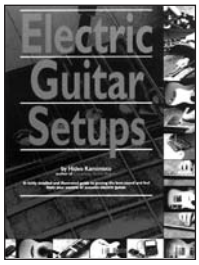


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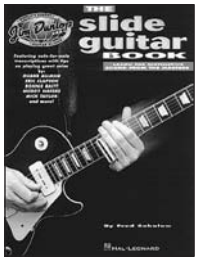


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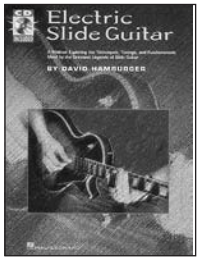
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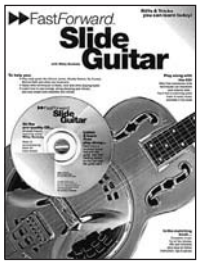
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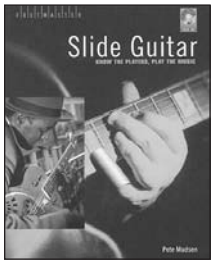
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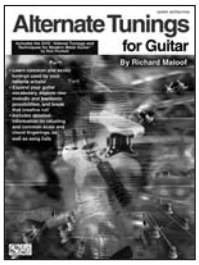
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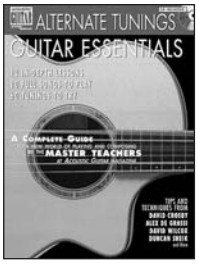


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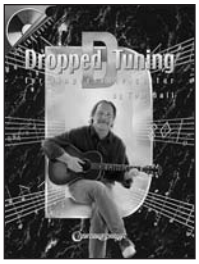
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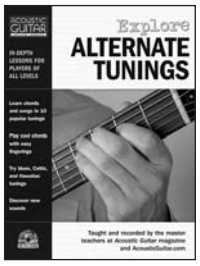


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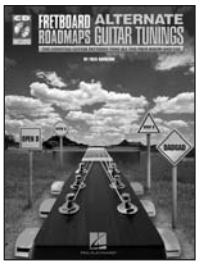
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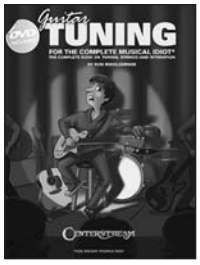
FRETBOARD ROADMAPS – ALTERNATE GUITAR TUNINGS

INCLUDES TAB

by Fred Sokolow

A thorough guide to the most widely used tunings! CD includes 50 demonstration tracks. Tunes and exercises that illustrate each technique are written in tab and music and played on a CD. These essential fretboard patterns are roadmaps that all guitarists need to know and use to play in alternate tunings. Learn to: Solo and play backup in Drop D, Open G, Open D, DADGAD, Open A, and Open E tunings; Play a variety of lead guitar styles and songs (acoustic and electric) in open tunings; Play chords and progressions anywhere on the fretboard, in all keys, in many tunings; and more. Each chapter presents a fretboard pattern and shows how to use it, along with playing tips and guitar insights. An absolute beginner can follow the diagrams and instruction from the beginning. Intermediate and advanced players can use the chapters non-sequentially to increase their understanding of the guitar.

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GUITAR TUNING FOR THE COMPLETE MUSICAL IDIOT

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THE TAO OF TUNINGS

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A MAP TO THE WORLD OF ALTERNATE TUNINGS

by Mark Shark

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"*The Tao of Tunings* is beautiful ... Mark Shark has created a book of tremendous value for anyone interested in thinking, feeling or playing in alternate tunings." – Jackson Browne

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TUNE UPS FOR GUITAR

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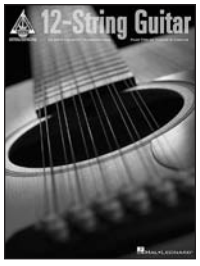


TUNING YOUR GUITAR

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THE PROFESSIONAL GUIDE TO IMPROVISATION

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Essential Concepts

Musicians Institute

Designed from MI core curriculum programs, this follow-up to the best-selling Musicians Institute title *Guitar Soloing* offers advanced players a great guide to mastering the art of melodic improvisation. The CD includes 22 tracks for demonstration and play-along, and the instruction covers scales, modes, arpeggios, technique, creativity and visualization exercises, exploring rock, blues, jazz and other styles of music, as well as sequences, phrases and licks.

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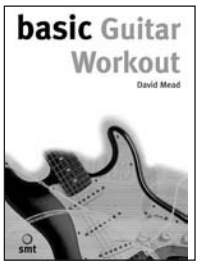
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50 WAYS TO IMPROVE YOUR IMPROVISATIONAL SKILLS

by Tom Kolb

This book/CD pack explores all the main components necessary for crafting well-balanced rhythmic and melodic phrases. It also explains how these phrases are put together to form cohesive solos. Many styles are covered – rock, blues, jazz, fusion, country, Latin, funk and more – and all of the concepts are backed up with musical examples. The 50 ideas are divided into five main sections: The Basics; Melodic Concepts; Harmonic Embellishments; Rhythmic Concepts; and Solo Structure. The companion CD contains 89 demos for listening, and most tracks feature full-band backing. Also available for keyboard, tenor saxophone and trumpet.

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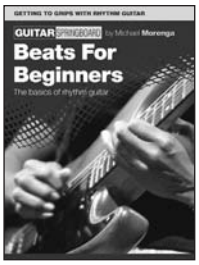
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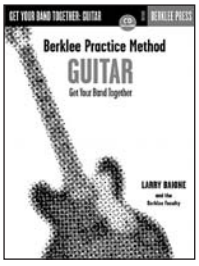
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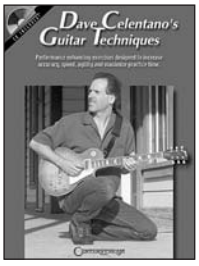
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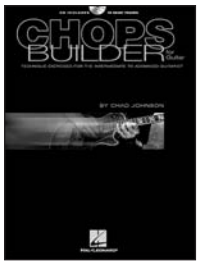
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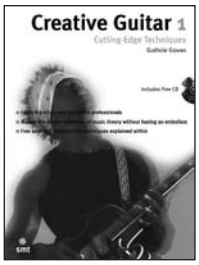
A BEGINNER'S GUIDE

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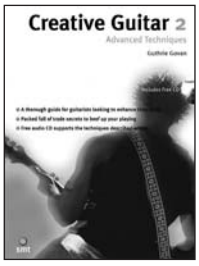
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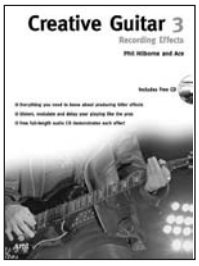
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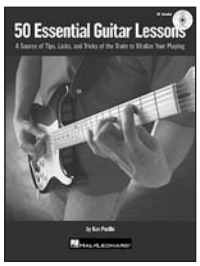
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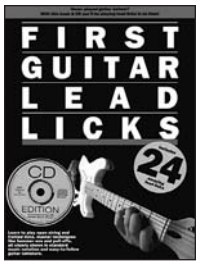
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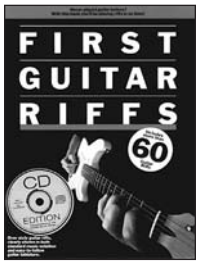
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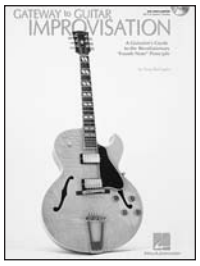
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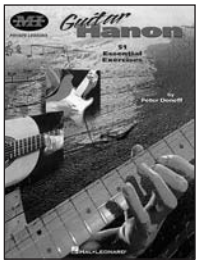
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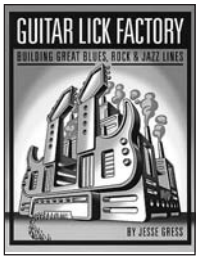
GUITAR HANON

by Peter Deneff

Musicians Institute

This book by MI faculty instructor Peter Deneff is intended as a sort of guitar sequel to Hanon's piano classic *The Virtuoso Pianist in Sixty Exercises*. He teaches beginning to professional guitarists 51 exercises, covering: diatonic and chromatic scales; major, minor, dominant and half-diminished seventh arpeggios; whole tones; diminished arpeggios; and more.

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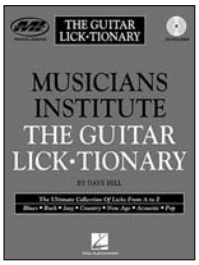
Building Great Blues, Rock & Jazz Lines

by Jesse Gress

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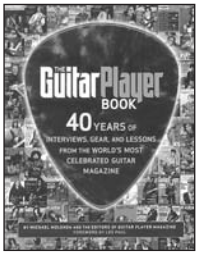
by Dave Hill

Private Lessons

Musicians Institute

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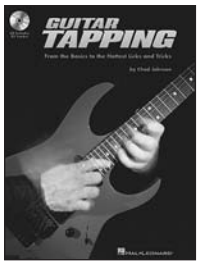
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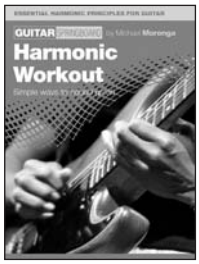
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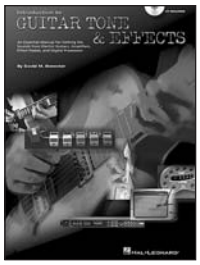
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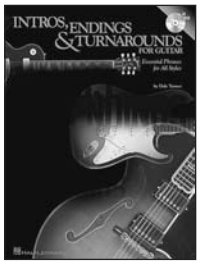
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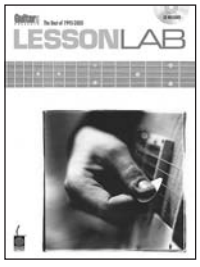
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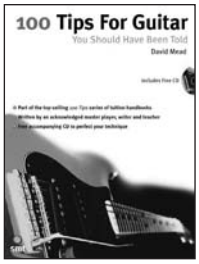
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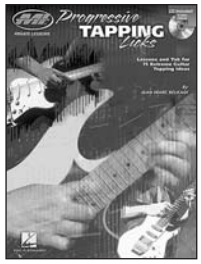
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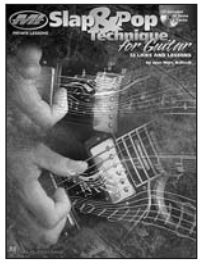
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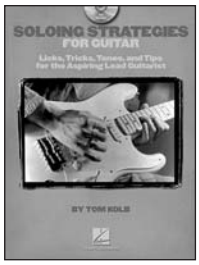
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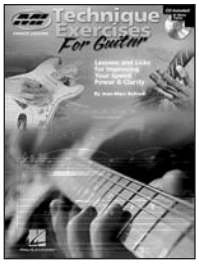
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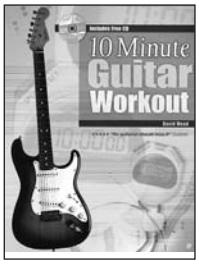
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