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# The Sound Of Music (Rogers & Hammerstein): Piano Solo Selections





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Be forewarned....while a perfectly good easy piano book, it has no lyrics so you can't sing along if you don't already know all the words!

This book is only "piano solo selections", it's written on the cover itself, only 's "Look inside" hides it. No lyrics, and no other instruments except the piano. If piano is all you need, this one's for you. If you need more, stay away from this book.

The Look Inside shows lyrics and easy piano arrangements --exactly what we wanted. What arrived has NO lyrics and more difficult piano --not what we wanted. We would not have ordered it if the Look Inside had been accurate. We will not be ordering any more sheet music from .

The Sound of Music will always live on in our hearts and homes as well as in performances. This book is well suited for it all. A singer, a musician, or just anyone wanting to revisit this wonderful music. The book is "meaty" without being unduly hard so it is enjoyable from the very start. It is not

for a beginner piano student. The student must be in the intermediate stage of lessons before using this book. I enjoy pulling this book out and just playing it myself and others like to sing a long with me!

When I ordered this book, it was with the intention of having something to play that would be both challenging, and fun. However, I was dismayed to find that the level of this book was much too easy for me. Within about 30 minutes, I had played through the entire book. In all fairness, I cannot fault this book for being what it is, which is why I gave it 3 stars instead of 1; as an intermediate/easy solo piano book, it is great (younger students will love the rendition of Edelweiss). However, it just wasn't what I was looking for, and I think that the product description doesn't make clear what level of piano this book is for--"Piano Solos" is pretty vague (Jim Brickman and George Winston's books are "Piano Solos!"). In short, if you have taken piano for 6 years, this book is great; if you have taken piano for 12 years, don't buy this book.:)

This is absolutely what I have been looking for! I grew up watching the Sound of Music and have recently begun taking piano lessons. I love that this book is spiral bound--keeps me from having to bend the covers to make the book stay open. Let's get ready for some "Do-Re-Mi"!!!!

If you enjoyed the movie or stage production and like to play the piano, you will love these piano arrangements of the unforgettable songs of The Sound of Music. I am not a very accomplished pianist, but I am able to play the pieces in this collection well enough so I can participate in making music and loving again the story and song of this classic musical. Most of the songs from the play are in this collection - "The Sound of Music", "Edelweiss", "You are Sixteen", "How Do You Solve a Problem like Maria", and others.

This is a similar title to the Play-along CD, but the tunes were slightly different in the piano solo.

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