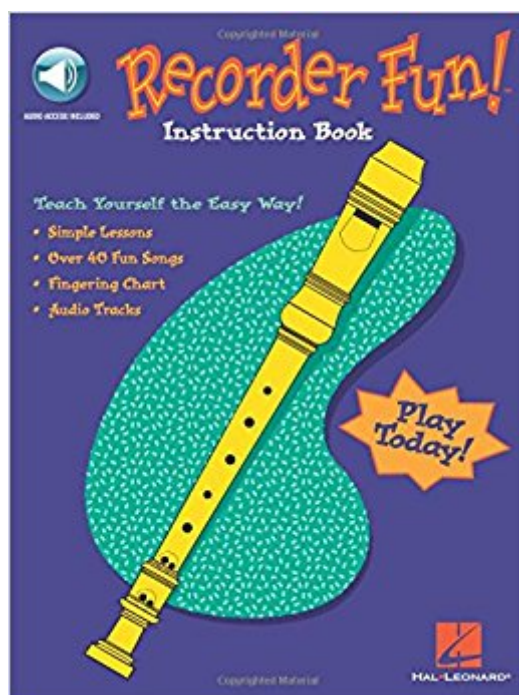


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Customer Reviews

What fun is in store for you today! You will soon be playing some wonderful music on your recorder. This book and recording package will help you to learn to play quickly and easily.

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When I purchased this book, I also purchased the book titled, "It's Recorder Time!". I like both books for different reasons. That book shows music exactly as it would appear in other actual sheet music that one would use to perform with. This book shows the name of the notes on each individual note, which helps one to memorize them. That book shows the picture of the recorder from the top to the bottom, and this book shows the picture of the recorder from bottom to top. Each book contains different songs from the other (which is nice), and each book contains songs with only the notes that have been learned up to that point (which again, is great). Both books also contain lyrics, where appropriate, which are nice for those who want to do duets, trios, etc. That book also gives a 1 page illustration and descriptions of the entire family of recorders, which this book does not offer. This book does also come with a CD that properly demonstrates how all of the songs in the book should be played, which is a wonderful bonus for those who plan to play the recorder as more than a hobby. Overall I am happy that I decided to purchase both books together. It seems that what one book leaves out, the other one includes - which is why I recommend purchasing both books together.

This book has a lot of information, and it teaches a lot about reading music along with how to play the recorder, which I really like. Each lesson is broken down into a simple concept, and it takes care to build on each of the new concepts slowly and describe them clearly. My daughter and I are working through this book and we both really like it. I would recommend this to anyone learning how to play, especially people who don't know anything about music.

I love this book! It helps me learn songs to play on my recorder! The best part is that the book teaches you notes so that you can fully understand the songs in the book! I also like that the songs are favorites, so that when I play the songs, people will recognize them! Sincerely, Andrew Merle Sibila, age 9

I've started going through this book. I like how the information is presented, and I also like the CD which I can play along with. Makes it seem more like being in a band or something. :) I think the target audience for this is young children, but since I'm not a young child any more, I think it is appropriate for anyone of any age who wants an effective and fun method to learn the recorder.

...an adult can learn it! Seriously, this book had me very competent on the recorder (a Yamaha 312B, which I also recommend) in just a few sessions. Very, very simple to use and great for kids

too. Also, its one of the cheaper, and longer books on the subject so you get more note for your buck. Just to clarify, this is a beginners book. It teaches you how-to from finger placement and mouth placement, to reading sheet music and understand note placement and meaning. It has songs, but they're kids songs and you don't get more than about 30. This it for a true beginner, if you know how to read sheet music and you just want some songs to play for your recorder, move along.

Teaches basic recorder skills. Easy for my 8 year old to play and understand. She enjoys it.

I am recently retired and was looking for a new hobby. My friend suggested I learn to play the recorder. Recorder Fun has been a delightful resource. I was able to play a decent tune in a very short time. I have even learned to read music! A skill that has eluded me for many many years! The CD is fun to play along with. I highly recommend this method to learn recorder.

I always wanted to learn how to play an instrument, so on a whim I ordered a Yamaha soprano recorder and this book. Before ordering these, I couldn't read a note of music - I am so amazed at how quickly I was playing songs! The way the book teaches you is idiot proof. It shows you the note on the staff; then it shows you where to put your fingers on the recorder to make that note. With each new note you learn, the book gives you a song or two to practice those notes. Some of the songs are really catchy, and the CD that comes with it is fun to play along with. I can't recommend this highly enough. My ONLY complaint is that the format used for the music is what I would call "dummy notes" - the body of the note is very BIG, with the name of the note (c, e, f) printed inside it. So that's awesome when you're zipping along in this book; but it makes it harder when you try to play something else that is printed like normal music and doesn't have the dummy notes.

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