

# Inventions Rock!

An Inventive Songbook or Program for Young

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# 1. INVENTIONS ROCK OUR WORLD

Words and Music by  
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People have invented things, from the simple to the sublime,  
To help make their lives easier ever since the beginning of time.  
Things we take for granted were not always around.  
We've learned of some important inventions: here is what we've found.

Motown feel (♩ = ca. 132-138)

A no 3rd G no 3rd/A A no 3rd

**5** Lean forward when singing, back when resting  
opt. PART I

**mf**

Peo - ple made a wheel, —  
With the print - ing press, —  
E - lec - tric - i - ty —

G no 3rd/A D/A A

opt. PART II

made the world go 'round. — It takes four wheels for an  
then the word got out. — Com - pu - ter chips to the  
turned the world a - round. — The ra - di - o and the

D/A A C/D

10

au - to - mo - bile, and helps us get a - round.  
 rock - et ships, in - ven - tors have the clout.  
 D V D are put - ting out the sound.

D/A A

13 *Shake hands w/partner on the half note beat*

ALL

Thanks to the cre - a - tive kind, with in - ven - tive

Bm<sup>7</sup> A/C# D

16

*R index to head* *L index to head*

minds: in - ven - tions, in - ven - tions rock our world.

D#dim<sup>7</sup> E<sup>7</sup>sus