

Alfred's PIANO 101 POP BOOK 1

POPULAR MUSIC FROM MOVIES, TV,
RADIO AND STAGE TO PLAY FOR FUN!

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Piano 101, Pop Book 1 is designed to be used in conjunction with *Piano 101, Book 1*. The familiar popular pieces were chosen to appeal to teens and adults who are studying piano in group or private lessons. When students reach Unit 4 in *Piano 101, Book 1*, they may begin using this book. Pieces from movies, TV, radio and stage reinforce selected concepts from units 4–15. The popular pieces should be studied simultaneously with the correlating unit and assigned according to the instructions in the upper right corner on the first page of each piece.

The pieces included in the book will be familiar to most students. Due to the melodic range and the harmonic vocabulary of the music, in some cases the pieces that correlate with each unit may be a little more complicated than the music found in the *Piano 101* textbook. To aid with learning, starting positions or keys are identified. Students are asked to identify some notes and intervals in the music. In addition, technical aspects such as moves, stretches, cross-overs and pass-unders are labeled to help students learn the music more quickly. Since the music is familiar, students will be able to play many of the more complex rhythms by ear.

The pieces in *Piano 101, Pop Book 1* are sure to motivate and bring hours of enjoyment to students. Have fun!

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This Land Is Your Land

Middle C Position

Words and Music by Woody Guthrie
Arranged by Carol Matz

Cheerfully

1
mf This land is your land, this land is

TEACHER ACCOMPANIMENT (Student plays one octave higher)

Cheerfully

RH
 LH
mp

5 3 1
 4
 7
 10
 14

Take My Breath Away

Key of G Major

Music by Giorgio Moroder
 Words by Tom Whitlock
 Arranged by Carol Matz

Moderately

Watch-ing ev - 'ry mo - tion in my fool-ish lov - er's game,

on this end-less o - cean, fi - n'ly lov - ers know no shame.

Turn-ing and re - turn - ing to some se - cret place in -

side, watch-ing in slow mo - tion

mp

change finger

move

move

move