This book may be begun when the student has learned JUST A SECOND, on page 18 in COMPLETE LESSON BOOK 1 of Alfred’s Basic Piano Library.

The 27 familiar hymns in this book are coordinated with Complete Leon Book 1, and assignments may be made in accordance with the instructions in the upper right corner of the first page of each hymn.

Many students are especially fond of sacred music, and the playing of hymns offers opportunities to reinforce principles learned in the Lesson Books, providing motivation of a kind offered by other types of music. They also serve to provide additional experience in sight reading music at the proper level. Hymns are always appropriate for private performance for family and friends, as well as public performance at recitals, club and church functions.

DUETS: Each hymn contains a duet part that may be played on the same keyboard, together with the solo part. These make excellent student-teacher or student-parent duets, or they may be played by two students of varying levels of advancement. The solo and duet parts contain measure numbers for easy reference during rehearsal. The student parts are complete as solos without the addition of the duet parts.

Abide with Me .................. 40
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Sun of My Soul .................... 38
That Will Be Glory! .................. 48
Winds Through the Olive Trees .......... 6
Wonderful Words of Life ............. 10
All Through the Night

Gently, moderately slow

Sleep, my child, and peace attend thee,

Words by G. Boulton
Melody: Old Welsh Air

DUET PART (Student plays 1 octave higher.)
I Am Bound for the Promised Land

Words by Samuel Stennett
Music: Traditional

Moderately fast

I am bound for the promised land;

OPTIONAL: This hymn is often played in a MINOR key. This can be done by playing B flat instead of B, each time the note occurs, both in the SOLO part and the DUET part.
Abide with Me

Moderately slow

Words by Henry F. Lyte
Melody by William H. Monk

DUET PART (Student plays 1 octave higher.)