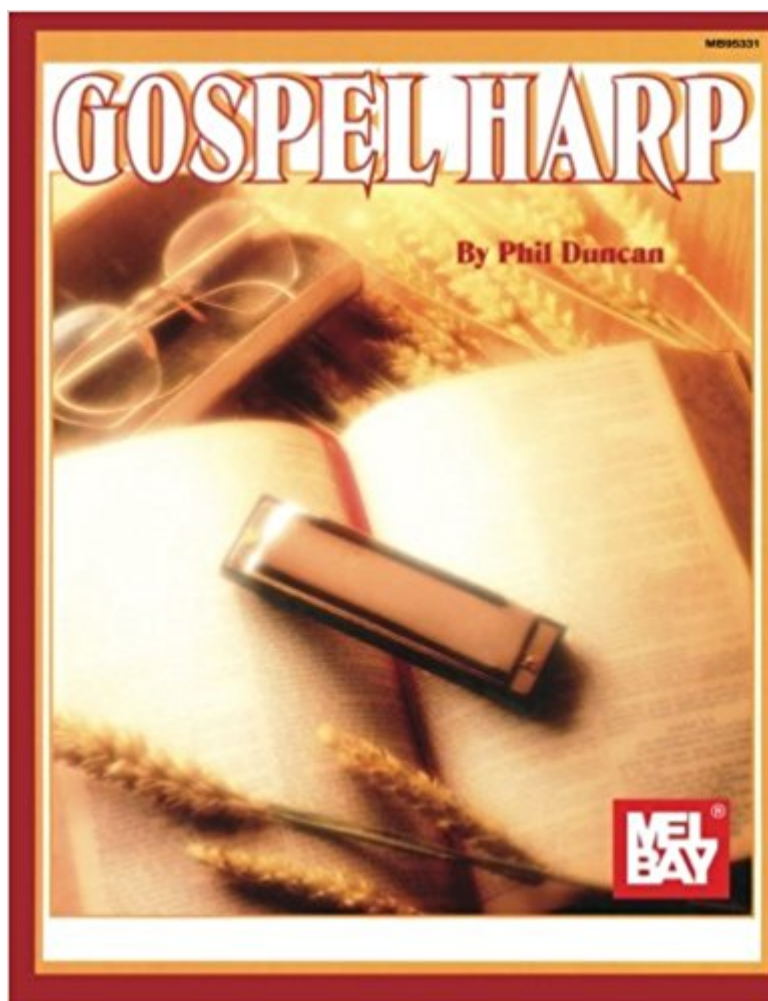


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Gospel Harp



Synopsis

A collection for diatonic, crosssharp, and chromatic harmonica. The gospel songs presented here are written as the song has been presented throughout the years. Key changes have been made to accommodate the harmonica. The first section is standard harmonica, key of C. The second section is in cross-harp (second) position. The third section uses a changed or retuned harmonica such as Lee Oskar's Melody Maker in G, or the Country Tuned Hohner Harmonica in C. Written in standard notation and tablature for diatonic and chromatic harmonicas with lyrics and chord symbols.

Includes 91 tunes such as The Old Rugged Cross; The Love of God; In the Garden; He's Got the Whole World in His Hands; Oh, When the Saints Go Marching In; This Train Is Bound For Glory; His Eye is on the Sparrow; and much more.

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Customer Reviews

Phil Duncan earned his Masters of Music Education degree in 1973 at the University of Missouri-Kansas City Conservatory of Music. His thesis focused on the study of methods for teaching the beginning student of any musical instrument. He has taught piano, guitar, and harmonica since the age of 16, having been introduced to the harmonica by his grandfather at age 7. With a versatile educator's experience ranging from elementary school through university levels, Phil served for many years as the vocal and general music teacher at Lakeview Middle School in Kansas City, Missouri. He is currently teaching at Park University in the Music Department. He instructs choir and voice as well as a class in Kansas City Jazz Style and classes on Music

Education for Elementary Teachers. As a clinician, Phil has conducted workshops at several harmonica conventions and at the University of Missouri-Kansas City, the University of Arkansas, the Texas Music Educator's Conference, and has presented many other clinics throughout the Midwest. He is also active in community education, and has advised teachers in techniques to better instruct their students in the art of playing the harmonica. Phil's career as an author for Mel Bay Publications began in 1979 with the publication of The Deluxe Harmonica Method. This work was the result of ten years of research and two years of diligent writing. Since this auspicious beginning, Phil has published over 20 books and videos with Mel Bay Publications on virtually every aspect of playing the harmonica, making a significant contribution to the repertoire for this instrument. He also has 8 published instructional videos and is a recording artist with 15 albums to his credit. He also performs on guitar and keyboard. Mel Bay has published his Learn to Play Rock/Blues Electronic Keyboard. Missouri Middle Schools's Journal published his article on teaching harmonica playing in the middle school. The Missouri Conservation Commission published several of his harmonica arrangements in its Songbook in 1982. He also is a contributor for the Society for the Preservation and Advancement's Harmonica Happenings news magazine.

I've never written a review before, but I felt this needed to be said. I'm new to the harmonica, and have been looking for a gospel songbook. Since this one is my first, it wasn't a huge deal, but I COULD NOT find any actual list of all of the songs included in this book. Most of the ones I ran across listed 5 or 6 songs, then just tacked on "and many more." So below you'll find a complete list of what songs you actually get. All 3 sections can be played on a C chromatic harmonica, but as for diatonic harmonicas you'll need to refer to the specific section that matches what kind of harmonica style you are using. Also, you might want to be aware that a few of the songs are in an abridged form -- some only featured the notes for the chorus and not the complete verses to the songs. Overall, I'm happy with the book. It's definitely enough to get me started. I just felt that the product description didn't do the book justice.

1ST SECTION -- Standard harmonica key of C-----A Shelter In The Time of Storm
At Calvary
Count Your Blessings
He Brought Me Out
His Eye Is On The Sparrow
I Feel Like Traveling On
I Will Sing The Wondrous Story
In The Twinkling Of An Eye
Just Call On The Name of Jesus
Stepping In The Light
The Love Of God
Throw Out The Life Line
When I See The Blood
A Child Of The King
Heavenly Sunlight
He's Got The Whole World In His Hands
I Surrender All
The Healing Waters
We Shall See The King
When The Battle's Over

2ND SECTION -- Cross-harp position (playing in key of G on the C harmonica)-----Amazing Grace
Amen
I Will Enter His Gates
Oh I Want To See

Him Oh, When The Saints Go Marching In The Glory-Land Way The Haven Of Rest The Lily Of The Valley
 The Unclouded Day This World Is Not My Home We Æ Å Å™ I Understand It Better When The Redeemed Are Gathering In
 When The Roll Is Called Up Yonder Get On Board, Little Children He Æ Å Å™s Everything To Me I Shall Know Him
 Life Is Like A Mountain Railroad More About Jesus My Savior Æ Å Å™s Love For Me O That Will Be Glory Softly And Tenderly 3RD
 SECTION -- written for changed or retuned harmonica such as Lee Oskar's Melody Maker in G or Country Tuned Hohner Harmonica in C----- Whispering Hope Joy To The World A New Name In Glory
 An Old Account Settled Are You Washed In The Blood Brighten The Corner Bring Your Vessels, Not A Few Come And Dine
 Come, Let Us Go Come To The Feast Glory To His Name He Is Able To Deliver Thee He Ransomed Me He Took My Sins Away
 Since Jesus Came Into My Heart I Æ Å Å™ve Anchored In Jesus I Æ Å Å™ve Been Redeemed In The Garden In The Great
 Triumphant Morning It Is Mine Joy Unspeakable Just A Closer Walk With Thee Just Over In The Glory Land
 Love Lifted Me More Abundantly My Burdens Rolled Away Standing On The Promises Still Sweeter Every Day
 The Church In The Wildwood The Old Rugged Cross There Shall Be Showers Of Blessing Victory Victory Ahead
 When We All Get To Heaven Æ Å Åœ Whosoever Æ Å Å• Meaneth Me Will The Circle Be Unbroken Every Time I Feel The Spirit
 He Æ Å Å™s A Wonderful Savior To Me I Shall Not Be Moved I Will Sing Of The Mercies Of The Lord
 It Æ Å Å™s Just Like His Great Love It is Truly Wonderful Sweeter As The Years Go By Tell It To Jesus
 The Name of Jesus This Train Is Bound For Glory We Æ Å Å™ I Give The Glory To Jesus When They Ring Those Golden Bells
 Walk Down That Calv Æ Å Å™ry Road Leaning On Your Love

Purchased for my son-in-law. He loves it. I love all of the old hymns in the book.

This book has a lot of my old favorites and several new songs that I enjoy playing just for the kick of it. One could use a normal hymnal if accustomed to just reading music, but if one is accustomed to the numbers and arrows, or wants to isolate the melody and have the guitar cords listed, this is the book of choice.

I'm a beginner on the harmonica and found the book easy to follow and play. Shows both notes and number technique.

It was as advertised and came at the right time....

This was the book I have been looking for for a long time. It has all the songs I love and I like the explanation on playing the harp.

nice book, just a different format than I am used to

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