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"[Beethoven's] music never grows old—and, enjoyed alongside Mr. Lockwood's expert commentary, it sparkles with fresh magic."—Wall Street Journal More than any other composer, Beethoven left to posterity a vast body of material that documents the early stages of almost everything he wrote. From this trove of sketchbooks, Lewis Lockwood draws us into the composer's mind, unveiling a creative process of astonishing scope and originality. For musicians and nonmusicians alike, Beethoven's symphonies stand at the summit of artistic achievement, loved today as they were two hundred years ago for their emotional cogency, variety, and unprecedented individuality. Beethoven labored to complete nine of them over his lifetime—a quarter of Mozart's output and a tenth of Haydn's—yet no musical works are more iconic, more indelibly stamped on the memory of anyone who has heard them. They are the products of an imagination that drove the composer to build out of the highest musical traditions of the past something startlingly new. Lockwood brings to bear a long career of studying the surviving sources that yield insight into Beethoven's creative work, including concept sketches for symphonies that were never finished. From these, Lockwood offers fascinating revelations into the historical and biographical circumstances in which the symphonies were composed. In this compelling story of Beethoven's singular ambition, Lockwood introduces readers to the symphonies as individual artworks, broadly tracing their genesis against the backdrop of political upheavals, concert life, and their relationship to his major works in other genres. From the first symphonies, written during his emerging deafness, to the monumental Ninth, Lockwood brings to life Beethoven's lifelong passion to compose works of unsurpassed beauty.

"Brilliant....This book is a perfect marriage—or should one say, duet—of subject and author, every word as masterly as the notes of the artist it illuminates." — Christopher Buckley, *Forbes* "This is not just criticism but poetry in itself, with the additional—and inestimable—merit of being true." — Washington Post Book World Pulitzer Prize-winning author Edmund Morris (*The Rise of Theodore Roosevelt*, *Theodore Rex*, *Dutch*) is one of America's most distinguished biographers, known for his rich, compulsively readable prose style. His biography of Beethoven, one of the most admired composers in the history of music, is above all a study of genius in action, of one of the few giants of Western culture. Beethoven is another engaging entry in the HarperCollins' "Eminent Lives" series of biographies by distinguished authors on canonical figures.

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The Concerto

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Complete Piano Concertos in Full Score

Charles Mackerras

The Bach Double Violin Concerto Study Book

Twelve-tone and serial music were dominant forms of composition following World War II and remained so at least through the mid-1970s. In 1961, Ann Phillips Basart published the pioneering bibliographic work in the field.

Using the history of the composition of Beethoven's string quartets as the backbone to his story, Edward Dusinberre - leader of the Takacs Quartet - recounts the life of the Quartet from its inception in Hungary, through emigration to the US and its present-day life of world renown. He also describes what it was like for him, as a young man fresh out of Julliard, to join the quartet as its (non-Hungarian) leader - a challenging task. Beethoven for a Later Age takes the reader inside the life of a quartet, vividly showing how four people make music together over a long period of time without becoming stale, or falling out. The key, the author argues, is in continual change and experiment - and these are at the heart of Beethoven's remarkable compositions for quartet.

Beethoven scholar and classical radio host John Suchet has had a lifelong, ardent interest in the man and his music. Here, in his first full-length biography, Suchet illuminates the composer's difficult childhood, his struggle to maintain friendships and romances, his ungovernable temper, his obsessive efforts to control his nephew's life, and the excruciating decline of his hearing. This absorbing narrative provides a comprehensive account of a momentous life, as it takes the reader on a journey from the composer's birth in Bonn to his death in Vienna. Chronicling the landmark events in Beethoven's career—from his competitive encounters with Mozart to the circumstances surrounding the creation of the well-known Für Elise and Moonlight Sonata—this book enhances understanding of the composer's character, inspiring a deeper appreciation for his work. Beethoven scholarship is constantly evolving, and Suchet draws on the latest research, using rare source material (some of which has never before been published in English) to paint a complete and vivid portrait of the legendary prodigy.

"Life of Beethoven" is a 1840 biography of Beethoven written by his friend Anton Schindler. Ludwig van Beethoven (1770–1827) was a German composer and pianist. Beethoven's musical prowess was recognised from an early age, and he soon became famous as a virtuoso pianist and composer. However, after having gone almost completely deaf by 1814, Beethoven ceased public performances and appearances entirely. One of the most celebrated composers in Western history, Beethoven's music remains amongst the most commonly-performed classical music around the world. Contents include: "First Period - From His Birth To The Year 1800", "Second Period - From 1800 To October, 1813", "Third Period - From November, 1813, Till His Death, in 1827, Part I", "Third Period - Till His Death In 1827, Part II", "Third Period - From 1824 Till Beethoven's Death In 1827, Part III", "Musical Observations", etc. A unique early biography of Beethoven by someone who knew him personally not to be missed by those with an interest in classical music in general. Anton Felix Schindler (1795–1864) was a friend, secretary, and biographer of Ludwig van Beethoven. Other notable works by this author include: "Beethoven as I knew him" (1996) and "The life of Beethoven (1966). Read & Co. Books is republishing this classic biography now

in a new edition complete with a specially-commissioned new biography of the author.

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Life of Beethoven

From Dear Distant Damp Dublin

The Universal Composer

A Practical Guide

Anguish and Triumph

Volume 1 considers the uses to which social representation and modes of social behavior are put by individuals and groups, describing the tactics available to the common man for reclaiming his own autonomy from the all-pervasive forces of commerce, politics, and culture. Volume 2 is based on on microhistories that move from the private sphere (of dwelling, cooking, and homemaking) to the public (the experience of living in a neighborhood). Delves into the subtle tactics of resistance and private practices that make living a subversive art.

Many of the earliest books, particularly those dating back to the 1900s and before, are now extremely scarce and increasingly expensive. We are republishing these classic works in affordable, high quality, modern editions, using the original text and artwork. This guide to the concerto consists of four parts corresponding to the major periods of music-baroque, classical, romantic and 20th century-through which the concerto evolved. Within these sections, attention is given to geographical regions where different approaches to concerto style are found.

Provides a detailed overview of the life of Ludwig van Beethoven, from Enlightenment-era Bonn to the musical capital of Vienna, describing the composer's career, ill health, and romantic rejections.

Piano Concerto No.5 in E-Flat Major by Ludwig Van Beethoven for Solo Piano (1810) Op.73

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For Flute/Oboe/Violin and Cello/Bassoon

Living and cooking. Volume 2

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This is a compact, composite and authoritative survey of the history and development of the cello and its repertory since the origins of the instrument. The volume comprises thirteen essays, written by a team of nine distinguished scholars and performers, and is intended to develop the cello's historical perspective in breadth and from every relevant angle, offering as comprehensive a coverage as possible. It focuses in particular on four principal areas: the instrument's structure, development and fundamental acoustical principles; the careers of the most distinguished cellists since the baroque era; the cello repertory (including chapters devoted to the concerto, the sonata, other solo repertory, and ensemble music); and its technique, teaching methods and relevant aspects of historical and performance practice. It is the most comprehensive book ever to be published about the instrument and provides essential information for performers, students and teachers.

This book presents exercises and studies to help violinists learn and perfect the first movement of J. S. Bach's Concerto for Two Violins in D minor. The entire movement is broken down into short sections and taught. Difficulties such as shifting and bowing are approached from a variety of perspectives, giving the violinist a chance to master this staple of the classic violin repertoire. Both the first and second violin parts are taught. The violin parts to the first movement of the Concerto are presented in their entirety at the end of the book (the piano accompaniment is not included).

(String). This collection presents 31 pieces by fifteen composers for the intermediate- to advanced-level player. Includes piano accompaniment part. Includes: JEAN-BAPTISTE ACCOLAY: Concerto No. 1 in A minor JOHANN SEBASTIAN BACH: Concerto No. 1 in A minor, BWV 1041 * Concerto No. 2 in E Major, BWV 1042 * Partita No. 3 in E Major, BWV 1006 * Presto from Sonata No. 1 in G minor, BWV 1001 LUDWIG VAN BEETHOVEN: Romance in F Major, Op. 50 * Sonata in F Major, Op. 24 ("Spring") JOHANNES BRAHMS: Adagio from Sonata in D minor, Op. 108 ARCANGELO CORELLI: La Folia Variations CHARLES DANCLA: Six Airs Varies ANTONIN DVORAK: Allegro moderato from Four Romantic Pieces , Op. 75 * Allegro appassionato from Four Romantic Pieces , Op. 75 * Scherzo: Molto vivace from Sonatina in G Major, Op. 100 * Finale: Allegro from Sonatina in G Major, Op. 100 GEORGE FRIDERICH HANDEL: Sonata No. 2 in G minor * Sonata No. 4 in D Major JEAN-MARIE LECLAIR: Un poco andante from Sonata in D Major * Allegro from Sonata in D Major WOLFGANG AMADEUS MOZART: Allegro con spirito from Sonata in G Major, K. 301 * Allegro from Concerto No. 3 in G Major, K. 216 * Sonata in E minor, K. 304 FRANZ SCHUBERT: Sonatina No. 1 in D Major, D. 384 (Op. 137, No. 13) FRIEDRICH SEITZ: Pupil's Concerto No. 5 in D Major, Op. 22 PYOTR IL'YICH TCHAIKOVSKY: Canzonetta from Violin Concerto in D Major, Op. 35 GEORG PHILIPP TELEMANN: Sonatina No. 2 in B-flat Major ANTONIO VIVALDI: Largo from Concerto in F minor, RV 297 ("Winter")

Dark, Strange, and Fascinating Tales from the World of Classical Music and Beyond

Meet the Orchestra

A History of the Concerto

Performing Beethoven

Letters, Journals, and Conversations

Beethoven's Symphonies: An Artistic Vision

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Three of the most popular Romantic violin concertos performed today in one volume. Includes Beethoven, Concerto

Violin and Orchestra in D Major, Opus 61 (1806); Mendelssohn, Concerto for Violin and Orchestra in E Minor, Opus 64 (1844); and Tchaikovsky, Concerto for Violin and Orchestra in D Major, Opus 35 (1878).

****WINNER of Presto Books' Best Composer Biography**** NINE WORKS OF BEETHOVEN, NINE WINDOWS INTO THE LIFE AND LEGACY OF A MUSICAL GENIUS. 'We are doubly blessed that Beethoven should have led such an extraordinary life. Laura has combined the two - the genius of his music and the richness of his experiences - to shed a revealing light on our greatest composer' John Humphrys _____ Ludwig van Beethoven: to some, simply the greatest ever composer of Western classical music. Yet his life remains shrouded in myths. In *Beethoven*, Oxford professor Laura Tunbridge cuts through the noise. With each chapter focusing on a period of his life and a piece of music and revealing theme - from family to friends, from heroism to liberty - she provides a rich insight into the man and the music. Revealing a wealth of never-before-seen material, this tour de force is a compelling, accessible portrayal of one of the world's most creative minds and it will transform how you listen for ever.

_____ 'Tunbridge has come up with the seemingly impossible: a new way of approaching Beethoven's life and music . . . profoundly original and hugely readable' John Suchet, author *Beethoven: The Man Revealed* 'This well researched and accessible book is a must read for all who seek to know more about the flesh and blood tangible Beethoven.' John Clubbe, author of *Beethoven: The Relentless Revolutionary* 'This book is really wonderful! ... However many books on Beethoven you own, find the space for one more. This one' Stephen Hough, pianist, composer, writer 'In a year when everyone's looking for a new take on Beethoven, Laura Tunbridge has found a new one. Fresh and engaging' Norman Lebrecht, author of *Genius and Anxiety* 'Remarkable . . . she captures the essence of his genius and character. I'll always want to keep it in easy reach' Julia Boyd, author of *Travellers in the third Reich* [Book Summary] Emigration seemed the only path to the future in 1962 when Marita O'Connell left Ireland for America with two bulging suitcases and \$10 to finance her new life. Based on childhood diaries, *Galloping Green: From Dear Distant Damp Dublin* tells her engaging and humorous story of growing up with a mother whose family were British Protestants, and an Irish Catholic father with colorful republican ancestry. The second half shows Marita searching for a better life in America and recounts how her invincible spirit helped her to overcome numerous hurdles in her quest. Through example, *Galloping Green* shows readers that no matter what life presents, there is always another path "with the air will smell fresh and the sun will warm your face."

Music and Politics in San Francisco

A Critical Edition : with Explanatory Notes

The Man Revealed

A Research and Information Guide

Galloping Green

Beethoven, the Man and the Artist

The ten essays in this volume explore different aspects of the performance of instrumental works by Beethoven. Each essay discusses performance issues from Beethoven's time to the present, whether the objective be to realise a performance in an historically appropriate manner, to elucidate the interpretation of Beethoven's music by conductors and performers, to clarify transcriptions by editors or to reconstruct the experience of the listener in various different periods. Four contributions focus on the piano music while another group concentrates on Beethoven's music for strings. These chapters are complemented by an examination of Beethoven's exploitation of the developing wind choir, an evaluation of early twentieth-century recordings as pointers to early nineteenth-century performance practice and an historical survey of rescoring in Beethoven's symphonies.

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This lyrical romp through the orchestra begins with animal musicians slowly gathering for the evening performance. Poetic descriptions suggest the sounds of the instruments, and lively watercolor illustrations capture the playful essence of each musician and musical instrument. "It's a smashing introduction to classical music, and a must prior to a first visit to the symphony."--Publishers Weekly

An invaluable guide to the available historical source material on playing the violin and viola.

Beethoven for a Later Age

Music Dictionary

Beethoven

21 Days to a Healthy Heart

Three Duets

Volume One

Fiction. This brilliant first novel is a portrait of an artist at the end of an art form. The elderly Jewish-Hungarian composer Schneidermann, who survived a musical education, survived the war, survived Europe, survived the neglect of all his music, finally and suddenly vanishes during a movie matinee on the Upper West Side of New York. The novel begins with Schneidermann's friend--his last friend, his only friend--the violin virtuoso Laster, onstage at Carnegie Hall. He has finished playing the first movement of Schneidermann's last composition, his Violin Concerto. At this point he is supposed to begin his cadenza...his solo. Instead, he drops his instrument and lifts his voice, delivering the text of this novel unto the audience, held captive through night into morning only by the spiel.

(Paperback Songs). This convenient new paperback-sized music dictionary is divided into three main sections. The Dictionary of Music Terms concisely defines more than 2,200 notation and theory terms, and instruments and terms used in pop music, electronic music and the music business. The Dictionary of Musicians provides more than 450 capsule biographies of composers and other musicians, noting dates of birth and death,

nationality, historical period, areas of composition, and major works. Finally, a collection of Reference Charts gives instant, at-a-glance summaries of the essentials of music: notation signs and symbols including tab and scales, modes and key signatures.

The first individual study of Beethoven's Violin Concerto.

The most trustworthy source of information available today on savings and investments, taxes, money management, home ownership and many other personal finance topics.

From the 1906 Quake to the Second World War

Welcome to the Symphony

Cadenza for the Schneidermann Violin Concerto

Immortal

Paperback Lessons

The Practice of Everyday Life

"Roth Family Foundation music in America imprint"--Prelim. p.

By the time of his death in 2010 at the age of 84, Sir Charles Mackerras had achieved widespread recognition, recorded extensively and developed into a conductor of major international significance. In addition to areas in which he already had forged a distinctive and definitive profile (Janacek, Mozart, Handel, Sullivan) he revisited - and rethought - much of the standard repertoire. The last thirty years were particularly momentous in the coming to fruition of so many cherished projects: not only the Janacek operas but the Gilbert and Sullivan series, the Mozart operas, the two Beethoven cycles, other projects with the Scottish Chamber Orchestra (Schumann and Brahms at Edinburgh; the outstanding late Mozart) and at the Royal Opera House and the Met. Unspoilt by fame, and undeterred by personal tragedies and increasing physical frailty, he remained productive and inventive: for him music-making, whether with world-class professionals or with students, was a kind of joyous oxygen that kept him going right to the end. A detailed narrative account of his life by Nigel Simeone is complemented by chapters written by performers and scholars who worked closely with him: Alfred Brendel, Dame Janet Baker, David Lloyd-Jones, Dame Anne Evans, Sir Antonio Pappano, Sir Nicholas Hytner, John Tyrrell and Jiri Zahrada. There are also chapters based on interviews with his family. The book is illustrated with photographs, both informal and professional, and is supplemented by an up-to-date discography, by listings of all the performances of Janacek operas Sir Charles conducted and of all his concerts in Czechoslovakia and the Czech Republic. While Sir Charles' whole life is considered, emphasis is given to his final quarter century in which so many important projects were realized. This book celebrates and epitomizes an exceptional life. NIGEL SIMEONE has published books on Janacek, Messiaen and Bernstein. JOHN TYRRELL has published books on Janacek and Czech opera and, with Sir Charles Mackerras, edited two Janacek operas. Contributors: Janet Baker, Alfred Brendel, Ales Brezina, Rosenna East, Anne Evans, Nicholas Hytner, Simon Keenlyside, David Lloyd-Jones, David Mackie, Chi-chi Nwanoku, Antonio Pappano, Nigel Simeone, John Stein, Heinz Stolba, Patrick Summers, John Tyrrell, Malcolm Walker, David Whelton, Jiri Zahrada

Who was Beethoven's 'Immortal Beloved'? After Ludwig van Beethoven's death, a love letter in his writing was discovered, addressed only to his 'Immortal Beloved'. Decades later, Countess Therese Brunsvik claims to have been the composer's lost love. Yet is she concealing a tragic secret? Who is the one person who deserves to know the truth? Becoming Beethoven's pupils in 1799, Therese and her sister Josephine followed his struggles against the onset of deafness, Viennese society's flamboyance, privilege and hypocrisy and the upheavals of the Napoleonic wars. While Therese sought liberation, Josephine found the odds stacked against even the most unquenchable of passions...

Beethoven's Skull is an unusual and often humorous survey of the many strange happenings in the history of Western classical music. Proving that good music and shocking tabloid-style stories make excellent bedfellows, it presents tales of revenge, murder, curious accidents, and strange fates that span more than two thousand years. Highlights include: A cursed song that kills those who hear it A composer who lovingly cradles the head of Beethoven's corpse when his remains are exhumed half a century after his death A fifteenth-century German poet who sings of the real-life Dracula A dream of the devil that inspires a virtuoso violin piece Unlike many music books that begin their histories with the seventeenth or eighteenth centuries, Beethoven's Skull takes the reader back to the world of ancient Greece and Rome, progressing through the Middle Ages and all the way into the twentieth century. It also looks at myths and legends, superstitions, and musical mysteries, detailing the ways that musicians and their peers have been rather horrible to one another over the centuries.

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The Journey of a String Quartet

Beethoven's Skull

A Novel

Violin and Piano

Using one of the most famous works in classical music—Beethoven's Fifth Symphony—here is the perfect way to introduce a young child to the world of classical music. This charming and interactive picture book with its panel of 19 sound buttons is like a ticket to a concert hall, taking readers on a journey from the exciting first moment when the musicians begin tuning up to the end of the first movement (attention newcomers: don't clap yet!). At each step of the way, readers learn the basics of classical music and the orchestra: What is a conductor? What is a symphony? Who was Beethoven? The different aspects of music: melody, harmony, tempo, theme. And the families of instruments—strings, woodwinds, brass, and percussion. But the best part is that every critical idea is illustrated in gorgeous sound. The sound panel allows readers to hear the different parts of the symphony and voices of the music—the famous beginning of the Fifth, what a clarinet sounds like, the difference between a violin and a viola, what a melody is, and what harmony is. Kids will want to match their voices to the A note that tunes the orchestra, dance to the rhythmic

passages—and, of course, sing along to da-da-da-daah!

Expertly arranged Chamber Duo by Ludwig van Beethoven from the Kalmus Edition series. These three duets are from the Classical and Romantic eras and were written for Flute/Oboe/Violin and Cello/Bassoon.

Complete scores of five great Beethoven piano concertos, with all cadenzas as he wrote them, reproduced from authoritative Breitkopf & Härtel edition. Includes new table of contents.

As Revealed in His Own Words

A Musical Exploration of the Orchestra Using Beethoven's Symphony No. 5

Beethoven's Letters

The Early Violin and Viola

Beethoven: Violin Concerto

Giant Book of Violin Classics for Violin with Piano Accompaniment