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Il Trittico, Turandot, and Puccini's Late Style

- Andrew Davis

2010-09-09

Giacomo Puccini is one of the most frequently performed and best loved of all operatic

composers. In *Il Trittico*, *Turandot*, and *Puccini's Late Style*, Andrew Davis takes on the subject of Puccini's last two works to better understand how the composer creates meaning

through the juxtaposition of the conventional and the unfamiliar -- situating Puccini in past operatic traditions and modern European musical theater. Davis asserts that hearing Puccini's late works within the context of *la solita forma* allows listeners to interpret the composer's expressive strategies. He examines Puccini's compositional language, with insightful analyses of melody, orchestration, harmony, voice-leading, and rhythm and meter. Ideas and Styles in the Western Musical Tradition - Douglass Seaton 2017 Ideas and Styles in the Western Musical Tradition, Fourth Edition, explores the conceptual frameworks that have shaped musical development from antiquity to the present. In a lively

narrative that prompts readers to think both critically and creatively, Douglass Seaton uses historical documents from thinkers, artists, and musicians to add rich detail to the compelling story of Western music. This brief and accessible narrative of music history features numerous works of art, literature, and music that immerse students in the historical and intellectual contexts of musical styles. The thoroughly updated and revised fourth edition offers: · New pedagogy including chapter-opening summaries and outlines; marginal cues to identify key ideas in each paragraph; and extended excerpts from key historical texts · Increased and balanced coverage of women's roles in music history, ranging from discussions of key composers and

performers like Isabella d'Este and Fanny Hensel to women's important roles as patrons · A custom score anthology drawn from the Oxford History of Western Music offers students full scores and analysis for key works from the text · A more user-friendly design makes it easier for students to quickly locate key information · Updates to the narrative throughout, including the most recent research findings along with updates to the reception of key works

Pacific Coast Musical Review - 1920

The Art of Accompanying and Coaching - Kurt

Adler 2012-12-06
IN WRITING a book for which there is no precedent (the tistic achievements. But, alas, there has not been such last textbooks about accompanying were written during a genius

in the realm of music during the twentieth the age of thorough bass or shortly thereafter - the century. The creative musical genius of our space age eighteenth and early nineteenth centuries - and dealt has yet to be discovered, if he has been born. exclusively with the problems timely then) one must Our time has perfected technique to such a degree make one's own rules and set one's own standards. This that it could not help but create perfect technician freedom makes the task somewhat easier, if, on the one artists. Our leading creative artists master technique hand, one looks to the past: there is no generally ap to the point of being able to shift from one style to proved model to be followed and to be compared with another without difficulty. Take

Stravinsky and Picasso, one's work; but, on the other hand, the task is hard be for instance: they have gone back and forth through as cause one's responsibility to present and future genera many periods of style as they wished. Only with a stu tions of accompanists and coaches is great.

Mirabai Songs - John Harbison 1992

The Structure of Singing - Richard Miller 1996

For the beginning or intermediate student, in class or individual study, this book provides a fresh and thorough introduction to vocal technique and repertoire relevant to today's student. Its anthology contains 15 folk songs, 15 art songs, and 15 songs from the musical theatre. Illustrations and a glossary accompany the text, whith features

chapter discussions on practicing vocalizing, breathing, learning a song, the theatrics of singing, and music reading.

Complete Opera Book - Gustav Kobbe 1961

Dictionary Catalog of the Music Collection - New York Public Library. Reference Department 1964

G. Schirmer Newsletter - 1964

Music Lovers Encyclopedia - Rupert Hughes 2017-08-21
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process, and thank you for being an important part of keeping this knowledge alive and relevant.

Boosey & Hawkes Opera Anthology - Soprano -

Hal Leonard Corp.

2018-06-01

(Boosey & Hawkes Voice).

This landmark publication collects arias and role excerpts from operas by John Adams, Benjamin Britten, Carlisle Floyd, Richard Strauss, and many other composers published by Boosey & Hawkes.

Includes extensive plot notes and translations.

The soprano volume also includes ten arias for coloratura.

CONTENTS FOR SOPRANO: John Adams:

DOCTOR ATOMIC: Am I in your light? * NIXON IN

CHINA: I don't daydream * Dominick Argento: THE

BOOR: The Widow's Aria * CASANOVA'S HOMECOMING:

Though absent from these ears and eyes * THE

VOYAGE OF EDGAR ALLAN

POE: Virginia's Aria *
Leonard Bernstein: A
QUIET PLACE: Dede's Aria
* Benjamin Britten:
ALBERT HERRING: I'm full
of happiness * Miss
Wordsworth's Aria *
GLORIANA: The Dressing-
Table Song * The Queen's
Dilemma * A MIDSUMMER
NIGHT'S DREAM: Injurious
Hermia * PETER GRIMES:
Let her among you
without fault *
Embroidery Aria * THE
TURN OF THE SCREW: How
beautiful it is * Lost
in my labryrinth * Aaron
Copland: THE TENDER
LAND: Laurie's Song *
Carlisle Floyd: COLD
SASSY TREE: Rented rooms
* OF MICE AND MEN:
Curly's Wife's Aria *
SUSANNAH: Ain't it a
pretty night * The trees
on the mountains *
WUTHERING HEIGHTS: I've
dreamt in my life * John
Gay, realized by
Benjamin Britten: THE
BEGGAR'S OPERA: I'm like
a skiff on the ocean
tossed * When young at

the bar...Ungrateful
Macheath! * Henry
Purcell, realized and
edited by Benjamin
Britten and Imogen
Holst: DIDO AND AENEAS:
Oft she visits this
lov'd mountain * Thanks
to these lonesome vales
* Sergei Rachmaninoff:
FRANCESCA DA RIMINI:
Francesca's Aria * Ned
Rorem: OUR TOWN: Emily's
Aria * Richard Strauss:
ARABELLA: Das war sehr
gut, Mandryka * ARIADNE
AUF NAXOS: Es gibt ein
Reich * CAPRICCIO: Kein
Andres, das mir so im
Herzen loht (Letzte
Szene/Final Scene) * DER
ROSENKAVALIER: Da geht
er hin (Monolog der
Marschallin/Marschallin'
s Monologue) * Igor
Stravinsky: THE RAKE'S
PROGRESS: No word from
Tom...I go to him
CONTENTS FOR COLORATURA
SOPRANO: John Adams:
NIXON IN CHINA: I am the
wife of Mao Tsetung *
Dominick Argento: MISS
HAVISHAM'S FIRE: I see

in you a looking glass *
POSTCARD FROM MOROCCO:
Lady with a Hand Mirror
Aria * Jack Beeson:
CAPTAIN JINKS OF THE
HORSE MARINES: Aurelia's
Aria * Leonard
Bernstein: CANDIDE:
Glitter and Be Gay *
Benjamin Britten: A
MIDSUMMER NIGHT'S DREAM:
Come, now a roundel * Be
kind and courteous *
Richard Strauss:
ARABELLA: Die Wiener
Herrn verstehn sich *
ARIADNE AUF NAXOS:
Grossmatige Prinzessin *
Igor Stravinsky: LE
ROSSIGNOL: Chanson du
Rossignol
Musorgsky - Richard
Taruskin 1997-07-27
Incorporating both new
and now-classic essays,
this book sets the vocal
works of Modest
Musorgsky in a fully
detailed cultural,
political, and
historical context,
elevating the composer's
image over other
biographers. Among the

book's many offerings
are the most complete
explanation of the
revision of the opera
"Boris Godunov", and a
revisionary
characterization of
"Khovanshchina" as an
aristocratic tragedy
resulting from a
pessimistic view of
history. Includes 102
music examples.
*The Clarinet in the
Classical Period* -
Albert R. Rice
2008-01-15

A comprehensive study of
the clarinet in use
through the classical
period, 1760 to 1830, a
period of intensive
musical experimentation.
The book provides a
detailed review and
analysis of
construction, design,
materials, and makers of
clarinets. Rice also
explores how clarinet
construction and
performance practice
developed in tandem with
the musical styles of

the period.

Anthology of Musical Forms - Structure & Style (Expanded Edition)

- Leon Stein 1999-11-27
Structure and Style, first published in 1962 and expanded in 1979, fills the need for new ways of analysis that put 20th-century music in perspective. It spans forms in use before 1600 through forms and techniques in use today. Anthology of Musical Forms provides musical examples of forms treated in Structure and Style. Some examples are analyzed throughout. Most are left for the student to analyze. These books reflect Leon Stein's impressive background as student, musician, and composer. Stein studied composition with Leo Sowerby, Frederick Stock (conductor of the Chicago Symphony) and orchestration with Eric DeLamarter, his

assistant. He earned M. Mus and Ph.D degrees at DePaul University and was associated with its School of Music as director of the Graduate Division and chairman of the Department of Theory and Composition until his retirement in 1976. He has composed a wide variety of works, including compositions for orchestra, chamber combinations, two operas, and a violin concerto.

Musical Digest - 1923

Musical America - 1919

Teaching Singing in the 21st Century - Scott D.

Harrison 2014-05-14

This volume brings together a group of leading international researchers and practitioners in voice pedagogy alongside emerging academics and practitioners. Encompassing research across voice science and

pedagogy, this innovative collection transcends genre boundaries and provides new knowledge about vocal styles and approaches from classical and musical theatre to contemporary commercial music. The work is sure to be valuable in tertiary institutions, schools and community music associations, suitable for use by private studio teachers, and will appeal to choral leaders and music educators interested in vocal pedagogy. "I thoroughly enjoyed reading this book and I am confident it will help bring all aspects of vocal pedagogy firmly into the 21st century. Refreshingly, many different areas of pedagogy are included in the text so we can all work together to more fully understand the singing voice. Up to the

moment research is included along with an exploration of the evolving contemporary styles of singing. Further, areas regarding teaching and curriculum in higher education are also reviewed. All in all, this text a crucial addition to a professional's vocal library." Jeanne Goffi-Fynn, Teachers College, Columbia University, USA.

The Study of Harmony - Diether de la Motte 1991

Negro Musicians and their Music - Maud

Cuney-Hare 2015-10-27

In offering this study of Negro music, I do so with the admission that there is no consistent development as found in national schools of music. The Negro, a musical force, through his own distinct racial characteristics has made an artistic contribution which is racial but not

yet national. Rather has the influence of musical stylistic traits termed Negro, spread over many nations wherever the colonies of the New World have become homes of Negro people. These expressions in melody and rhythm have been a compelling force in American music ð tragic and joyful in emotion, pathetic and ludicrous in melody, primitive and barbaric in rhythm. The welding of these expressions has brought about a harmonic effect which is now influencing thoughtful musicians throughout the world. At present there is evidenced a new movement far from academic, which plays an important technical part in the music of this and other lands. The question as to whether there exists a pure Negro art in America is warmly debated. Many Negroes as well as Anglo-Americans

admit that the so-called American Negro is no longer an African Negro. Apart from the fusion of blood he has for centuries been moved by the same stimuli which have affected all citizens of the United States. They argue rightly that he is a product of a vital American civilization with all its daring, its progress, its ruthlessness, and unlovely speed. As an integral part of the nation, the Negro is influenced by like social environment and governed by the same political institutions; thus page vi we may expect the ultimate result of his musical endeavors to be an art-music which embodies national characteristics exercised upon by his soul's expression. In the field of composition, the early sporadic efforts by

people of African descent, while not without historic importance, have been succeeded by contributions from a rising group of talented composers of color who are beginning to find a listening public. The tendency of this music is toward the development of an American symphonic, operatic and ballet school led for the moment by a few lone Negro musicians of vision and high ideals. The story of those working toward this end is herein treated. Facts for this volume have been obtained from educated African scholars with whom the author sought acquaintanceship and from printed sources found in the Boston Public Library, the New York Public Library and the Music Division of the Library of Congress.

The author has also had access to rare collections and private libraries which include her own. Folk material has been gathered in personal travel.

Music in the Eighteenth Century - John A. Rice
2013

Eighteenth Century Music in its cultural, social, and intellectual contexts. John Rice's *Music in the Eighteenth Century* takes the reader on an engrossing Grand Tour of Europe's musical centers, from Naples, to London, Berlin, Vienna, Prague, and St. Petersburg –with a side trip to the colonial New World. Against the backdrop of Europe's largely peaceful division into Catholic and Protestant realms, Rice shows how "learned" and "galant" styles developed and commingled. While considering Mozart, Haydn, and early

Beethoven in depth, he broadens his focus to assess the contributions of lesser-known but significant figures like Johann Adam Hiller, Francois-André Philidor, and Anna Bon. *Western Music in Context: A Norton History* comprises six volumes of moderate length, each written in an engaging style by a recognized expert. Authoritative and current, the series examines music in the broadest sense—as sounds notated, performed, and heard—focusing not only on composers and works, but also on broader social and intellectual currents.

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for orchestra, chamber combinations, two operas, and a violin concerto.

Music in the Baroque Era - From Monteverdi to Bach

Manfred F. Bukofzer 2013-04-16

This vintage book contains a comprehensive treatise of Baroque music. It was written for the music student and music lover, with the aim of acquainting them with this great period of music history and helping them to gain a historical understanding of music without which baroque music cannot be fully appreciated and enjoyed. Written in simple, plain language and full of fascinating information about baroque music, this text will appeal to those interested in music but who have little previous knowledge of baroque, and it would make for a most worthy addition to

collections of music-related literature. The chapters of this book include: 'Early Baroque in Italy'; 'The Beginnings of the Concertato Style: Gabrieli'; 'The Phases of Baroque Music'; 'Tradition and progress in Sacred Music'; 'The Netherlands School and Its English Background', et cetera. We are republishing this antiquarian volume now in an affordable, modern edition complete with a new prefatory biography of the author.

Alto - Dan H. Marek
2016-10-20

Everyone is familiar with the words diva or prima donna, which have come to mean a (usually) outrageous operatic soprano, but there was a time when the star of the show was more often a contralto, or a soprano singing in today's mezzo-soprano range. This performer

was referred to as an alto. In the 17th and 18th centuries, the male and female leading roles were likely to be sung by emasculated males, the alto castrati, although there were many great female altos during this period as well. The music for these fantastic artists, written by such composers as Porpora, Vinci, Hasse, and even Handel, has been largely forgotten. At the beginning of the 19th century, as the castrati died out, their roles were often assumed by female altos referred to as musici. New repertoire continued to be written for them by Rossini and others, but gradually, this musical tradition and technique was lost. Now, however, because of the talent and industry of such gifted artists as Marilyn Horne, Cecilia Bartoli, and Joyce

DiDonato, and the sudden ease with which the performance of these forgotten works can be obtained, there is a resurgence of interest in the performance and preservation of this lost art. Alto: The Voice of Bel Canto examines the careers of nearly 320 great alto singers, including the great castrati, from the dawn of opera in 1597 to the present. The music of the composers who wrote for the alto voice is discussed along with musical examples and suggestions for listening. The exploration of the greatest altos' careers and techniques offers inspiration for aspiring young singers as well as absorbing reading for the music lover who wants to know more about the fascinating world of opera.

Bach - Malcolm Boyd 2000
As the world this year

notes the 250th anniversary of the great composer's death, this new edition of a widely acclaimed study alternates biographical chapters with commentary on Bach's works to demonstrate how the circumstances of his life helped shape his music.

Arias for Soprano, Volume 2 - Robert L. Larsen 2004-07-01 (Vocal Collection). The G. Schirmer Opera Anthology series revolutionized opera aria study after its release in 1991. There are so many wonderful soprano arias that a second volume was warranted. The music is predominantly for lyric soprano. As in the original volumes, these are new, clean editions, with historical and plot information about each of the 32 arias included.

Bastien und Bastienne -

Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart
1997

Coloratura Arias for Soprano - Martha Gerhart
2002-08-01

(Vocal Collection). An excellent volume of coloratura arias has been added to the G. Schirmer Opera Anthology series. With 30 arias in English, Italian, German, French and Russian, this is the largest collection of coloratura operatic excerpts ever published. Because of the nature of the material, tradition-based performance suggestions are liberally found throughout the volume. For instance, you will find standard vocal variations for the "Doll Song" from The Tales of Hoffmann included in the edition, along with the original vocal line. Like the other volumes in the ground-breaking series, there are

historical and plot notes about each aria, new engravings, and new translations for study. *A Dictionary of Musical Terms* - Theodore Baker 2022-10-26

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and thank you for being an important part of keeping this knowledge alive and relevant. *The Old Italian School of Singing* - Daniela Bloem-Hubatka 2014-01-10
This work describes in accessible language the technical foundations of the Old Italian School of Singing. It enables the reader to grasp the teachings of the old masters theoretically and practically. The research for this book used not only the old treatises from the 1700's onwards but also firsthand testimonies, biographies and recordings from historical singers. The author systematically takes us through the basic elements of historical singing with practical hints and exercises tested by extensive teaching experience.

Observations on the Florid Song (1723) -

Pier Francesco Tosi
2009-09-29
Opinioni de' cantori
antichi, e moderni o
sieno osservazioni sopra
il canto figurato (1723)
-- Extended Edition. As
the first full-length
treatise ever to be
published on singing,
Tosi revealed to the
world the secret method
that accounted for the
unworldly vocal
abilities of the famous
castrati. Living in a
Europe alight with the
virtuosic Baroque operas
of Handel, Scarlatti and
Porpora, Tosi revealed
that it was extensive
training in the old
Italian school of
singing that cultivated
the beautiful tone and
expression of their
voices, as well as the
infamous mezza di voce,
trills and runs. What's
more, Tosi revealed that
the method worked
equally well for any
voice type, male or
female, provided that

its principles and
techniques were adhered
to with exactness and
consistency. Written by
one of the most famous
singers and voice
teachers of the early
18th century, Tosi's
Opinioni has remained an
indispensable text on
the bel canto singing
method, as well as
Baroque stylistic
techniques.

The Musicale - 1929

**G. Schirmer American
Aria Anthology** - Richard
Walters 2004
(Vocal Collection). This
landmark series, the
first multi-volume aria
anthology devoted
entirely to the topic,
collects compelling,
useful, singer-friendly
excerpts from the best
of a distinctly American
musical tradition. Plot
notes and basic
information about each
opera are included.
Opera composers such as
Samuel Barber, William

Bolcom, Douglas Moore, Virgil Thomson and Kurt Weill are represented. The operas of Gian Carlo Menotti are particularly present, with 26 arias from nine operas in the series. Contents: AMAHL AND THE NIGHT VISITORS: This is my box * AMISTAD: The moonlight died * ANTONY AND CLEOPATRA: The breaking of so great a thing * DOWN IN THE VALLEY: And where is the one who will mourn me * FLORENCIA EN EL AMAZONAS: Del destino * THE GHOSTS OF VERSAILLES: Aria of the Worm * THE GOOD SOLDIER SCHWEIK: I never felt so good before, Who will go to the war when it comes * GOYA: Ah, do not laugh, Oh, yes, I love her, Out of my dreams * THE GREAT GATSBY: Everyone was here but the one who matters, Had no choice, had to invent myself * THE HERO: Immoral? Can sleep be

immoral? * LA HIJA DE RAPPACCINI: Giovanni's Aria * JOHN BROWN: Believe in love * LOST IN THE STARS: The Wild Justice * McTEAGUE: Gold can kill you * THE SAINT OF BLEECKER STREET: I know that you all hate me * THE SONG OF MAJNUN: Light of my soul * STREET SCENE: Lonely House * A STREETCAR NAMED DESIRE: I'm not a boy * SWEENEY TODD: The Contest, Ladies in their sensitivities * TARTUFFE: No more, false heart * THE TEMPEST: Be not afeard * VANESSA: Outside this house, On the path to the lake * A VIEW FROM THE BRIDGE: New York Lights * THE WINGS OF THE DOVE: In ancient times there was a god * WUTHERING HEIGHTS: Now art thou dear * X: THE LIFE AND TIMES OF MALCOLM X: Shoot the shot
New Vocal Repertory 2 - Jane Manning 1998
An introduction to 70

songs from the contemporary vocal repertoire which provides advice on performance and suggestions on programming. It is designed for young singers and singing students.

Victor Herbert - Neil Gould 2009-08-25

Victor Herbert is one of the giants of American culture. As a musician, conductor, and, above all, composer, he touched every corner of American musical life at the turn of the century, writing scores of songs, marches, concerti, and other works. But his most enduring legacy is on a different kind of stage, as one of the grandfathers of the modern musical theater. Now, Victor Herbert has the biography he deserves. Neil Gould draws on his own experience as a director, producer, and

scholar to craft the first comprehensive portrait in fifty years of the Irish immigrant whose extraordinary talents defined the sounds of a generation and made contemporary American music possible. Mining a wealth of sources—many for the first time—Gould provides a fascinating portrait of Herbert and his world. Born in Dublin in 1859, Herbert arrived in the United States in 1886. From his first job in the orchestra pit of the Metropolitan Opera, Herbert went on to perform in countless festivals and concerts, and conduct the Pittsburgh Orchestra. In 1894, he composed his first operetta, *Prince Ananias*, and by the time of his death in 1924, he'd composed forty-two more—many of them, such as *Naughty Marietta*, spectacular Broadway

hits. Along the way, he also wrote two operas, stage music for the Ziegfeld Follies, and the first full score for a motion picture, *The Fall of a Nation*. Gould brilliantly blends the musical and the theatrical, classical and popular, the public and the private, in this book. He not only gives a revealing portrait of Herbert the artist, entrepreneur, and visionary, but also recreates the vibrant world of the Herbert's Broadway. Gould takes us inside the music itself—with detailed guides to each major work and recreations of great performances. He also makes strong connections between Herbert's breakthrough compositions, such as the operetta *Mlle. Modiste*, and the later contributions of Rudolf Friml, Sigmund Romberg, Jerome Kern and other

giants of the musical theater. As exuberant as Herbert himself, this book is also a chronicle of American popular culture during one of its most creative periods. For anyone enraptured by the sound of the American musical, this book is delightfully required reading.

Understanding the Women of Mozart's Operas -
Kristi Brown-Montesano
2007-02-07

Is *The Marriage of Figaro* just about Figaro? Is Don Giovanni's story the only one—or even the most interesting one—in the opera that bears his name? For generations of critics, historians, and directors, it's Mozart's men who have mattered most. Too often, the female characters have been understood from the male protagonist's point of view or simply reduced on stage (and in

print) to paper cutouts from the age of the powdered wig and the tightly cinched corset. It's time to give Mozart's women—and Mozart's multi-dimensional portrayals of feminine character—their due. In this lively book, Kristi Brown-Montesano offers a detailed exploration of the female roles in Mozart's four most frequently performed operas, *Le nozze di Figaro*, *Don Giovanni*, *Così fan tutte*, and *Die Zauberflöte*. Each chapter takes a close look at the music, libretto text, literary sources, and historical factors that give shape to a character, re-evaluating common assumptions and proposing fresh interpretations. Brown-Montesano views each character as the subject of a story, not merely the object of a hero's

narrative or the stock figure of convention. From amiable Zerlina, to the awesome Queen of the Night, to calculating Despina, all of Mozart's women have something unique to say. These readings also tackle provocative social, political, and cultural issues, which are used in the operas to define positive and negative images of femininity: revenge, power, seduction, resistance, autonomy, sacrifice, faithfulness, class, maternity, and sisterhood. Keenly aware of the historical gap between the origins of these works and contemporary culture, Brown-Montesano discusses how attitudes about such concepts—past and current—influence our appreciation of these fascinating representations of women.

The Librettist of Venice

- Rodney Bolt 2008-12-11
In 1805, Lorenzo Da Ponte was the proprietor of a small grocery store in New York. But since his birth into an Italian Jewish family in 1749, he had already been a priest, a poet, the lover of many women, a scandalous Enlightenment thinker banned from teaching in Venice, the librettist for three of Mozart's most sublime operas, a collaborator with Salieri, a friend of Casanova, and a favorite of Emperor Joseph II. He would go on to establish New York City's first opera house and be the first professor of Italian at Columbia University. An inspired innovator but a hopeless businessman, who loved with wholehearted loyalty and recklessness, Da Ponte was one of the early immigrants to live out the American dream. In

Rodney Bolt's rollicking and extensively researched biography, Da Ponte's picaresque life takes readers from Old World courts and the back streets of Venice, Vienna, and London to the New World promise of New York City. Two hundred and fifty years after Mozart's birth, the life and legacy of his librettist Da Ponte are as astonishing as ever.

Vocal Technique - Julia Davids 2012-03-13
Vocal Technique: A Guide for Conductors, Teachers, and Singers is the first book to connect the disciplines of vocal pedagogy, vocal science, and choral technique. It fills a need for accurate, well-researched, and easy-to-read information on how to teach and learn singing in both solo and choral contexts. This concise yet comprehensive guidebook

offers numerous, practical voice-building and problem-solving suggestions and exercises, as well as clear photographs and elegant illustrations. The authors thoroughly address important topics such as breathing, onset, resonance, vowel modification, vibrato, register transitions, range extension, intonation, changing voices (both adolescent and aging), and vocal health. They integrate the perspectives of renowned artists, choral professionals, vocal pedagogues, and the latest in vocal science. This is a must-have for conductors, voice teachers, and music educators, and will benefit solo and choral singers of all ages and abilities.

Singer's Repertoire; 3 -

Berton Cn Coffin

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Singing and Communicating in English

- Kathryn LaBouff

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In *Singing and Communicating in English*, internationally renowned diction coach Kathryn LaBouff provides singers with an accessible guide to the principles of English diction they need to communicate the text successfully. In addition to standard American and British English, a variety of

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