BOOK TWO

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Preface

One of the biggest challenges facing every teacher is finding good, sound motivational repertoire to inspire the junior-high and high school student who wants music which is fun to practice and entertaining at the same time. Every piece in this collection is written with those particular students in mind. Whether it be a warm, lyrical waltz such as “The Last Dance,” a toe-tapping rag like “Montana Rag,” or a romantic ballad such as “Stargazing,” your students will respond with a smile and renewed enthusiasm, which is sure to make your teaching even more fun and rewarding. Many of the pieces could be performed by one student playing the melody line on an electric keyboard while the accompaniment is played on an acoustic piano. I hope that you and your students enjoy playing these pieces as much as I enjoyed writing them. Sharing music with others is always more fun when you find a collection written Just for You!

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