

First 50 Songs You Should Play On Banjo

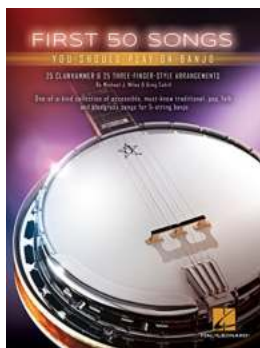
The banjo is a versatile and unique instrument that has been an integral part of various musical genres, including folk, bluegrass, and country. Whether you are a beginner or an experienced banjo player, having a list of songs to learn and master can greatly enhance your skills and repertoire.

1. "Foggy Mountain Breakdown" by Earl Scruggs

Starting off the list is this iconic bluegrass instrumental by Earl Scruggs. Known for its fast-paced picking style, "Foggy Mountain Breakdown" will test your finger agility and precision.

2. "Wagon Wheel" by Old Crow Medicine Show

This modern folk-country song has become a beloved anthem for banjo players. Its catchy melody and simple chord progression make it a great choice for beginners.



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3. "Cripple Creek" Traditional

A classic banjo tune, "Cripple Creek" is often one of the first songs banjo players learn. Its repetitive nature allows you to focus on developing your picking patterns.

4. "Dueling Banjos" by Arthur Smith

This famous instrumental became widely known after its inclusion in the 1972 film "Deliverance." The duet between guitar and banjo creates a memorable and energetic performance.

5. "Rocky Top" by The Osborne Brothers

"Rocky Top" is a popular bluegrass song that captures the spirit of the Appalachian Mountains. Its upbeat tempo and lively banjo riff make it a crowd-pleaser.

6. "Cumberland Gap" Traditional

Another traditional banjo song, "Cumberland Gap," tells the story of the passageway through the Appalachian Mountains. It showcases the banjo's ability to convey a narrative through its distinct sound.

7. "Man of Constant Sorrow" Traditional

Best known from the movie "O Brother, Where Art Thou?," this song features powerful vocals accompanied by the soulful twang of the banjo. It's a great choice for those interested in folk and blues.

8. "Banjo Pickin' Girl" by Ola Belle Reed

Ola Belle Reed's "Banjo Pickin' Girl" is a toe-tapping song that showcases the banjo's rhythmic and melodic capabilities. The catchy chorus is sure to get stuck

in your head.

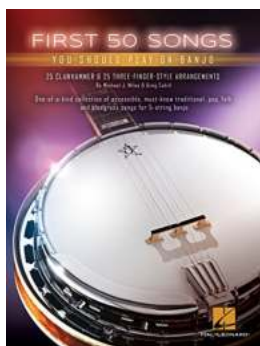
9. "9-pound Hammer" Traditional

This up-tempo bluegrass tune is a favorite among banjo enthusiasts. Its driving rhythm and intricate banjo picking patterns will challenge even advanced players.

10. "Wildwood Flower" by The Carter Family

The Carter Family's iconic song is a must-learn for banjo players. Its timeless melody and heartfelt lyrics have made it a classic in the realm of American traditional music.

Playing the banjo is a rewarding experience that allows you to express yourself through music. The first 50 songs on this list serve as a starting point for banjo players of all skill levels. Whether you prefer traditional tunes or contemporary hits, there is something for everyone to enjoy and learn from.



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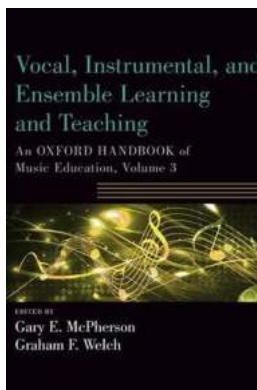
(Banjo). If you're new to the 5-string banjo, you're probably eager to learn some songs. This book provides easy-to-read banjo tab, chord symbols and lyrics for

the most popular songs beginning banjo players like to play. Explore clawhammer and three-finger-style banjo in a variety of tunings and capoings with this one-of-a-kind collection of master-crafted arrangements. Songs include: Angel from Montgomery * Blowin' in the Wind * Carolina in My Mind * Cripple Creek * Danny Boy * The House of the Rising Sun * I Am a Man of Constant Sorrow * Maple Leaf Rag * Mr. Tambourine Man * Shady Grove * Take Me Home, Country Roads * This Land Is Your Land * Wildwood Flower * and many more.



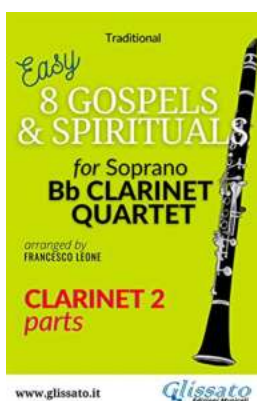
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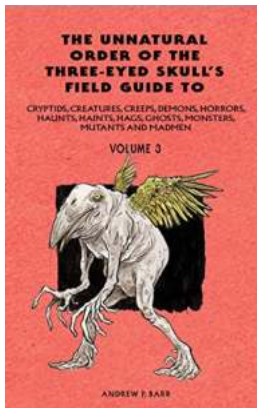
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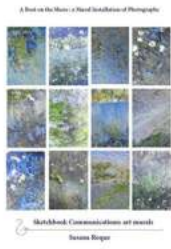
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