

Frisco's First

**Free
Sample**

Patriotic Songs



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Karri Gregor is the founder of KinderBach, a piano-based music curriculum for children aged 2 to 7. She has authored and illustrated workbooks, videos, stories and composed songs using the characters she has created for the program. She recognized the need of young children to exercise their imaginations while learning music concepts and the parents' need for enticing material that will hold a young child's interest. Her passion is to provide many children with the opportunity of learning music on an instrument at the earliest possible age.

KinderBach Patriotic Songs

What about those kids who want to play songs right away? The "Patriotic Songs" book helps eager students get started playing familiar tunes immediately. Using a combination of the KinderBach step music reading method and playing by ear, the student can play songs he/she knows and loves with very little instruction. The "Patriotic Songs" are in PDF format so that you can print only the songs your little pianist is working on. They can mark or circle parts, sticker the beginning and the end or color on the pages, whatever they need to do. You can print the pages as many times as you need to.

The "Patriotic Songs" come with accompaniment MP3 tracks by June Sawatzky. The audio music has demonstration and performance tracks for practice and performance of your child's chosen songs. The songs are about 1 minute long, perfect for short attention spans, and yet they highlight the most familiar parts of the melody. Your child will thoroughly enjoy performing the songs they sing all the time.

Song Book Success

1. Let your child hear, sing and move or dance to the songs several times before going to the piano.
2. Make sure he/she knows the note characters for the chosen keyboard song and can locate them easily on the piano.
3. Play through the music without the accompaniment until your child is comfortable.
4. Practice the rhythm on a rhythm instrument with the demonstration accompaniment tracks.
5. Play the music with your child on a different octave. Modeling is very affirming!
6. Lay a foundation for enjoyment. Make music time a happy time!

“KinderBach **Patriotic Songs**” is a early childhood prestaff music book, a unique education tool for parents or teachers. It is part of the KinderBach music curriculum and is most effective when used with the online piano course.

Background audio tracks by June Sawatzky for “Patriotic Songs” are available in MP3 downloads.

KinderBach is designed for families with children between the ages of 2 and 7. Music concepts and theory are taught through stories, songs and fun characters. When learning taps into their big imaginations, children can play, read and compose music much earlier than traditional piano lessons. Yet KinderBach does not expect children to conform to a fast rate of absorption; it is flexible to the pace of the individual child.

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For my family, David, Christina, Brock and my mom, June Sawatzky.
Thank you for taking the journey with me.



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- Felicity the Frog - F

Download the MP3 Audio Accompaniment tracks, by June Sawatzky, so your child learns to listen and play with an ensemble.



America

Arranged by: Christina Gregor

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next page and next line.
Stop at the stop sign.