

Guide Tones Plus Melody 1

With this workout, you learn a chord melody phrase that uses guide tones, 3rds and 7ths, to harmonize the opening 8 bars of the jazz standard Tea for Two.

Start by playing the melody line only, the top notes of the phrase.

Then, learn the guide tones only, the bottom notes of the phrase.

When that's comfortable, put them together to play the full chord melody phrase.

Work on memorize the line if possible, and have fun adding it to your chord melody skill set moving forward.

Bbm7 Eb7 Bbm7 Eb7 Abmaj7 Dbmaj7 Cm7 F7

T	9	6	8	6	9	6	8	8	8	6	4	8	8	6
A	6	6	6	8	6	6	8	5	8	5	4	8	8	8
B	6	5	5	3	6	5	3	5	3	3	3	8	7	8

Bbm7 Eb7 Bbm7 Eb7 Abmaj7 Cm7(b9) F7(b9)

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A	6	6	6	8	6	6	8	5	5	5	8	8	8
B	6	5	5	3	6	5	3	5	3	3	8	7	8