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Moments for Music

1905

the author of the highly successful history channel series the greatest stories never told returns with new historic tales this time focusing on amazing music stories that aren t taught in the average classroom rick beyer plums the vast archives of the history channel to deliver a treasure trove of obscure and fascinating stories to delight and entertain the greatest music stories never told continues the series tradition with short fascinating tales accompanied by an array of stunning and diverse photographs from around the globe the greatest music stories never told illuminates the origins of a fascinating range of music topics from instruments and styles to composers and technological advances all which show us how little we really know guaranteed to astonish bewilder and stupefy this all new volume will appeal not only to history buffs but to pop culture audiences and music fans of all ages and stripes

Stories of Great Musicians

2013-07-30

stories of music volume 2 is a multimedia anthology focused on how music impacts people s lives featuring works by authors and artists from around the world volume 2 celebrates how music can propel us forward despite obstacles pain and uncertainty and in some cases save lives 10 of proceeds are donated to music organizations

The Greatest Music Stories Never Told

2017-01-10

stories of music is a multimedia anthology that features stories about the incredible impact music has had on people s lives from its role in healing community and family traditions to musicianship travel experiences and much more this collection brings together the works of more than forty authors and artists including poetry creative nonfiction photography audio recordings and video learn about the tradition of candombe drumming in uruguay listen to a song that was performed to honor first responders to ground zero and discover how rock and blues music has helped to heal the war torn country of bosnia these and other stories will take you on a journey around the world through captivating experiences that are sure to inspire the music lover in you how does all of this work in a book stories with audio and video components include simple urls and qr codes that direct readers to the companion web edition where you can play these works ten percent of book proceeds will be donated to nonprofit organizations hungry for music and music memory

Stories of Music

2015-11-16

kazuo ishiguro s new novel klara and the sun is now available in nocturnes kazuo ishiguro explores ideas of love music and the passing of time from the piazzas of italy to the hush hush floor of an exclusive hollywood hotel the characters we encounter range from young dreamers to cafe musicians to faded stars all of them at some moment of reckoning gentle intimate and witty this quintet is marked by a haunting theme the struggle to keep alive a sense of life s romance even as one gets older relationships founder and youthful hopes recede each of these stories is heartbreaking in its own way but some have moments of great comedy and they all require a level of attention that typically ishiguro s writing rewards observer they come up on you quietly but then haunt you for days these little pieces could only be the work of a great composer evening standard a fine and moving collection of stories displaying his unique combination of the sad the stoic and the consoling it s about failure but it dignifies failure and with it the human condition margaret drabble guardian

Stories of Music

2009-05-07

from zero to hero your secret map to a rich life what is your true calling and why aren t you already living it imagine if there was a map that showed you step by step how to get from where you are now to your true calling and the life you were born to live the most brilliant rich fulfilling and dazzling life you could ever dream of you are holding in your hands such a map hero is the map for your life by following the journeys of twelve of the most

successful people on the planet today you Il learn how to use your inner powers to overcome obstacles and to make impossible dreams come true you Il be inspired to find your own calling and start taking the steps toward making the life of your dreams an everyday reality be the hero you are meant to be

Nocturnes

2013-11-19

this brilliant sequence of short stories first published in 1995 sees james hamilton patterson serving up fables and fictions on creativity tradition and loss all of them linked by the love of music and underpinned by a musical theme an escaped lunatic who thinks he is schumann interrupts a quiet family picnic a croat refugee gifted at the guitar enters and unsettles a woman s life and a chinese master teacher struggles with a pupil who would dare to modify a musical canon written in a wide range of voices these tales reveal an imagination as wide ranging as it is dazzling astonishingly versatile extremely funny christina patterson independent beautiful eerie witty astute dazzling observer as perfect a collection of short stories as you re ever likely to come across paul sussman independent on sunday

Hero

2014-11-20

music tells stories musical stories entertain and stimulate in moments of boredom they offer solace in times of despair they create solidarity in times of loneliness they liberate the imagination and open up visions of a better future musical stories also become parts of our personal life narratives that sustain feed us this book is about the stories that music tells and the beauty and emotional power of these stories this book is about the stories that music tells and the beauty and emotional power of these stories when successful these stories can provide dazzling insights into the lives that we lead with its joys and sufferings its reversals its errors deceptions and self deceptions this book offers a panorama of musical stories linked to pieces of classical music that have long fascinated the author including operas symphonies song cycles and chamber music a close reading of these stories shows how profoundly music can affect and change the listeners how it celebrates the triumphs of the human spirit opening windows into our own unconscious minds helping us to better understand ourselves our fellow human beings politics religion leadership sex difference love death and every other major aspect of human life

The Music

2022-02-17

with a voice that is both sophisticated and deeply southern author john rowell evokes the memory of the great truman capote in this wonderful collection of short stories peopled with unforgettable endearing characters and filled with wry insights drawn from the emotional well of a young man who grew up in love with the glittery glamorous world of music and movies and theater far removed from his own more prosaic life in north carolina and informed with honesty and compassion the seven short stories that comprise the music of your life showcase the talent of a remarkably gifted writer compulsively readable and always accessible each story takes the reader into the mind and heart of its central character whether a young boy suffering from lawrence welk damage and teetering precariously on the edge of puberty the music of your life or a not so young anymore man for whom fantasy and reality have become a terrifying blur and who finds himself slipping over the edge toward total meltdown wildlife of coastal carolina nostalgia plays a part in these stories as a somewhat jaded new york film critic looks back on his life and the movies that shaped him spectators in love and an aging flower shop owner ruefully assesses the love he found and lost when as an eighteen year old he embarked on a hollywood career that never soared but did include one particularly memorable appearance on the i love lucy television show who loves you these stories all create entire worlds within which the characters live and struggle to find their way funny touching serious and tender the tales within the music of your life are sure to appeal to anyone who has ever known the awkwardness of being different and while life is often harsh for the stories characters the bold determination with which they persevere offers inspiration to all

Music and Story

2007-11-01

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The Music of Your Life

2015-12-05

taken from the acclaimed bbc radio 6 music show the first time invites you inside the lives of some of the music world s most notable legends from alice cooper to yoko one courtney love to elton john follow their lives and careers starting with their first musical memories first records and first gigs finding out the songs that have shaped them along the way with 40 compelling interviews specially commissioned collage illustrations and a bespoke playlist for each musician the first time is a must have for any music lover

The Story of Music and Musicians for Young Readers

2018-11-06

excerpt from stories of great musicians over three hundred years ago there lived in a little german town a good man named hans bach he had a son who was a miller this miller was so fond of music that while his great mill wheel turned round and round grinding the corn he would take his zither and play and sing in the dusty old mill about the publisher forgotten books publishes hundreds of thousands of rare and classic books find more at forgottenbooks com this book is a reproduction of an important historical work forgotten books uses state of the art technology to digitally reconstruct the work preserving the original format whilst repairing imperfections present in the aged copy in rare cases an imperfection in the original such as a blemish or missing page may be replicated in our edition we do however repair the vast majority of imperfections successfully any imperfections that remain are intentionally left to preserve the state of such historical works

The First Time

2016-07-22

once upon a tune brings you six wonderful stories from many lands all of which inspired great music you can battle trolls with peer gynt in the hall of the mountain king grapple with a magic broom in the sorcerer s apprentice meet the evil witch of the north in the swan of tuonela sail the seven seas with sinbad the sailor in scheherazade be a prince disguised as a bee in the flight of the bumblebee and become a fearless hero in william tell the stories are excitingly told and stunningly illustrated by james mayhew includes musical notes with more information about the stories and music plus james s recommended recordings to download and listen to

Stories of Great Musicians (Classic Reprint)

2021-09

named a must read by the chicago tribune o magazine buzzfeed the huffington post minneapolis star tribune and the I magazine rebecca makkai s the great believers will be available in summer 2018 rebecca makkai s first two novels the borrower and the hundred year house have established her as one of the freshest and most imaginative voices in fiction now the award winning writer whose stories have appeared in four consecutive editions of the best american short stories returns with a highly anticipated collection bearing her signature mix of intelligence wit and heart a reality show producer manipulates two contestants into falling in love even as her own relationship falls apart just after the fall of the berlin wall a young boy has a revelation about his father s past when a renowned romanian violinist plays a concert in their home when the prized elephant of a traveling circus keels over dead the small town minister tasked with burying its remains comes to question his own faith in an unnamed country a composer records the folk songs of two women from a village on the brink of destruction these transporting deeply moving stories some inspired by her own family history amply demonstrate makkai s extraordinary range as a storyteller and confirm her as a master of the short story form richly imagined chicago tribune impressive o the oprah magazine engrossing minneapolis star tribune inventive w magazine

Once Upon a Tune

2015-06-23

a fascinating exploration of the relationship between american culture and music as defined by musicians scholars and critics from around the world music has been the cornerstone of popular culture in the united states since the beginning of our nation s history from early immigrants sharing the sounds of their native lands to contemporary artists performing benefit concerts for social causes our country s musical expressions reflect where we as a people have been as well as our hope for the future this four volume encyclopedia examines music s influence on contemporary american life tracing historical connections over time music in american life an encyclopedia of the songs styles stars and stories that shaped our culture demonstrates the symbiotic relationship between this art form and our society entries include singers composers lyricists songs musical genres places instruments technologies music in films music in political realms and music shows on television

Music for Wartime

2013-10-03

brief biographies of forty composers

Music in American Life [4 volumes]

1981

a delightful collection of biographical sketches and anecdotes about some of the most renowned musicians of all times from bach and mozart to beethoven and chopin scobey and horne s colorful narratives and vivid descriptions bring to life the personalities and genius of these music legends making the book a joy to read for music lovers of all ages this work has been selected by scholars as being culturally important and is part of the knowledge base of civilization as we know it this work is in the public domain in the united states of america and possibly other nations within the united states you may freely copy and distribute this work as no entity individual or corporate has a copyright on the body of the work scholars believe and we concur that this work is important enough to be preserved reproduced and made generally available to the public we appreciate your support of the preservation process and thank you for being an important part of keeping this knowledge alive and relevant

More Stories of Composers for Young Musicians

2023-07-18

a keen critic of culture in modern indonesia andrew n weintraub shows how a genre of indonesian music called dangdut evolved from a debased form of urban popular music to a prominent role in indonesian cultural politics and the commercial music industry dangdut stories is a social and musical history of dangdut within a range of broader narratives about class gender ethnicity and nation in post independence indonesia 1945 present

Stories Of Great Musicians

2010-09-21

with music through the floor pushcart prize winner and former wallace stegner fellow eric puchner makes an extraordinary debut a collection of nine unforgettable stories strikingly original fiercely funny and quietly heartbreaking portraying a group of cultural misfits attempting to navigate mainstream america lost teetering on the edge of normalcy puchner s characters seek to define themselves in a frequently absurd and hostile world a world that threatens to make outcasts of us all caught up in loneliness or solitude they can t quite hear the music of their own lives in children of god a young loner becomes the caretaker and companion for two mentally retarded men seeking solace in their outsider status essay 3 leda and the swan is told in the forlorn be nighted and tragically funny voice of a high school girl who longs more than anything to be loved in mission an idealistic esl teacher is faced with the inscrutable wrath of one of his immigrant students and in the unsettling child s play puchner explores the price of nonconformity by following a pack of boys wreaking havoc on halloween writing from an impressive range of perspectives men and women children and adults immigrants and tourists puchner deftly exposes the dark ten der undersides of his characters with arresting beauty and precision here are people

fumbling for identity in a depersonalized world captured in moments that are hilarious shocking and transcendent sometimes all at once unfailingly true surprisingly moving and impossible to forget these nine stories mark the arrival of a brilliant young writer and one of our most promising literary voices

Dangdut Stories

2007-07-24

the 1 new york times bestseller named one of variety s best music books of 2021 included in audible s best of the year list a business insider best memoirs of 2021 one of nme s best music books of 2021 so i ve written a book having entertained the idea for years and even offered a few questionable opportunities it s a piece of cake just do 4 hours of interviews find someone else to write it put your face on the cover and voila i have decided to write these stories just as i have always done in my own hand the joy that i have felt from chronicling these tales is not unlike listening back to a song that i ve recorded and can t wait to share with the world or reading a primitive journal entry from a stained notebook or even hearing my voice bounce between the kiss posters on my wall as a child this certainly doesn t mean that i m quitting my day job but it does give me a place to shed a little light on what it s like to be a kid from springfield virginia walking through life while living out the crazy dreams i had as young musician from hitting the road with scream at 18 years old to my time in nirvana and the foo fighters jamming with iggy pop or playing at the academy awards or dancing with ac dc and the preservation hall jazz band drumming for tom petty or meeting sir paul mccartney at royal albert hall bedtime stories with joan jett or a chance meeting with little richard to flying halfway around the world for one epic night with my daughters the list goes on i look forward to focusing the lens through which i see these memories a little sharper for you with much excitement

Music Through the Floor

2021-10-05

shortlisted for the edge hill short story prize one of the best collections you II read this year sunday times wild witty stories exhilarating observer in this rapturous story collection we encounter a ragbag of west of ireland characters many on the cusp between love and catastrophe heartbreak and epiphany resignation and hope these stories affirm kevin barry as one of the world's most accomplished and gifted writers and show an ireland in a condition of great flux but also as a place where older rhythms and an older magic somehow persist

The Storyteller

2020-10-15

that the purpose of the public schools is the training of children for a higher citizenship a more extensive helpfulness in affairs pertaining to the common good no one questions but we need expect no manifestation of a greater integrity unless lofty ideals are kept constantly before them neither painter nor sculptor can produce a greater expression of beauty than that which has been built up in his own consciousness no individual can produce a greater expression of manhood or womanhood than that which he holds in his own mind it is important therefore that a high standard be set for the children in our schools to day the question then arises as to how this result may be attained educators agree that the study of biography is a potent factor in the achievement of this end a new field for biographical study is found in the lives of the great musicians who furnish many examples of untiring effort and persistent endeavor for almost without exception their lives repeat the oft stated but none too often emphasized verity that success comes only to him who earns success we trust that this little volume may aid the many who are striving to enrich the thought concepts of the children under their care

That Old Country Music

1921

stories of great musicians by kathrine lois scobey olive brown horne published by good press good press publishes a wide range of titles that encompasses every genre from well known classics literary fiction and non fiction to forgotten or yet undiscovered gems of world literature we issue the books that need to be read each good press edition has been meticulously edited and formatted to boost readability for all e readers and devices our goal is to produce ebooks that are user friendly and accessible to everyone in a high quality digital format

Beautiful Stories

2017-05-06

you make me want to sing music stories two mothers meet by chance at the park with their two children a boy and a girl they meet by chance also and begin to play as their mother s watch and begin to discuss how much they love them then one mother says to the other when he was just a baby boy his toes they sure were tiny i loved his toes his little nose and his eyes so bright and shiny when i brought him home she said i watched him sleep and dream and in my heart for ever more i know he II make me sing through melodic rhymes and repetitive words is a fun and educational way of teaching the little ones how to locate their noses toes and eyes by pointing as you read you can sing the story to your small children with any melody you choose while the book also explains your unconditional and everlasting love for them it won t be long until your child is reading this book to you

Stories of Great Musicians [Didactic Press Paperbacks]

2019-12-03

old peter is irritated by the noise in his house so he seeks the advice of the village wiseman

Stories of Great Musicians

2008-03

songs that sell the most copies become hits but some of those hits transcend commercial value touching a generation of listeners and altering the direction of music in anatomy of a song writer and music historian marc myers tells the stories behind fifty rock pop r b country and reggae hits through intimate interviews with the artists who wrote and recorded them mick jagger jimmy page the clash smokey robinson grace slick roger waters joni mitchell steven tyler rod stewart elvis costello and many other leading artists reveal the inspirations struggles and techniques behind their influential works

You Make Me Want to Sing

1992

songs become a part of the story of our lives their lyrics linger inside of us we recall those words but what we remember isn t what they meant to the person who wrote them it s what they mean to us we relate their lyrics back to the events that have happened in our lives what you II read in this book are personal accounts of how people s lives have been impacted by specific songs elliott smith s between the bars set cortney harding s romantic notions of adulthood the velvet underground s oh sweet nuthin played one night at a friend s place and changed marc ruxin s musical tastes and coldplay s lovers in japan reminds caitlin teibloom of a college breakup and who she became through that experience this book will deepen your understanding of music it II extend your interpretation of a song beyond what it means to you to how the song has been experienced by another and the meaning it has created in his or her life reading each story and playing the song will allow you to hear what music sounds like through ears other than your own

Too Much Noise

2016-11-03

when music therapist bob starts working with people at the end of their lives he realises they all have an important story to tell but how can they say the unsayable particularly when they are dying in his therapy room people tell their stories heal emotional wounds and create legacies using words and music songs from a window is a memoir about looking out and looking in it s about living and dying music and therapy but most of all it s a book about the power of the human spirit hope and love perfect for fans of oliver sachs s musicophilia irvin yalom s creatures of a day and stephen grosz s the examined life

Anatomy of a Song

2017-01-31

stories we could tell putting words to american popular music identifies eight typical strategies used when critics and historians write about american popular music and subjects each to forensic analysis this posthumous book is a unique work of cultural historiography that analyses catalogues and contextualizes music writing

Song Stories: Music That Shaped Our Identities and Changed Our Lives

2021-05-16

a collection of 150 stories about music from all over latin america including cuba mexico brazil colombia as well as africa the middle east and europe the stories were originally broadcast on public radio programs on npr prx s the world bcc kpcc and latino usa the book contains 12 chapters each following a specific narrative music and identity education community building immigration women s empowerment adversity social unrest and violence instruments producers place and nation the music of brazil cuba music and the diaspora the book s main focus is latin american music from across the continent with an emphasis on the music of latinos and other ethnic groups in los angeles the book also tells a personal story the author s constant tireless search for stories that help explain how complex and diverse humans are and how we share something so special that brings us together music this edition includes illustrations by alec dempster

Songs from a Window

2020-06-30

a lively and lyrical picture book jaunt from actor and author john lithgow oh children remember whatever you may do never play music right next to the zoo they II burst from their cages each beast and each bird desperate to play all the music they we heard a concert gets out of hand when the animals at the neighboring zoo storm the stage and play the instruments themselves in this hilarious picture book based on one of john lithgow s best loved tunes

Stories We Could Tell

2021-02-05

fifteen stories on musical themes in the last picnic a lunatic claiming to be robert schumann escapes from an asylum and shows by a piano performance his boast is not that far fetched while people s disgrace is on a composer in a totalitarian society who is able to interpret hidden messages in music

Music Stories from the Cosmic Barrio

2013

first published in 2006 routledge is an imprint of taylor francis an informa company

Musical Life Stories

2013-10-22

the two time grammy nominated singer songwriter behind the groundbreaking album exile in guyville traces her life and career in a genre bending memoir in stories about the pivotal moments that haunt her honest original

and absolutely remarkable npr best books of the year when liz phair shook things up with her musical debut exile in guyville making her as much a cultural figure as a feminist pioneer and rock star her raw candor uncompromising authenticity and deft storytelling inspired a legion of critics songwriters musicians and fans alike now like a gen x patti smith liz phair reflects on the path she has taken in these piercing essays that reveal the indelible memories that have stayed with her for phair horror is in the eye of the beholder in the often unrecognized universal experiences of daily pain guilt and fear that make up our humanity illuminating despair with hope and consolation tempering it all with her signature wit horror stories is immersive taking readers inside the most intimate junctures of phair s life from facing her own bad behavior and the repercussions of betraying her fundamental values to watching her beloved grandmother inevitably fade to undergoing the beauty of childbirth while being hit up for an autograph by the anesthesiologist horror stories is a literary accomplishment that reads like the confessions of a friend it gathers up all of our isolated shames and draws them out into the light uniting us in our shared imperfection our uncertainty and our cowardice smashing the stigma of not being in control but most importantly the uncompromising precision and candor of horror stories transforms these deeply personal experiences into tales about each and every one of us

Never Play Music Right Next to the Zoo

1995

three singing pigs has a bright new cover this baker s dozen of traditional tales retold by the wonderful kaye umansky is a much loved resource of musical fun through stories interweaving the stories are songs with familiar melodies and specially rewritten words which carry the action along instantly performable pieces of classroom magic the music activities which accompany each story will be familiar in concept to everyone who uses music express

The Music

2006

a collection of poems suggesting images that might be evoked by pieces of classical music from the elephant in carnival of the animals to in the hall of the mountain king in peer gynt

America's Songs

2019-10-08

Horror Stories

2004-11

1000 Notes... Stories of Music and Musicians...

1994

Three Singing Pigs

Play Me a Story

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