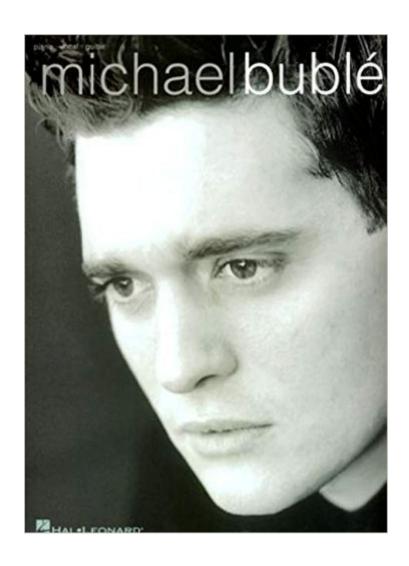
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Michael Buble





Synopsis

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Customer Reviews

As a pianist and vocalist for over 25 years, I used to expect only the highest quality in printed music from Hal Leonard. Unfortunately, this songbook does not live up to my expectations. Not even one of the songs in the songbook even begins to reflect the arrangements on the Michael Bublé CD. Instead, Hal Leonard has compiled standard, run-of-the-mill renditions of these songs and has chosen to market them as a Michael Bublé songbook. In my opinion, this borders on false advertising. Yes...all of the "titles" are there, but none of the actual Michael Bublé "arrangements" seems to have found its way into this songbook. This is a songbook with arrangements that are pedestrian, unexceptional, nondescript and quite unlike Michael Bublé, whose arrangements are innovative, extraordinary and remarkable. I must say that I am surprised that Mr. Bublé's managers have allowed Hal Leonard to publish such trash. If Hal Leonard is not ashamed of this publication, they ought to be.

After placing my order, I waited with great anticipation for the arrival of the Michael Buble Songbook. The word "pathetic" would almost be too kind a word to describe this sad collection of songs that that bears Michael Buble's name. This is a collection of songs that were originally sold individually as sheet music in the 30's, 50's, 60's, 70's and 80's. There has been no effort to update these old pieces of sheet music to reflect the fresh approach that was used for this music on Michael Buble's self-titled release. I have seen other compilations of songs for artists such as Jamie Cullum that have been re-arranged to reflect the new approach that these new artists have given this material. The description for Michael Buble's song book uses the phrase "Includes his refreshing renditions of:" - followed by a song listing, implying that the songbook contains new versions of these songs as they appear on his debut cd. I'm sorry to see that Michael Buble's people have seen fit to allow the release a songbook of old, outdated sheet music. I can only assume that this was done in order to cash in on a talented artists debut cd by using the picture from his album and filling the pages with old, outdated versions of the songs that were so fresh and vibrant on his debut cd release. Michael Buble deserves a better representation of his outstanding debut cd than he got with this outdated songbook release.

Honestly this wasn't exactly what i was looking for but probably as close as i'll be able to get. I was hoping it was a little bit more advanced and closer to the score from how it was actually written and sounds on the disc. But it's definately not a one note at a time kind of deal. If you're looking to swoon somebody by playing the piano and singing a song to them, this book is what your looking for. But if you can't sing try a different songbook where you can show off your skills as a pianist! :)

What can you say, it's Buble'. the cd gets alot of play time and I even ripped it onto my mp3 player.

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