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Build Your Own Acoustic Guitar

(Instructional/Guitar/DVD). Winner of the 2008 Acoustic Guitar Magazine Players' Choice Award, two Telly Awards and an AEGIS Award for Excellence in Education, Learn & Master Guitar is widely recognized as the best home instruction course for learning guitar available anywhere. It consists of 10 professionally produced DVDs, 5 Jam-Along CDs, a 100+ page downloadable lesson book, and a free online student support site. It is the only instructional package you'll ever need on your journey toward mastery of the guitar. All you provide is the practice! Steve Krenz is an accomplished session player and instructor whose teaching accolades include an Acoustic Guitar Magazine's Players' Choice Award for Best Instructional Material. His 20+ years of professional experience includes playing guitar with Grammy -winning artists Donna Summer, Bryan White, Michael W. Smith, Isreal Houghton, and the Fifth Dimension. Total running time: 19.25 hours.

Guitar Questions

A must have guitar repair guide which is more like a hands-on guitar repair workshop. This guide uses photographs, diagrams and sketches made by the author, John LeVan each specific to the type of guitar you are working on. In addition, John has included diagrams and photographs provided for this book by several guitar manufacturers and component manufacturers. It even includes a forward written by Bob Taylor of Taylor Guitars. This information will teach how to clean, condition, adjust the action and properly intonate your guitar, as well as Johns trade secrets on hand-carving bone string

nuts and bridge saddles. This book is perfect to teach a beginner or as a reference for the guitar repair professional.

Constructing a Solid-body Guitar

Absolutely everything on the repair, set-up, restoration and construction of acoustic and electric guitars. Hundreds of illustrations. A must for every true guitarist.

String Instrument Setups

Jim Donahue's Classic Guitar Repair and Design Book Returns to Print! Everything You Ever Wanted to Know About Guitar Design, Production, and Repair From One of the Most Knowledgeable Men in the Industry Guitars: Design, Production, and Repair has been released just as it was originally released in 2002 This book can help you answer almost any question you may have in regards to guitar building and is a staple in the collections of many shops around the world! If you're looking for a kingpin guitar connoisseur? You simply can't get any more knowledgeable then Jim Donahue. His Guitar shop "NoahJames Guitars/Leader Music Inc. is just minutes outside of Philadelphia Pennsylvania and was founded in 2003. Jim, however, has been in the Guitar biz for over 30 years now and has gained quite a reputation for himself! One of the area's most dexterous in terms of Guitar knowledge and "know how." Graduating as a music major at Bucks County Community college, he started out in 1984 and got his start working his way up through the ranks at Hoshino USA, the makers of Ibanez Guitars located in Bensalem, PA. While at Ibanez Jim became the USA main guitar designer and custom builder. He was also the overseas purchaser. Part of his job included studying the market and designing new models in terms of current trends and analyzing new market areas. He worked with the artists endorsed and designed models to fit their specific needs. Jim has an impressive resume of artists he had done work for. He has built and designed custom guitars for Steve Vai, Joe Satriani, George Benson, Paul Gilbert, Larry Mitchell, John Petrucci, Andy Timmons, Gerald Veasley, Gary Willis, Jon Finn, and many other Ibanez endorsers past and present. He marketed new products to the buyers at Guitar Center, Musicians Friend, Sam Ash, Music 123, and Brook Mays. Some of these designs included guitar designs for Ibanez include Y2KDNA, Crystal Planet, GB Mask, and Artcore. SA series, EDC Bass, EDB Bass, Talman series, USRG series, RG Series, USATK Series, Seven string jazz guitar, Seven string acoustic guitar, current Artist series, Blazer series. He made 3D Cad drawings and spent much time traveling overseas to Asia where he also learned to speak basic Korean and Japanese. If you think that wasn't enough to keep him busy during the Ibanez years, Jim rolled up his sleeves and sunk his teeth into writing a fabulous book for Ibanez entitled "Ibanez the Untold Story" which was published in 2004. There was so much work, research, and thought that went into that thick hard bound impressive book! A total must have for any Ibanez owner. Throughout 1994-2003 Jim also was responsible for the layout, models and detail of the Ibanez guitar catalogs. Taking this knowledge with him has aided in the magnificent catalogs he now produces for his own guitar manufacturing company! In 2002 Jim

then published "Guitars: Design, Production and Repair," which has been very successful! Jim has also written and work published in Korean Guitar magazine called "Rockit." He had a section in tremolos' In Dan Erlewins "How to Make Your Electric Guitar Play Great." For the Philadelphia Chapter of the Arts, he was called upon to speak at numerous seminars. He is also a consultant for various musical instrument websites. Jim is a family man in his spare time. He spends time with his two sons Noah and Evan who are close in age. He and his wife Jen also enjoy doing home improvements and just got done laying a new hardwood floor throughout their home in Bucks County, PA. It doesn't seem that Jim can stay away from working with wood at work or during his down time! Get Guitars: Design, Production, and Repair - TODAY!

Guitarmaking: Tradition and Technology

"Renowned luthier John S. Bogdanovich crafted the project shown inside for his own personal use. The design he presents is simple but elegant and is a composite of ideas borrowed from several different guitars admired for their tonal qualities and aesthetic details. In close-up photographs Bogdanovich invites you to stand by his side and follow the entire process from start to finish. He offers guidance through every step, and explains every decision, from the arrangement of his workbench and the selection of the wood, to tuning and setting up the instrument. Bogdanovich also provides a choice of alternative methods and materials -- to help you find your own style of working, and to enable you to add your personal touches to your project. By the time your instrument is finished, you'll have acquired a world of knowledge, from the difference between quartersawn and flat-sawn wood to the pros and cons of lacquer versus French polish. You'll have mastered dozens of skills, including bending and aminating wood and cutting and seating wire frets. Best of all, you'll have a beautiful instrument, designed to your own specifications, that will give pleasure to everyone who hears it." -- Book jacket.

Gibson's Learn & Master Guitar

Covers set-up, maintenance, tuners, acoustic adjustments, nut replacement, fret dressing, refretting, guitar electronics, finish application and repair, and useful tools.

Hal Leonard Guitar Method - Setup & Maintenance

Shows how to make instruments or buy them secondhand, gives tips on learning to play the guitar, and includes suggestions on street singing, home recording, and song writing

Homegrown Music

by Paul Balmer Most rock and pop guitarists begin their playing on an acoustic guitar, and the advent of MTV's Unplugged and improvements in acoustic amplification mean this once poor relation has returned to centre stage although, of course, the acoustic guitar has always reigned supreme in classical, flamenco, folk, delta blues and country music. Superbly illustrated and designed, the manual includes case studies of key models from a Martin D28 to a Yamaha budget classic and explains in detail how to set up, maintain and repair most popular types of acoustic guitar. a must-buy Total Guitar

Complete Guitar Repair

(Book). From the author of Amps! comes an essential survival guide for every guitar player and amp owner. Packed with concise, clearly written tips on troubleshooting and repairs, this guide teaches the secrets of maintenance and fixing it yourself, with straightforward, step-by-step instructions using simple, affordable, readily available tools. The book focuses on the most commonly performed procedures, and contains over 150 photos and insider information from technicians, engineers, and roadies.

FAQ: Bass Guitar Care and Setup

This book is comprised of reprints of the "Guitar Questions" columns that ran in Guitar magazine for over a decade. Written by luthier Barry Lipman, it offers clear, precise and simple explanations on how to make minor repairs and adjustments to your instrument. The column was aimed at players who were neither guitar builders nor repairmen. Sample questions addressed include: What are the advantages of big frets? * What is the best way to care for the fretboard? * What is meant by "intonation" and what is involved in adjusting it? * What does a truss rod do and how does it work? * How tight should the bridge pins be on a steel-string acoustic? Find the answers to these and many more relevant inquiries in Guitar Questions. 6 inch. x 9 inch.

The Acoustic Guitar

Get your copy of this essential book on guitar care, and instantly improve your skills in guitar maintenance! Whether you are an aspiring guitar player, or have played the instrument for many years, you know that learning about guitar maintenance appears to be intimidating and confusing. This book offers simple steps to empower you to care for your own guitar. It's no secret that mastering the guitar is hard work. However, maintaining your guitar is easy, and I will show you how! You will learn to: Clean Your Guitar Select and Replace Strings Humidify Your Guitar Adjust the Neck, Bridge and Nut Tune Your Guitar Choose a Protective Case Select a Guitar Stand Choose Guitar Straps and Picks Remember all the good times you spent with friends trading exciting maintenance tips? I don't. It's not nearly as fun as learning that classic riff

from your favorite band, or comparing alternate tunings. You buy a guitar to experience music, not to have another item to care for. However, maintaining your instrument allows you to enjoy the benefits of ownership for many years to come, and helps you avoid many of the hassles; costly repairs and the diminished returns of poor sounding guitars. Often, when you look for a guitar care book, most appear too daunting, too detailed, and too expensive. This book is approachable, simple and affordable. You love your music. You love your guitar. Make it last. Scroll Up and Order your copy Today!

Acoustic Guitar Care 101

Acoustic Guitar Care and Setup

This guide will use photographs, diagrams and sketches made by the author and some provided by various manufacturers to teach how to clean, condition, adjust the action and properly intonate your acoustic guitar, as well as: John's trade secrets on hand-carving bone nuts and bridge saddles, wiring and fretwork. John has also included a chapter on identifying and diagnosing problem guitars. It even includes a forward written by Bob Taylor of Taylor Guitars. This book is perfect to teach a beginner or a reference for the guitar repair professional.

The Acoustic Guitar Repair Detective

This is the first hands-on how-to manual devoted to acoustic guitars. This guidebook shows owners and dreamers the basics of selecting and buying acoustic guitars; performing maintenance and repairs like tuning, setting intonation, doing fret repairs, adjusting bridges and nuts, and troubleshooting; doing spur-of-the-moment stage-side fixes; and adding some basic "performance" enhancements like aftermarket pickups and more.

Acoustic Guitar Manual

(String Letter Publishing). Acoustic guitarists can now better understand their instruments, preserve and protect their value, and get the sounds they really want, thanks to this new book from the experts at Acoustic Guitar magazine. This indispensable guide begins by acquainting players with their instruments and laying to rest some pervasive guitar myths, then proceeds through various aspects of basic care, setup, common repairs, and pickup installation. Whether it's cleaning and polishing a beloved guitar, protecting it from theft or changes in humidity, selecting a case, or performing diagnostics, readers will become more savvy acoustic guitar owners and repair-shop customers and can forego dubious advice from well-meaning friends and anonymous "experts" on the Web. Includes a primer and glossary of terms.

How to Setup Your Guitar Like a Pro (Colour Photo Edition)

(Music Pro Guides). String musicians, know only this: everything is vibrating . The movement of the spheres? A guru's cryptic musing? Hypersensitivity to plate tectonics? Not quite. This is the briefest possible distillation of Trager's Principle, which states, "When a string instrument is being played, everything is vibrating, from the top of the scroll to the tip of the endpin." This simple formula, the purest distillation of master luthier Chuck Traeger's lifetime of learning, holds the key to configuring your instrument to your specifications. It also forms the crux of his third and final book: *String Instrument Setups: 10 Setups That Will Make Your Instrument Louder, Better, and Easier to Play* . At the height of the Big Band era, Traeger, a double bassist, performed alongside a veritable who's who of New York jazz musicians including the likes of Louie Armstrong and Sidney Bechet. In was in this capacity as Charlie Traeger, one hip cat and a regularly frustrated client of NYC's instrument repair shops that he began his pursuit of sonic perfection. In 1969, satisfied with his abilities but devoted to constant self-improvement, he opened his first repair shop. Before he knew it, his reputation was preceding him, and he found himself handling the instruments of school band novices and the New York Philharmonic alike. On his seventieth birthday, Traeger retired from musicianship and devoted himself to comprehensively documenting all he had learned about his craft. Two decades later, shortly after he put the finishing touches on *String Instrument Setups* , Chuck Traeger passed away on November 9, 2016. Scarcely a month had elapsed since the death of his beloved wife, June, to whom he was married for over sixty blissful years. Albeit with a heavy heart, we at Hal Leonard Books are proud to present this remarkable man's parting gift to generations of current and future musicians. *String Instrument Setups* is the culmination of forty-five years of acoustic research involving Trager's old standby, the double bass, and, in turn, any string instrument with a moveable bridge and a moveable tailpiece, or one that can be made moveable. Armed with this book, we're confident that the average musician can enter almost any string instrument maker or repair shop in the world (the exception being a shop that has already read *String Instrument Setups*), ask for their best repair or restoration, then make that instrument sound louder, better, and easier to play, every time. This is neither braggadocio nor hyperbole; rather, it's the confidence instilled by one man's extensive research, wholehearted devotion, and firm belief in the sacred bond between instrument and musician. After reading *String Instrument Setups* , we're sure you'll feel the same.

The Art of Lutherie

General Reference

The Acoustic Guitar Handbook

(Guitar Educational). Doug Redler has been a guitar tech to the Black Crowes, k.d. lang, the Dixie Chicks, the B-52s, Paul

Simon, Goo Goo Dolls, Counting Crows, Peter Gabriel, and many other stars. He's seen it all, and knows what to do when it comes to keeping guitars and amps healthy. In this book, he reveals his trade secrets so that anyone with some mechanical ability can maintain their own gear. Co-authored by Hal Leonard guitar historian Dave Rubin, this book covers: guitar tech toolbox, proper stringing techniques, evaluating the guitar neck, setting the action, adjusting the pickups, basic bass guitar set-up, tales from the road, humidity and acoustic guitars, amp care and maintenance, and more!

Classical Guitar Making

"Everything you need to start confidently working on your own guitars is right here." Learn how to do great guitar setups time and time again with this easy to follow, step-by-step manual. With expert tips, clear instruction over 100 photos, you will gain the understanding on how to fine-tune your guitar to play it's best. Makes an excellent starter book or reference for budding professionals. ***Now updated and expanded with additional content including a section on restringing, neck shimming, scale length determination and new images!*** Included in the book: An 8 step method on setting up your electric or acoustic guitar How to adjust Fender style tremolo's, Gibson hard-tails, Floyd Rose and other floating bridge types How to adjust the saddle on your acoustic steel string or nylon string guitar How to file nut slots Setup spec's for electric, acoustic, classical and bass guitar Manufacturer's setup spec's from Fender, Gibson, Ibanez, Jackson, Gretsch and others Exclusive setup specifications from the author's best playing guitars A handy measurement conversion chart

REVIEWS Praise for Jonny Blackwood: "I have related and referred to Jonny's guidance many times over the years and I can truly say that I wouldn't have gotten very far without it." -Daryl Chonka, guitar tech for Randy Bachman (The Guess Who & BTO), recording engineer, recording & performing artist "Everything you need to start confidently working on your own guitars is right here." -Andrew deGroot, factory certified guitar tech and luthier, Stang Guitars "The importance of a great setup can't be overstated. This is a perfect guide for those starting out in the craft, and a great general reference to keep around. Jonny lays out all the info needed to setup your guitar like a pro, without any confusing clutter. You're in great hands." -Cory Newman, Luthier, C.A. Newman Guitars "Jonny knows his stuff, does great work and is respectful to those of us whose greatest guitar work will be performed in our own minds." -Scott McKeen, former city councillor of Edmonton and journalist, The Edmonton Journal Books available from the author (paperback and kindle edition): How to Setup Your Guitar Like A Pro: An Easy Guide for Beginners How to Build & Setup Guitar Kits like a Pro: An Easy Guide for Bolt-on Neck Guitars How to Start and Run a Successful Guitar Repair Business: Practical Tips for the New Entrepreneur

Fret Work

Teach Yourself Guitar Repair and Maintenance

Teaches you how to set the action, intonation and adjust the truss rod, -- Clear step by step instructions and close up photos make learning easy, -- Learn to set up and adjust a Floyd Rose tremolo system, -- includes instructions on soldering and maintenance of electronics -- cover.

Acoustic Guitar

Get the inside track on a successful guitar repair, guitar building and/ or custom guitar shop business. Save yourself time, money, and frustration when starting up your own business with this helpful guide-book that offers key insider tips and a thorough overview of what to expect in the business, written by an industry veteran. Don't go into business without reading this book first!

Guitar Finishing, Step-by-Step

Contemporary Acoustic Guitar Design and Build (2nd Edition)

Contemporary Acoustic Guitar Design and Build is for everyone who wants to understand more about designing and building acoustic guitars using methods based on the acoustical and engineering sciences and contemporary small workshop practices. For the first time, the sound output of a guitar is comprehensively related both theoretically and practically to the instrument's woodwork, providing a logical and scientific method for designing guitars and real answers to questions that have challenged luthiers for centuries. Instruments built using these techniques are measurably more powerful, in-tune, responsive and playable than just about anything for sale in a music store. The differences are immediately audible. First time builders and experts alike will find these volumes invaluable. Building instructions and full sized plans are provided for four different types of guitar. But the real purpose of these volumes is to provide a design and build methodology that will allow the reader to construct just about any type of flat top guitar; the "perfect guitar" for yourself or your customer, using the same techniques that provide the quality and consistency required by pragmatic luthiers who make guitars for a living.

How to Make Your Electric Guitar Play Great!

(Guitar Method). Here's your complete guide to getting your guitars to play and sound their best! Step-by-step instructions and photos teach how to adjust the action, truss rod, bridge saddles, nut, intonation and more on electric guitars and steel string acoustic guitars. Basic electronic repairs are covered as well. This book will get you started on the road to becoming

your own guitar repairman.

Mini Music Guides: Guitar Care and Gear Essentials

Easy-to-follow instructions on maintaining your guitar and essential information about gear! Alfred's Mini Music Guides provide essential information in a convenient size. Take these books anywhere you want to go. Packed with clear, step-by-step instructions and close-up photographs, Guitar Care and Gear Essentials is the best compact guide for guitar maintenance and gear available. Features: * For guitarists of all levels and styles * How to set action and intonation, adjust the truss rod, and maintain frets * Step-by-step instruction for proper string removal and installation on various types of guitars * Shows how to solder and maintain electronics * Detailed guide to setting up, maintaining, and troubleshooting Floyd Rose systems * Comprehensive sections on amps, cabinets, ohmage and impedance, signal flow and level, noise, cabling, and more!

Guitar Setup, Maintenance & Repair

The Art Of Lutherie offers a glimpse into the mind and craft of luthier Tom Bills, whom many consider to be one of the most talented luthiers today. In this beautifully written and enjoyable read, Tom elegantly and clearly shares his best-kept secrets and methods of custom guitar making - those which make his guitars favorites among top collectors and players. Tom's unique approach to The Art Of Lutherie will empower and inspire you to create more than just a guitar, but a truly unique work of art. The information that is generously shared within this insightful and timeless work is both practical and applicable. It contains the same hard-won wisdom that only comes from years of experience and experimentation that Tom uses in creating his inspiring instruments. Over the years, he has produced instruments considered to be some of the best sounding guitars ever made. Learning the steps of how to build a guitar is important, but understanding why master luthiers take those steps and make those decisions can empower you to make your own educated choices. This will allow you to create unique guitars, and the world needs your art, your guitars - your important contribution. The Art Of Lutherie, a truly unique and inspiring guide, can prepare you to reach new heights when designing and creating unique guitars. It is not often I heap such lavish praise on people; however, Tom is in this case more than deserving: I know of no other luthier whose work I respect more. Tom knows his craft inside and out; he pours his soul into every guitar he makes; he uses cutting-edge science to guide his work, and it shows as head of Artist Relations and Product Development at Mel Bay, it gives me great pleasure to publish Tom's work, which will no doubt take the art of lutherie to a new level. I hope you'll spend some time soaking in this book - it will certainly augment your musicality - Collin Bay. Includes access to online video

How to Start and Run a Successful Guitar Repair Business

The Acoustic Guitar

(Guitar). The definitive work on the design and construction of an acoustic archtop guitar by one of the most talented luthiers of the twentieth century. Benedetto walks the reader through all aspects of construction through to marketing your finished work. Includes a list of suppliers to acquire all the tools and materials listed; a list of serial numbers for Benedetto guitars; full-color plates featuring the author's models; photos from the author's personal scrapbook of players who endorse his guitars; and fold-out templates for construction. 8-1/2 x 11 .

Acoustic Guitar Owner's Manual

An invaluable manual for every guitarist - amateur or professional. Filled with practical instructions explaining how to keep the guitar in top condition, how to carry out repairs and what to look for when buying a new guitar. Suitable for electric or acoustic guitar.

D. I. Y. Guitar Repair

(Book). Every guitarist dreams of owning a handmade instrument, but for most, the cost is likely to be prohibitive. The alternative building your own fine guitar is not as difficult as you might imagine, given some skill, patience, and the expert guidance of a master luthier. Every step of construction is fully covered, from choice, selection, and preparation of woods, to consideration of size, bracing, and tonal qualities. Each step of the building sequence is clearly photographed in color, with variations to the standard design shown to enable you to personalize your instrument as you make it. Briston, England-based Jonathan Kinhead has been building guitars for nearly 30 years. His craft is born out of experience and intuition rather than a strict following of technical detail. The resulting beauty of form and distinctive tone have earned him his reputation as one of the world's most respected independent luthiers.

Guitarist's Guide to Maintenance & Repair

Guitar Player Repair Guide

A complete reference for the design and construction of the steel-string folk guitar and the classical guitar.

Complete Guitar Care & Maintenance

Covers set-up, maintenance, tuners, acoustic adjustments, nut replacement, fret dressing, refretting, guitar electronics, finish application and repair, and useful tools

Guitar Repair

Welcome to Bluegrass for the Curious Guitarist! This is a complete bluegrass guitar guide that takes you from the beginning (you don't know how to play guitar) to an advanced level in which you'll be playing & jamming bluegrass guitar for fun! Most often, bluegrass guitarists play the acoustic guitar, but any six-string guitar will work just fine while you gather your bluegrass skills. In the beginning pages, these guitar lessons will focus on getting you up to speed with your basic guitar skills, such as reading tabs, knowing basic guitar chords, basic bluegrass strum patterns, open guitar scale shapes, solo techniques, jam etiquette, bluegrass history, and even learning how to read music on the guitar so you can learn any bluegrass song that you ever wanted to learn! (Every song is in tab form so you can start playing these bluegrass guitar tunes right away!) Also included are 10 of the most commonly played bluegrass guitar songs with both a tab version and a chord version. You are encouraged to play these guitar chords, tabbed out melodies, and also jam using your own guitar solos using the open position scales from this book. This is going to be a lot of fun! Let's get started.

Bluegrass for the Curious Guitarist

(Guitar). Learn to diagnose common problems relating to the adjustment, upkeep and repair of your acoustic guitar, as well as nylon-string guitars and ukuleles. Topics include: humidity * cracks * braces * bridge plates * frets * guitar action * intonation * neck angle * tuning machines * strings * strap buttons * end pins * buying a used guitar * cleaning & polishing * pickups * and much more.

Guitars

“Everything you need to maintain, set up and protect your guitar.” Cleaning & Restringing – Setups & Adjustments – Care & Storage – Minor Repairs “Complete Guitar Care & Maintenance, The Ultimate Owners Guide” is the essential care guide for guitar owners everywhere. Filled with over 170 pages of step-by-step instruction, 300 images and diagrams, and a plethora of exclusively derived specifications and manufacturers' recommendations. You will have everything you need to maintain any guitar, no matter what your experience level. Get the low-down on instrument cleaning and preservation. Improve the performance and sound of your guitar with simple adjustments. Take your setup skills to the next level with precision neck

adjustments, string height adjustments (bridge saddle and nut), pickup height adjustments, intonation, and more. Do minor repairs, fix electronics, and other common issues with total confidence. Learn about guitar care, such as humidity and storage. Use the included cut-out tool templates to broaden your guitar setup prowess. This is a complete reference manual, perfect for players, collectors and budding professionals alike. Written to be simple, accessible, streamlined, and easy to follow. Pertains to electric, acoustic, classical, and bass guitars. From your friends at blackwoodguitarworks.com and the Guitar Setup Pro App. Included in the book:

- How to maintain your guitar for peak performance & longevity
- How to clean, polish and store the guitar for long-term protection
- How to restring the guitar properly
- How to set up electric, acoustic & bass guitars
- How to adjust neck relief (bow) for optimum playability
- How to adjust string height for your playing style and guitar type
- How to file nut slots, adjust pickup height and set the intonation accurately
- How to adjust Fender-style tremolo's, Gibson hard-tails, Floyd Rose and other floating bridge types
- How to adjust the saddle on your acoustic steel string or nylon string guitar
- How to solder and repair electronics
- How to replace jacks, switches, and pickups
- Manufacturer's setup specs from Fender, Gibson, Ibanez, Jackson, Gretsch and others
- Exclusive setup specifications from the author's best playing guitars & basses
- Cut-out templates for radius gauges, under-string radius gauges & an action ruler
- An extensive troubleshooting section
- A library of common wiring diagrams
- A handy measurement conversion chart
- And much more!

Guitar Player Repair Guide

Many people love the guitar because of the amazing sound it produces, its portability, and the creativity that it inspires. Even people who are older and have never played an instrument may find the guitar a tempting instrument to learn in their retirement years. In this book, you will learn everything you need to know about learning to play the acoustic guitar. What you'll gain from this book is the opportunity to learn important tips and tricks that will make playing the guitar an easy and exciting journey. You'll soon find that you will possess all the techniques required to master the ability to change chords, strum, and play with ease. Knowing how to strum and pick is vital to becoming a good guitar player, and in this book, you'll be provided with the methods needed to learn to be proficient. You'll learn various techniques and tips to empower you, including tricks on how to change chords, strum, use a pick, and play guitar harmonics. In addition, you'll learn right-hand techniques, such as palming and damping the strings. You can learn to sound like a pro in a short period of time. So what are you waiting for? It's time to start making music!

Making an Archtop Guitar

A hands-on guide to bass guitar repair. with photographs, diagrams, and sketches made by the author, John LeVan and some provided by manufacturers. It even includes a forward written by Bob Taylor of Taylor Guitars. Learn how to: •

The Complete Guide to Guitar and Amp Maintenance

Newly revised and updated, this do-it-yourself primer for owning and maintaining an electric guitar covers a vast array of essential information, including choosing the right guitar, personalizing and improving on a "factory setup," basic guitar electronics, troubleshooting and much more. Original.

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