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# Alfred's Basic Ukulele Method: The Most Popular Method For Learning How To Play (Book, CD & DVD) (Alfred's Basic Method)





# **Synopsis**

Alfreds Basic Ukulele Method 1 features clear, well-paced instruction that makes learning the ukulele easy and fun. This book covers all the necessities, including how to hold your ukulele, tuning your ukulele, right- and left-hand techniques, the basics of reading music, chords, strumming patterns, songs, and how to read TAB. A CD and DVD is included so you can see and hear every technique and song. Titles: Aloha Oe \* The Sloop John B. \* Over the Rainbow \* and many others.

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The music store where I take guitar lessons recently introduced the economy line of Lanikai ukuleles. About three months ago, I bought one and began taking it to my guitar lesson from time to time for a change of pace. Since the Lanikai LU-21C Concert Ukulele I bought is compact and small enough to fit in an commuter airline overhead compartment, it makes a very suitable practice companion for extended overseas trips. I began looking around for ukulele tutorials and songbooks and was shocked to discover the emptiness of the field. Whereas there are thousands of titles for first-time guitar players, there are barely a couple dozen for first time ukulele players. Most tutorial writers come into the ukulele after learning guitar and as a result, they assume a first time player will pick up the skills and techniques for playing ukulele as easily as they did. Although there are a few decent guides that are available only in Hawaii, first-time ukulele books are hard to find in bookstores, music stores, and even at .com.I bought this particular package because it contained

both a CD and a DVD. I was pleased to discover that all three items are clear, well-presented, and easy to use. There is no better resource for a new player that I have found anywhere, except perhaps the Hal Leonard books. Still, that means there are only two textbook series for new players that are worth buying, and currently the Hal Leonard books are not available with both a DVD and a CD.

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