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By Elton John Songfacts

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It's Easy to Play Elton John - Elton John 2000

Easy-to-read, simplified piano arrangements of 14 great Elton John songs. Titles are: Bennie and the Jets * Border Song * Candle in the Wind * Country Comfort * Crocodile Rock * Daniel * Don't Go Breaking My Heart * Ego * Goodbye Yellow Brick Road * Honky Cat * Island Girl * Rocket Man * Someone Saved My Life Tonight * Your Song.

Elton John - 2019

Iconic songs including "Crocodile Rock," "Goodbye Yellow Brick Road,"

"Daniel," and total record sales of well over 300 million have made Elton John one of the most beloved and successful musical artists of all time. As the biopic 'Rocketman' hits theaters, the editors at LIFE present this special edition 'Elton John: The Songs, The Journey, The Life,' a unique, colorful look at the flamboyant singer's unlikely and epic rise to superstardom. The story begins with "The Piano Player," a chapter when Reginald Kenneth Dwight, after a difficult childhood, began working as an unknown backing musician in the pubs of London. "The Unexpected Star" then details his profound transformation into Elton John, embraced first during the summer of 1970 by American audiences, after an infamous show at the Troubadour in Los Angeles. "The Rocket Man" and "A View from the Top" follow him through decades of great heights and great falls

as he negotiates the trouble-in-paradise that is international pop/rock fame. Finally, "Elton Plays On" tracks his continued activity and success in musical theater, writing for the movies, and the beginning of his three-year farewell world tour. Let this unique guide from LIFE take you back through the legacy of Elton John and the music that has formed the soundtrack for the lives of millions. Please note that this product is an authorized edition published by the Meredith Corporation and sold by Amazon. This edition is printed using a high quality matte interior paper and printed on demand for immediate fulfillment." -- amazon.com.

Rocket Man - Mark Bego
2020-01-07

The colorful and kaleidoscopic life of one of the world's most original and talented musical artists. Here's the book every pop music lover has been

waiting for—full of the scandals, addictions, affairs and tantrums that underscored the life of arguably the world’s greatest pop musician. Flamboyant, iconic Elton John is as much part of the American musical landscape as he is in his native England. In the 1970s, when popular music on both sides of the Atlantic fragmented into disco, soul, hard rock, pop and folk, Elton John embraced them all with his signature creative panache. Emerging in the late 1960s as a singer/songwriter, Elton was widely acknowledged as the most prolific pop and rock star of the decade by the mid-1970s. His peerless musical style and ability to jump from sensitive ballads to bawdy rock anthems to campy pop have made him a musical superstar for the ages. From his heartfelt ballads like “Tiny Dancer” and “Your Song,” to his rock & roll hits including “Benny and The Jets” and

“Crocodile Rock,” Elton has lived one of the most outrageous and colorful lives in show business. Having met the “Rocket Man” the first time in the 1980s, Bego has drawn upon his personal observations, vast research, and has been able interview dozens of Elton’s collaborators and lifelong friends to produce the the ultimate story on the amazing and larger-than-life Elton John.

Big Book of Clarinet

Songs (Songbook) - Hal Leonard Corp. 2007-09-01 (Instrumental Folio).

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more.

Elton John (Songbook) -

Elton John 2007-01-01
(Paperback Songs). Melody,
chords and lyrics for 66 of
Elton's best, all in a handy
pocket-sized collection.

Includes: Bennie and the
Jets * The Bitch Is Back *
Can You Feel the Love
Tonight * Candle in the
Wind * Candle in the Wind
1997 * Crocodile Rock *
Don't Let the Sun Go down
on Me * Goodbye Yellow
Brick Road * I'm Still
Standing * Little Jeannie *
Philadelphia Freedom *
Pinball Wizard * Rocket
Man (I Think It's Gonna Be
a Long Long Time) * Sad
Songs (Say So Much) * Tiny
Dancer * Your Song * and
more.

*The Elton John Piano Solo
Collection (Songbook) -*
Elton John 1995-10-01
(Piano Solo Personality). 22
songs from this pop piano
master, including: Bennie
and the Jets * Can You Feel
the Love Tonight * Candle
in the Wind * Daniel * I
Guess That's Why They Call

It the Blues * Rocket Man *
Sacrifice * Your Song * and
more.

Elton John for Ukulele -
Elton John 2013-02-01
Ukelele Instruction

Elton John Piano Duets -
Elton John 1998

(Piano Duet). Includes 8 of
Elton's greatest arranged at
the intermediate level for 1
piano/4 hands. Songs:
Candle in the Wind * Circle
of Life * Crocodile Rock *
Don't Let the Sun Go Down
on Me * Goodbye Yellow
Brick Road * Rocket Man *
Something About the Way
You Look Tonight * Your
Song.

Rock and Roll - Maury Dean
2003-01-01

An appreciation of Rock-n-
Roll, song by song, from its
roots and its inspirations to
its divergent recent trends.
A work of rough genius;
DeanOCO's attempt to make
connections though time
and across genres is
laudable."

The Songs of Elton John -
Elton John 1997

Titles are: Bennie and The

Jets * Candle in the Wind *
Daniel * Don't Let the Sun
Go Down on Me * Goodbye
Yellow Brick Road * I Guess
That's Why They Call It the
Blues * Rocket Man *
Sacrifice * Sad Songs (Say
So Much) * Someone Saved
My Life Tonight * Young
Song.

Elton - David Buckley 2007
One of music's true global
superstars and most
admired figures, Elton John
has sold an estimated 200
million albums worldwide to
date, and continues to
appear regularly in the
singles charts, thanks
largely to a series of high-
profile collaborations with
new faces. But he is loved
as much for his outrageous
personality and witty
outspokenness as for his
music: recent memorable
outbursts have included a
public comment that
"people who charge ♦75
and lip-sync should be shot"
and calling some pushy
photographers "rude, vile
pigs." He has even admitted
that, in one of his more

comedic cocaine-fueled
moments, he phoned one of
his management team "to
tell him to do something
about the wind outside my
hotel room." Such
shamelessness and sheer
silliness rivals anything
uttered by punk rockers, yet
it is so typically Elton:
honest and wittily
intemperate. Tragedy and
heartbreak have played a
large part in his life too.
Behind the parties, the
hedonism, the lavish stage
costumes and silly glasses
lies a more somber story.
There have been disputes
with managers, legal
wranglings, splits with
partners, and a divorce.
Added to that there have
been serious health
problems, a very public
battle with his expanding
waistline and receding
hairline, drug addictions,
and spells when he wanted
to quit the music business
altogether. But now, at 60
years old, Elton enjoys a
stable relationship with his
husband David Furnish. His

demons have been overcome. His commercial and critical stock is rising. With popular acts like the Scissor Sisters sounding more like Elton than Elton himself, Elton John is finally cool again. Drawing on many firsthand interviews with his associates and musical collaborators, this page-turning story of high drama and prodigious talent traces Elton's astonishing journey through life as the colossus of camp, while also offering a critical history of his work and analyzing afresh his contribution to popular music.

Elton John - 40 Songs for Really Easy Piano - Elton John 2019-08-05

(Really Easy Piano). 40 Elton John hits in easy-to-play arrangements for piano, presented with background notes and performance tips for every song. Includes: Bennie and the Jets * Can You Feel the Love Tonight * Candle in the Wind * Crocodile Rock * Daniel * Don't Let the Sun

Go down on Me * Goodbye Yellow Brick Road * I Guess That's Why They Call It the Blues * I Want Love * I'm Still Standing * Philadelphia Freedom * Rocket Man (I Think It's Gonna Be a Long Long Time) * Sorry Seems to Be the Hardest Word * Tiny Dancer * Your Song * and more.

[Captain Fantastic](#) - Tom Doyle 2017-03-21

The true story of Elton John's meteoric rise from obscurity to worldwide celebrity in the weird, wild 1970s, based on rare one-on-one interviews with the Rocket Man himself—now the subject of a major motion picture. In August 1970, Elton John achieved overnight fame with a rousing performance at the Troubadour in Los Angeles. Over the next five years, the artist formerly known as Reginald Dwight went from unheard of to unstoppable, scoring seven consecutive #1 albums and sixteen Top Ten singles in America. By the middle of the decade, he

was solely responsible for 2 percent of global record sales. One in fifty albums sold in the world bore his name. Elton John's live shows became raucous theatrical extravaganzas, attended by all the glitterati of the era. But beneath the spangled bodysuits and oversized eyeglasses, Elton was a desperately shy man, conflicted about his success, his sexuality, and his narcotic indulgences. In 1975, at the height of his fame, he attempted suicide. After coming out as bisexual in a controversial Rolling Stone interview that nearly wrecked his career, and announcing his retirement from live performance in 1977 at the age of thirty, he gradually found his way back to the thing he cared about most: the music. *Captain Fantastic* gives readers a behind-the-scenes look at the rise, fall, and return to glory of one of the world's most mercurial performers. Rock journalist Tom Doyle's insider account

of the Rocket Man's turbulent ascent is based on a series of one-on-one interviews in which Elton laid bare many previously unrevealed details of his early career. Here is an intimate exploration of Elton's working relationship with songwriting partner Bernie Taupin, whose lyrics often chronicled the ups and downs of their life together in the spotlight. Through these pages pass a parade of legends whose paths crossed with Elton's during the decade—including John Lennon, Bob Dylan, Groucho Marx, Katharine Hepburn, Princess Margaret, Elvis Presley, and an acid-damaged Brian Wilson. A fascinating portrait of the artist at the apex of his celebrity, *Captain Fantastic* takes us on a rollicking fame-and-drug-fueled ride aboard Elton John's rocket ship to superstardom. Praise for *Captain Fantastic* "Veteran rock journalist [Tom] Doyle continues his foray into the

1970s music scene with a compelling profile of an unlikely rock star. . . . In chronicling Elton John's stratospheric rise to fame, replete with platinum records, increasingly outlandish stage shows, and mountains of cash, the author deftly manages to keep his subject in sharp focus. Based on hours of one-on-one interviews with Captain Fantastic himself, this breezy yet comprehensive biography demonstrates what it was like for the talented musician to churn out an impossible string of hit records. . . . A great way to better understand the man behind the garish glasses and platform boots."—Kirkus Reviews "In this adoring and candid set of fan's notes, music journalist Doyle (Man on the Run) draws on interviews with John and his colleagues, especially his writing partner, Bernie Taupin, to capture the meteoric rise and fall of the

man who released at least one album every year of the 1970s. . . . This energetic book . . . makes a convincing case that John reached his peak and made his best music in the '70s."—Publishers Weekly "A breezy and surprisingly poignant romp through a decade, and a career, that effectively invented modern celebrity culture."—Peter Doggett, author of *You Never Give Me Your Money: The Beatles After the Breakup* [Elton John \(Songbook\)](#) - Elton John 2008-08-01 (Educational Piano Library). 8 classic Elton John songs arranged as intermediate solos: Can You Feel the Love Tonight * Candle in the Wind * Crocodile Rock * Goodbye Yellow Brick Road * Sorry Seems to Be the Hardest Word * Tiny Dancer * Written in the Stars * Your Song. [Elton John - Greatest Hits Updated \(Songbook\)](#) - Elton John 1991-11-01 (Easy Piano Personality). 23

of Elton's very best, including: Bennie and the Jets * Candle in the Wind * Goodbye Yellow Brick Road * Rocket Man * Sacrifice * Your Song * and more.

Elton John Iconic Albums - Chip Tronsteen 2022-12-09
The paperback that plays original recordings and music videos of these iconic Elton John albums to your mobile: "Elton John", "Madman Across The Water", "Honky Chateau", "Don't Shoot Me I'm Only The Piano Player", "Goodbye Yellow Brick Road", "Caribou", "Captain Fantastic And The Brown Dirt Cowboy", "Rock Of The Westies", "Blue Moves", "Too Low For Zero", "Ice On Fire", "Live in Australia with the Melbourne Symphony Orchestra", "Sleeping With The Past", "Duets", "Diamonds", "The Lockdown Sessions".

Elton John - Super Easy Songbook - Elton John 2019-06-01
(Super Easy Songbook). It's super easy! This series

features accessible arrangements for piano, with simple right-hand melody, letter names inside each note, basic left-hand chord diagrams, and no page turns. This edition includes 22 hits from the Rocket Man: Bennie and the Jets * Can You Feel the Love Tonight * Candle in the Wind * Don't Let the Sun Go down on Me * Goodbye Yellow Brick Road * I'm Still Standing * Sad Songs (Say So Much) * Tiny Dancer * Your Song * and more.

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Elton John Ballads

(Songbook) - Elton John
1994-04-01

(Piano/Vocal/Guitar Artist Songbook). This second edition features 20 of Elton's best ballads arranged for piano and voice with guitar chord frames. Songs include: Can You Feel the Love Tonight * Candle in the Wind * Don't Let the Sun Go Down on Me * Goodbye Yellow Brick Road * The One * Rocket Man * Someone Saved My Life Tonight * Sorry Seems to Be the Hardest Word * Tiny Dancer * Your Song * and more.

The Elton John Scrapbook -

Mary Anne Cassata 2002

The book Elton's fiercely loyal followers have been craving--a guide that explores every nook and cranny of the legendary rock musician's extraordinary career. Included are biographical background, anecdotes, critical commentary, lists, pop quizzes, trivia, quotes,

and more. Illustrations.

All Music Guide Required Listening - Chris Woodstra 2007

Collects reviews for one thousand enduring classic rock albums ranging from the extremely popular to more obscure works.

Me - Elton John 2020-10-13
Christened Reginald

Dwight, he was a shy boy with Buddy Holly glasses who grew up in the London suburb of Pinner and dreamed of becoming a pop star. By the age of twenty-three, he was performing his first gig in America, facing an astonished audience in his bright yellow dungarees, a star-spangled T-shirt and boots with wings. Elton John had arrived and the music world would never be the same again. His life has been full of drama, from the early rejection of his work with song-writing partner Bernie Taupin to spinning out of control as a chart-topping superstar; from half-heartedly trying to drown

himself in his LA swimming pool to disco-dancing with the Queen; from friendships with John Lennon, Freddie Mercury and George Michael to setting up his AIDS Foundation. All the while, Elton was hiding a drug addiction that would grip him for over a decade. In *Me* Elton also writes powerfully about getting clean and changing his life, about finding love with David Furnish and becoming a father. In a voice that is warm, humble and open, this is Elton on his music and his relationships, his passions and his mistakes. This is a story that will stay with you, by a living legend.

The Best of Elton John -

Elton John 1983-04-01
15 songs, including: Blue Eyes • Crocodile Rock • Daniel • Don't Let the Sun Go Down On Me • Goodbye Yellow Brick Road • Rocket Man • Someone Saved My Life Tonight • Sorry Seems to Be the Hardest Word • Your Song.

Play Piano With... Elton

John - Elton John

2000-11-01

This great new play-along features some of Elton John's greatest music from the last few decades. It includes piano parts, chord symbols, and full lyrics, along with a CD containing authentic piano parts from seven Elton John recordings and "sound-alike" backing tracks! Titles are: Can You Feel the Love Tonight * Candle in the Wind * Goodbye Yellow Brick Road * I Guess That's Why They Call It the Blues * Rocket Man * Song for Guy * Your Song.

Elton John Ballads - Elton John 2012-06-01

Pop/Rock/R&B Piano Solos

Elton John for Singers -

Elton John 2019-01-01

(Vocal Piano). 20 classics from Sir Elton John are presented in this collection of vocal transcriptions in their original keys with piano accompaniment.

Includes: Bennie and the Jets * The Bitch Is Back *

Candle in the Wind * Don't Let the Sun Go down on Me

* Goodbye Yellow Brick

Road * Lucy in the Sky with

Diamonds * Philadelphia

Freedom * Rocket Man (I

Think It's Gonna Be a Long

Long Time) * Saturday

Night's Alright (For

Fighting) * and more.

Elton John - Elton John

2014-01-01

Pop/Rock/R&B Piano Solos

Lead with Hospitality -

Taylor Scott 2021-04-27

Across all industries and

levels of organizations, one

key leadership trait inspires

and motivates more than

any other: hospitality. We

have all encountered

inspirational leaders who've

helped us, taught us,

encouraged us, pushed us

to get outside our comfort

zones, or motivated us to

become the best version of

ourselves. What is it about

their leadership styles that

inspires us to do more for

our team and our personal

and professional growth?

Turns out, we admire these

leaders for the same

reasons we love our favorite hotels, resorts, restaurants, or bars: How they make us feel is essential. Members of today's workforce—especially millennials and Gen Z—are looking for inspiring environments and work that truly fulfills them. Before anyone is compelled to do anything they first must feel. Speaker, consultant, and hospitality industry veteran Taylor Scott knows that the most effective leaders approach their roles with heart, emotionally connecting with their team members before attempting to manage them. Scott draws from his two decades in leadership roles at respected hotels, resorts, and restaurants. He distills the principles of gracious hospitality, translating them into actionable leadership lessons which apply in any industry, such as:

- How making people feel welcome fosters loyalty and keeps workers engaged with an organization's purpose •

How serving people with empathy and compassion sparks workers' highest productivity • How making people feel comfortable encourages exploration, curiosity, and discovery while inviting everyone to lean into their creativity • How making people feel significant drives them to deliver their best work He also shares specific, practical steps you can take to put these principles into action. Scott shows how to connect, serve, engage, coach, and inspire your peers, teams, and even your own leaders. Lead with Hospitality is a call to action to connect with people on a human level which ultimately inspires teams, organizations, and companies to go to the next level.

[Bernie Taupin](#) - Bernie Taupin 1976

Elton John (Songbook) - Elton John 2006-11-01 (Guitar Chord Songbook). This book contains just what

you need to strum and sing 60 of your favorite Elton John songs, including: Bennie and the Jets * Blue Eyes * Can You Feel the Love Tonight * Candle in the Wind * Crocodile Rock * Goodbye Yellow Brick Road * Philadelphia Freedom * Pinball Wizard * Rocket Man (I Think It's Gonna Be a Long Long Time) * Sad Songs (Say So Much) * Tiny Dancer * Your Song * and more.

Harmony - Scott Robinson
2021-01-14

Elton John's place in rock history is secure. He is one of the most consequential musicians of the past half-century - and, alongside songwriting partner Bernie Taupin, a part of the only duo to approach Lennon & McCartney in talent and range. *Harmony* examines the music of Elton John in deep detail, analyzing its themes, its structure, its innovations. From *Madman Across the Water* to *Goodbye Yellow Brick Road* to *Captain Fantastic*, from

"Your Song" to "Bennie and the Jets" to "Rocket Man" - the creativity and nuance and boldness of Elton's best music from his earlier "classical" years is thoughtfully explored, along with the history of each song and album. It's a journey back down the Yellow Brick Road that now stretches across five decades, back to Caribou and the Honky Chateau and other venues where the music first happened - but, more significantly, it's a path into the mind of one of pop cultures true 20th century genuises.

Elton John Anthology (Songbook) - Elton John

1987-11-01

(Piano/Vocal/Guitar Artist Songbook). This updated edition offers 60 of Elton's best: Bennie and the Jets * The Bitch Is Back * Candle in the Wind * Crocodile Rock * Daniel * Don't Let the Sun Go Down on Me * Goodbye Yellow Brick Road * I Guess That's Why They Call It the Blues * The One *

Rocket Man * Sad Songs (Say So Much) * Tiny Dancer * Written in the Stars * Your Song * and more!

Elton John (Songbook) - Elton John 2009-06-01 (Jazz Play Along). For use with all Bb, Eb, C, and Bass Clef instruments, the Jazz Play-Along Series is the ultimate learning tool for all jazz musicians. With musician-friendly lead sheets, melody cues and audio, this first-of-its-kind package helps you master improvisation while playing some of the greatest tunes of all time. For study, each tune includes audio with: * Melody cue with proper style and inflection * Professional rhythm tracks * Choruses for soloing * Removable bass part * Removable piano part. For performance, each tune also has: * An additional full stereo accompaniment track (no melody) * Additional choruses for soloing. Includes 10 songs: Bennie and the Jets * Candle in the

Wind * Crocodile Rock * Daniel * Don't Let the Sun Go down on Me * Goodbye Yellow Brick Road * Honky Cat * I Guess That's Why They Call It the Blues * Rocket Man (I Think It's Gonna Be a Long Long Time) * Your Song.

Rock Stars on the Record - Eric Spitznagel 2021-02-23 An all-star lineup of rock-n-rollers relay the uproariously wild, sentimental, and unexpected pre-stardom stories behind their favorite records. Rock Stars on the Record is a collection of first-hand tales by artists of all ages, backgrounds, and musical influences, remembering the meaning behind the records that mattered most to them. From Laura Jane Grace to Ian MacKaye, Don McLean to Cherie Currie, Alice Bag to Mac DeMarco, Perry Farrell to Suzi Quatro and Verdine White, and many more, bestselling author Eric Spitznagel talks to rock stars across the sonic

spectrum about the albums that changed them in ways only music can change someone. Everyone's most cherished childhood record—be it a battered piece of vinyl, torn cassette tape, or scratched CD—has a story, and those stories can be more revealing about their owners than you might expect. Read about how “Weird Al” Yankovic refined his accordion skills by playing along to Elton John’s Goodbye Yellow Brick Road, or how Fishbone’s Angelo Moore saved his life with a boombox and a Bad Brains album. Or about how Wendy Melvoin and Lisa Coleman of Prince’s longtime band, The Revolution, fell in love while trading mixtapes. Each profile is more emotional, fascinating, and hilarious than the last. So place that needle in the groove, and prepare to hear something revelatory from your favorite rockers past and present. “Absolutely fascinating. It’s hard to

believe that no one has done this before, but now that I’ve read it, it seems totally obvious—except that most journalists wouldn’t be able to get people to talk so openly and compellingly about something that, to an artist, may feel very private. I know these great musicians and their music better now. Thank you, Eric.” —Daniel J. Levitin, bestselling author of *This Is Your Brain on Music*, professor of Neuroscience and Music at McGill University in Montreal “In asking a slew of rock stars about the record that changed their lives, Eric Spitznagel also ferrets out fascinating backstories and unexpected anecdotes. Who knew that Tommy Roe’s granddaughter calls him ‘the Justin Bieber of the ‘60s’? Or that Perry Farrell entertained his older siblings’ friends’ by dancing the Hully Gully at their parties? *Rock Stars on the Record* is so much fun, and more illuminating that you’d

expect.” —Caroline Sullivan, author of *Bye Bye Baby: My Tragic Love Affair with the Bay City Rollers*
The Elton John Keyboard Book (Songbook) - Elton John 1993-06-01
(Keyboard Recorded Versions). This terrific collection features 20 of Elton John's best songs: Bennie and the Jets * Candle in the Wind * Crocodile Rock * Daniel * Don't Go Breaking My Heart * Goodbye Yellow Brick Road * Honky Cat * Rocket Man * Tiny Dancer * and more.

1973: Rock at the Crossroads - Andrew Grant Jackson 2019-12-03
A fascinating account of the music and epic social change of 1973, a defining year for David Bowie, Bruce Springsteen, Pink Floyd, Elton John, the Rolling Stones, Eagles, Elvis Presley, and the former members of The Beatles. 1973 was the year rock hit its peak while splintering—just like the

rest of the world. Ziggy Stardust travelled to America in David Bowie's *Aladdin Sane*. The *Dark Side of the Moon* began its epic run on the Billboard charts, inspired by the madness of Pink Floyd's founder, while all four former Beatles scored top ten albums, two hitting #1. FM battled AM, and Motown battled Philly on the charts, as the era of protest soul gave way to disco, while DJ Kool Herc gave birth to hip hop in the Bronx. The glam rock of the New York Dolls and Alice Cooper split into glam metal and punk. Hippies and rednecks made peace in Austin thanks to Willie Nelson, while outlaw country, country rock, and Southern rock each pointed toward modern country. The Allman Brothers, Grateful Dead, and the Band played the largest rock concert to date at Watkins Glen. Led Zep's *Houses of the Holy* hit reflected the rise of funk and reggae. The singer

songwriter movement led by Bob Dylan, Neil Young, and Joni Mitchell flourished at the Troubadour and Max's Kansas City, where Bruce Springsteen and Bob Marley shared bill. Elvis Presley's Aloha from Hawaii via Satellite was NBC's top-rated special of the year, while Elton John's albums dominated the number one spot for two and a half months. Just as U.S. involvement in Vietnam drew to a close, Roe v. Wade ignited a new phase in the culture war. While the oil crisis imploded the American dream of endless prosperity, and Watergate's walls closed in on Nixon,

the music of 1973 both reflected a shattered world and brought us together.

His Song - Elizabeth J. Rosenthal 2001

A comprehensive overview of the musical career of Elton John provides the full story behind all of the musician's recordings, a complete chronicle of his concert tours, an assessment of his musical odyssey, and a study of his sometimes turbulent personal life, along with more than forty photographs and a complete discography.

Elton John - Greatest Hits 1970-2002 - Elton John 2004-08