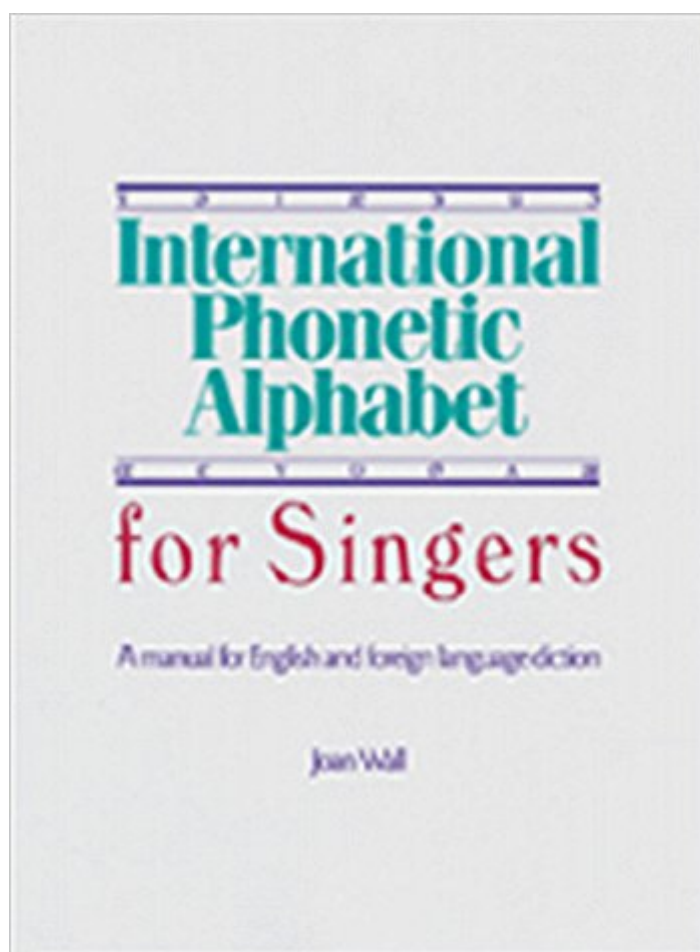


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International Phonetic Alphabet For Singers: A Manual For English And Foreign Language Diction



Synopsis

A solid foundation for learning all aspects of the sounds of singing, this manual is highly recommended as an aid for singers and teachers. Widely adopted as an auxiliary text, the book is designed specifically so that singers can lead themselves through the text.

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Customer Reviews

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This book is tremendously helpful. Clear descriptions that help with diction for younger students. I also find it extremely helpful when working with Downs Syndrome singers these students need to think through every step of creating sounds and this book helps teachers and parents to articulate the physical steps necessary to speak clearly.

The IPA is a must if you're going to be involved with any sort of vocal music. Each symbol/sound has its own section, along with a diagram of the vocal articulators so you see their positions. The exercises are very good too. I wouldn't say "I love it" because I'm using it for a class in Italian/English/German diction, but it's very, very instructive.

When I was singing in San Francisco, my director used this book to help us learn how to sing in other languages. And now years later I am very experienced in reading and writing IPA. I want to keep up these skills so I bought this book.

It is a book, get some knowledge, you need it if you're in singing.....

Awesome book, a lot of help, love it!!

Excellent read!

Great!

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