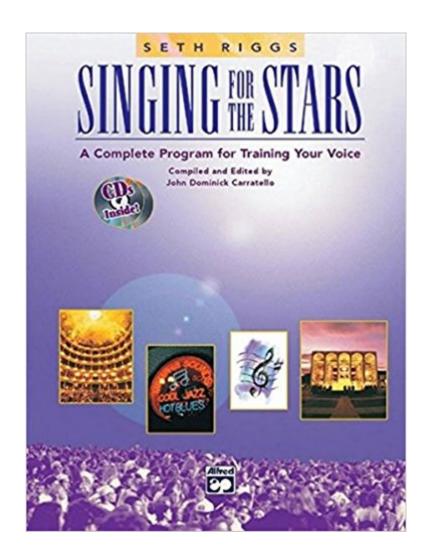


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Singing For The Stars: A Complete Program For Training Your Voice (Book & 2 CD's)





Synopsis

What do Michael Jackson, Anita Baker, Natalie Cole and hundreds of other professionals have in common? They have all studied voice with Hollywood's leading vocal coach, Seth Riggs. You can learn to sing like the pros with this complete program for training the voice.

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If you call yourself a "singer" and haven' done this training, you really should. I'm a 50 year old rock/funk singer. Used to blow out my voice sometimes after the first set. No more! No more hoarse voice after a gig either. And yes... I'm singing Journey and Stevie Wonder tunes without straining and pushing... WORTH EVERY PENNY!!! Thanks Mr. Riggs!!!!

Initially, when I first started using this book, I thought it was great and I was making great progress. Then, I got a vocal coach and realized that I was heading down a wrong path. I thought I was making progress but the problem with using this book without a vocal coach is that you don't have any feedback on how you're doing, and you can go down the wrong path easily like I did. I'd say it's useful to have, but doesn't replace the need to have a vocal coach

I trained and apprenticed with Seth Riggs for two years. Therefore I can speak authoritatively about the accuracy and efficacy of the material in this book/CD set. Seth Riggs is, in my opinion, the greatest voice teacher alive. The list of his successful students is a veritable Who's Who of Grammy winners and musical greats...spanning the entire spectrum of the musical field. The only concern I

have is that 'self-teaching' is extremely difficult for most people to do...even with an outstanding resource such as this. IMHO, voice training is one of those areas that demand the services and assistance of an effective teacher. Singing for the Stars can be big help all by itself but coupled with regular voice lessons it would be so much more.

This is a very good book to be used by voice teachers and people who really understand about voice technique. It is explained in simple words but to be able to totally understand it you need to know the basics of breathing, support, vocal placement etc. In the right hands it can be very useful for personal development or as a complement to help your voice students. I use it with my students and it has given me great results. If you are new to voice technique or if you are trying to learn to sing by your self this book is not the best choice for you. Now, if you have a voice teacher who knows this technique you can, UNDER SUPERVISION use this book to compliment your vocal training. The vocalizations are excellent!

Book was mailed in good condition. I was told that this is a good book for those trying to rebuild their voices.

I've been singing with Rock and Roll bands for over 20 years. I've taken lessons from many excellent vocal teachers and spent a lot of money learning how they wanted me to sing. This approach was the first that took most of what I thought was the "correct" way to sing and corrected the mistakes I'd been making for years!!! Over the past several months, working on my own and "putting" the time in to rehearse each day for a minimum of a half an hour, I find my range has increased, I have better control of my voice and the original "breathing" techniques I was taught almost got in the way. This is an excellent investment and works!!! You can also find teachers in your area who teach Seth Riggs style so you can improve beyond this. As it states this is a complete program. Follow it and you will become a better singer!!

strange concept...doesn't believe in breath support... really? These vocal exercise and his concept may help to some degree, but without breath support, there is no support, therefore difficult to maintain/achieve proper pitch. Perhaps this program COMBINED with something like the breathing exercises from vocalcoach.com might be a winning combination, but separately, I don't see how.

This is a very useful book for singers of all genres. Mr. Riggs seems to understand concepts that

many voice teachers do not. His approach is useful and admirable. As a professional singer, I am in a position to know whether or not this can be helpful to singers who do not understand the concepts that create healthy singing, and I do advocate it.

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