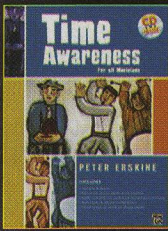


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BY PETER ERSKINE

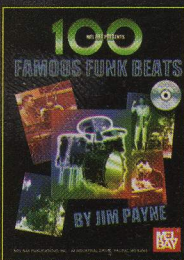
LEVEL: ALL

Alfred, \$16.95

Peter Erskine's latest book explores the inner clock, thinking in subdivisions, tempo, and phrasing, among other important aspects of time. Throughout the book are examples that any musician can use, illuminated by Erskine's commentary and

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100 FAMOUS FUNK BEATS BY JIM PAYNE

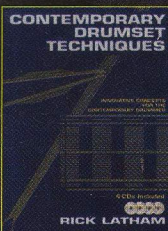
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Mel Bay, \$17.95

Most of the written material in this book appeared in Payne's excellent but out-of-print 1996 work, *Give The Drummers Some*. Among the drummers *100 Famous Funk Beats* puts a spotlight on: James Brown's Clyde Stubblefield, Jabo Starks, and Jimmy Madison, Andy Newmark with Sly Stone, and Mike Clark with Herbie

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EXTRAS: CD



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BY RICK LATHAM

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Latham's groundbreaking 1990 instructional text resurfaces with the inclusion of four CDs on which he performs each of the fifty-nine pages of exercises in an easy-to-follow format.

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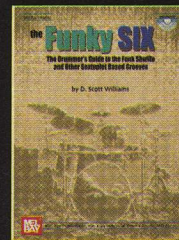
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LEVEL: ADVANCED

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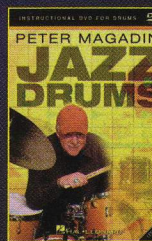
ALEX ACUÑA THE RHYTHM COLLECTOR

LEVEL: ALL

www.dwdrums.com, \$39.95

The legendary percussionist shares invaluable insight and experience on grooving on the congas, bongos, timbales, and drumset in many popular Latin rhythms.

EXTRAS: 5.1 sound, transcription booklet



JAZZ DRUMS FEATURING PETER MAGADINI

LEVEL: INTERMEDIATE TO ADVANCED

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EXTRAS: booklet



ISLAND GROOVES WITH CHRIS HANNING

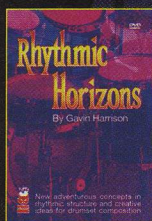
LEVEL: INTERMEDIATE

Panyard Inc., \$16.95

An excellent instructional package dealing primarily with soca and calypso, featuring a short history of the music, giving a context to the drumset in the percussion section.

Professionally done, informative, and effective at bringing up to speed drummers interested in these drumming styles.

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LEVEL: ADVANCED

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