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**Into the Woods (movie tie-in edition)** *Theatre Communications Group* **Stephen Sondheim and James Lapine's beloved musical masterpiece becomes a major motion picture, starring Meryl Streep and Johnny Depp. Sondheim and Lapine's Into the Woods** *Routledge* 'The Woods are just Trees. The Trees are just Wood.' - All together In 1987, Stephen Sondheim and James Lapine combined several classic fairy tales including Little Red Riding Hood, Cinderella, and Jack and the Beanstalk to create Into the Woods. Funny and heartfelt, this musical explores what it might mean to act responsibly in society, both as a parent and as a child. Situating the work within Sondheim's oeuvre and the Broadway canon, Olaf Jubin first offers a detailed reading of the show itself, before discussing key productions in New York and London, and 2014's Oscar-nominated screen adaptation. The radically different approaches to staging Into the Woods are testament to how open the musical is to re-interpretation for new audiences. A combination of critical explication with performance and film analysis, as well as an overview of popular and critical reception, this book is meant for anyone who has enjoyed Into the Woods, be it as a musical theatre fan, an enchanted audience member, a student or a dedicated theatre professional. **Into the Woods Vocal Selections from the Disney Movie** *Hal Leonard Corporation* **Music from the 2014 Disney film version of this musical.** **Into the Woods** *Simon and Schuster* **Finally Back in Print in Over a Decade, the Lavishly Illustrated Book of Into the Woods, One of the Most-Performed Musicals, by Pulitzer Prize- and Tony Award-winning Stephen Sondheim and James Lapine** Based on the Grimm Brothers' most popular folktales, Into the Woods is a reimagining of what can happen when beloved fairytale characters are thrown together in increasingly dramatic and humorous ways. The Pulitzer Prize- and Tony Award-winning team of Stephen Sondheim and James Lapine bring their cherished musical off the stage and onto the page with the help of Hudson Talbott's enchanting illustrations. Published for Stephen Sondheim's ninetieth birthday, join Cinderella, Jack (of beanstalk-climbing fame), Little Red Riding Hood, the

**Baker and his Wife, and more on their quest to find “happily ever after.” Along the way they meet Rapunzel, the Big Bad Wolf, terrifying giants, lusty princes, and their own destinies. But after their journeys are done, the real question remains: what comes after “happily ever after” and will the prices paid for it be worth it in the end? A Study Guide for Stephen Sondheim's "Into the Woods" Gale, Cengage Learning** A Study Guide for Stephen Sondheim's "Into the Woods," excerpted from Gale's acclaimed Drama For Students. This concise study guide includes plot summary; character analysis; author biography; study questions; historical context; suggestions for further reading; and much more. For any literature project, trust Drama For Students for all of your research needs. **Into the Woods Easy Piano Selections from the Disney Movie Hal Leonard Publishing Corporation** Musicals/Movies/Kids Piano Solos **Sondheim: Lyrics Edited by Peter Gethers with Russell Perreault Everyman's Library** A beautiful Pocket Poets hardcover selection of the most memorable and beloved lyrics of Stephen Sondheim. Stephen Sondheim has won seven Tonys, an Academy Award, seven Grammys, a Pulitzer Prize, and the Kennedy Center Honors. His career has spanned more than half a century and his lyrics have become synonymous with musical theater and popular culture. Editor Peter Gethers, working with Sondheim, has selected for this volume lyrics from across his career, drawn from shows including West Side Story, Gypsy, Company, Follies, A Little Night Music, Sweeney Todd, Sunday in the Park with George, and Into the Woods. The result is a delightful pocket-sized treasury of the best of Sondheim. **Look, I Made a Hat Collected Lyrics (1981-2011), With Attendant Comments, Amplifications, Dogmas, Harangues, Digressions, Anecdotes and Miscellany Alfred a Knopf Incorporated** Picking up where he left off in "Finishing the Hat", Sondheim richly annotates his lyrics with personal and theatre history, discussions of his collaborations, and exacting, charming dissections of his work -- both the successes and the failures. **Sunday in the Park with George Hal Leonard Corporation (Applause Libretto Library)**. This 1995 Pulitzer Prize-winning musical was inspired by the painting A Sunday Afternoon on the Island of La Grande Jatte by Georges Seurat. A complex work revolving around a fictionalized Seurat immersed in single-minded concentration while painting the masterpiece, the production has evolved into a meditation on art, emotional connection, and community. This publication contains the entire script of the musical. " Sunday is itself a modernist creation, perhaps the first truly modernist work of musical theatre that Broadway has produced ... a watershed event that demands nothing less than a retrospective, even revisionist, look at the development of the serious Broadway musical." Frank Rich, The New York Times Magazine **Love, Loss, and what I Wore Algonquin Books** In a volume originally intended just for friends, the author reflects on her fortunes and misfortunes through the clothes she has worn, clothes that have expressed her hopes and dreams-- from her Brownie uniform to her first maternity dress. Reprint. **Passion A Musical Theatre Communications Group** Offers the complete libretto to the Tony

**Award-winning Broadway musical Putting It Together How Stephen Sondheim and I Created "Sunday in the Park with George"** *Farrar, Straus and Giroux* A behind-the-scenes look at the making of the iconic musical Sunday in the Park with George Putting It Together chronicles the two-year odyssey of creating the iconic Broadway musical Sunday in the Park with George. In 1982, James Lapine, at the beginning of his career as a playwright and director, met Stephen Sondheim, nineteen years his senior and already a legendary Broadway composer and lyricist. Shortly thereafter, the two decided to write a musical inspired by Georges Seurat's nineteenth-century painting A Sunday Afternoon on the Island of La Grande Jatte. Through conversations between Lapine and Sondheim, as well as most of the production team, and with a treasure trove of personal photographs, sketches, script notes, and sheet music, the two Broadway icons lift the curtain on their beloved musical. Putting It Together is a deeply personal remembrance of their collaboration and friendship and the highs and lows of that journey, one that resulted in the beloved Pulitzer Prize-winning classic.

**O'Sullivan Stew A Tale Cooked Up in Ireland** *Penguin* When the witch of Crookhaven, a village on the zigzagging coast of Ireland, has her horse stolen by the King and strikes back with famine and disaster, Kate decides to save the day by getting the horse back for her.

**Reprint. Transformations A Folkloric Exploration of the Musical Comedy Into the Woods by Stephen Sondheim and James Lapine Forging Freedom A True Story of Heroism During the Holocaust** *StarWalk Kids Media* Jaap Penraat can't understand the Germans' hatred of his Jewish neighbors in his hometown of Amsterdam. As the restrictions multiply and the violence escalates, Jaap knows he must take action to help his friends. He begins by using his father's printing press to forge identification cards and papers for Jewish neighbors and refugees, but as the Nazi grasp tightens, he is forced to take a more drastic path--leading twenty Jews on the dangerous first leg of a journey to Paris, the start of the underground pipeline to safety.

**Into the Woods Edition Songbook Vocal Selections** *Hal Leonard Corporation (Vocal Selections)*. Into the Woods blends various familiar fairy tales with an original story of a childless baker and his wife, who catalyze the action of the story by attempting to reverse a curse on their family in order to have a child. Newly edited, with new music engravings, added songs, articles and photos. Includes piano/vocal arrangements of: Agony \* Any Moment \* Children Will Listen \* Giants in the Sky \* I Know Things Now \* Into the Woods \* It Takes Two \* No More \* No One Is Alone \* On the Steps of the Palace \* Stay with Me.

**Sondheim on Music Minor Details and Major Decisions** *Rowman & Littlefield* In this collection of interviews conducted by Mark Horowitz of the Library of Congress, musical theatre legend Stephen Sondheim discusses the art of musical composition, lyric writing, the collaborative process of musical theater, and how he thinks about his own work. A postlude features a more recent conversation with Sondheim.

**The Uses of Enchantment The Meaning and Importance of Fairy Tales** *Vintage* Winner of the National Book Award and National Book Critics Circle Award

"A charming book about enchantment, a profound book about fairy tales."—John Updike, *The New York Times Book Review*

**Bruno Bettelheim** was one of the great child psychologists of the twentieth century and perhaps none of his books has been more influential than this revelatory study of fairy tales and their universal importance in understanding childhood development. Analyzing a wide range of traditional stories, from the tales of Sindbad to "The Three Little Pigs," "Hansel and Gretel," and "The Sleeping Beauty," Bettelheim shows how the fantastical, sometimes cruel, but always deeply significant narrative strands of the classic fairy tales can aid in our greatest human task, that of finding meaning for one's life.

**The Stephen Sondheim Encyclopedia** *Rowman & Littlefield* The Stephen Sondheim Encyclopedia is the first reference volume devoted to the works of this prolific composer and lyricist. The encyclopedia's entries provide readers with detailed information about Sondheim's work and key figures in his career, including his apprenticeship, his early work with Leonard Bernstein, and his work on television.

**Hangmen** *Faber & Faber* I'm just as good as bloody Pierrepoint. In his small pub in Oldham, Harry is something of a local celebrity. But what's the second-best hangman in England to do on the day they've abolished hanging? Amongst the cub reporters and sycophantic pub regulars, dying to hear Harry's reaction to the news, a peculiar stranger lurks, with a very different motive for his visit. Don't worry. I may have my quirks but I'm not an animal. Or am I? One for the courts to discuss.

**Martin McDonagh's Hangmen** premiered at the Royal Court Theatre, London, in September 2015.

**Boston Marriage** *Vintage* One of America's most provocative dramatists conquers new territory with this droll comedy of errors set in a Victorian drawing room. Anna and Claire are two bantering, scheming "women of fashion" who live together on the fringes of society. Anna has just become the mistress of a wealthy man, from whom she has received an enormous emerald. Claire, meanwhile, is infatuated with a young girl and wants to enlist the jealous Anna's help for an assignation. As the two women exchange barbs and taunt their hapless maid, Claire's inamorata arrives and sets off a crisis that puts both the valuable emerald and the women's future at risk. Mamet brings his trademark tart dialogue and impeccable plotting, spiced with Wildean wit, to this wickedly funny comedy.

**How Sondheim Found His Sound** *University of Michigan Press* "Steve Swayne's *How Sondheim Found His Sound* is a fascinating treatment and remarkable analysis of America's greatest playwright in song. His marvelous text goes a long way toward placing Stephen Sondheim among the towering artists of the late twentieth century!" —Cornel West, Princeton University "Sondheim's career and music have never been so skillfully dissected, examined, and put in context. With its focus on his work as composer, this book is surprising and welcome." —Theodore S. Chapin, President and Executive Director, The Rodgers and Hammerstein Organization ". . . an intriguing 'biography' of the songwriter's style. . . . Swayne is to be congratulated for taking the study of this unique composer/lyricist into hitherto uncharted waters."

—Stage Directions “The research is voluminous, as are the artistry and perceptiveness. Swayne has lived richly within the world of Sondheim’s music.” —Richard Crawford, author of *America’s Musical Life: A History*

“Amid the ever-more-crowded bookshelf of writings on Sondheim, Swayne’s analysis of Sondheim’s development as a composer stands up as a unique and worthy study. . . . For the Sondheim aficionados, there are new ideas and new information, and for others, Swayne’s *How Sondheim Found His Sound* will provide an intriguing introduction into the mind of arguably the greatest and most influential living Broadway composer.”

—talkinbroadway.com “What a fascinating book, full of insights large and small. An impressive analysis and summary of Sondheim’s many sources of inspiration. All fans of the composer and lovers of Broadway in general will treasure and frequently refer to Swayne’s work.” —Tom Riis, Joseph Negler Professor of Musicology and Director of the American Music Research Center, University of Colorado

Stephen Sondheim has made it clear that he considers himself a “playwright in song.” How he arrived at this unique appellation is the subject of *How Sondheim Found His Sound*—an absorbing study of the multitudinous influences on Sondheim’s work. Taking Sondheim’s own comments and music as a starting point, author Steve Swayne offers a biography of the artist’s style, pulling aside the curtain on Sondheim’s creative universe to reveal the many influences—from classical music to theater to film—that have established Sondheim as one of the greatest dramatic composers of the twentieth century.

*The Baker’s Wife* Thomas Nelson Inc 02 *Anna in the Tropics* ReadHowYouWant.com Winner of the 2003 Pulitzer Prize for Drama, this lush romantic drama depicts a family of cigar makers whose loves and lives are played out against the backdrop of America in the midst of the Depression. Set in Ybor City (Tampa) in 1930, Cruz imagines the catalytic effect the arrival of a new “lector (who reads Tolstoy’s *Anna Karenina* to the workers as they toil in the cigar factory) has on a Cuban-American family. Cruz celebrates the search for identity in a new land.

*West Side Story: The Making of the Steven Spielberg Film* Abrams Featuring never-before-seen unit photography, storyboards, costume and concept designs, and behind-the-scenes photos from Academy Award-winning director Steven Spielberg’s first musical, *West Side Story: The Making of the Steven Spielberg Film* is a loving chronicle of the years of effort that went into bringing a beloved story back to the screen for a new generation. Author Laurent Bouzereau was embedded with the film’s cast and crew and conducted original interviews with director and producer Steven Spielberg, screenwriter and executive producer Tony Kushner, Tony Award-winning choreographer Justin Peck, and the cast of *Sharks and Jets*, among many others, to bring together a firsthand oral history documenting every stage of the film’s production. As relevant today as when it first debuted on Broadway, *West Side Story* has been reimagined by Spielberg, Kushner, and their cast of young stars, including Ansel Elgort (Tony), Rachel Zegler (María), Ariana DeBose (Anita), and David Alvarez (Bernardo), fully embracing historical accuracy in its vibrant depiction of

mid-1950s New York City and the forbidden love of the teenagers caught between familial allegiances and passion. **West Side Story: The Making of the Steven Spielberg Film** provides exclusive in-depth commentary on these themes, bringing together a chorus of diverse voices to explore what it means to find a place for yourself in America. **The Mikado to Matilda British Musicals on the New York Stage** *Rowman & Littlefield Publishers* **In The Mikado to Matilda: British Musicals on the New York Stage**, Thomas Hischak provides an overview of British musicals that made their way to Broadway, covering their entire history up to the present day. This is the first book to look at the British musical theatre with reference to those London musicals that were also produced in New York City. The book covers 110 British musicals, ranging from 1750 to the present day, including the popular Gilbert and Sullivan comic operettas during the Victorian era, the Andrew Lloyd Webber mega-musicals of the late twentieth century, and today's biggest hits such as Matilda. Each London musical is discussed first as a success in England and then how it fared in America. The plots, songs, songwriters, performers, and producers for both the West End and the Broadway (or Off Broadway) production are identified and described. The discussion is sometimes critical, evaluating the musicals and why they were or were not a success in New York. **Into the Woods Songbook Vocal Selections from the Disney Movie** *Hal Leonard Corporation* (Vocal Piano). Debuting on Christmas Day 2014, **Sondheim's Into the Woods** is now being introduced to a new generation of fans in this Disney movie adaptation of the Broadway musical that puts a new twist on familiar fairy tales. Our songbook features 14 songs from the soundtrack for voice with piano accompaniment plus color artwork from the film. Songs include: **Agony \* Children Will Listen \* Giants in the Sky \* Hello Little Girl \* It Takes Two \* Last Midnight \* Moments in the Woods \* On the Steps of the Palace \* Stay with Me \* and more.** **Act One** *Dramatists Play Service, Inc.* **THE STORY:** Growing up in an impoverished family in the Bronx, Moss Hart dreamed of being part of the glamorous world of the theatre. Forced to drop out of school at age thirteen, Hart's famous memoir **Act One** is a classic Hortatio Alger story that plots Hart's unlikely collaboration with the legendary playwright George S. Kaufman. Tony Award-winning writer and director James Lapine has adapted **Act One** for the stage, creating a funny, heartbreaking, and suspenseful play that celebrates the making of a playwright and his play **Once in a Lifetime**. **ACT ONE** offers great fun to a director to utilize over fifty roles, which can be played by a cast as few as twelve, and in a production that can be done as simply or elaborately as desired. **Sweeney Todd, the Demon Barber of Fleet Street** *Hal Leonard Corporation* **Barber Sweeney Todd** returns to London seeking revenge for the loss of his wife and daughter by killing customers and dropping to the shop downstairs to be made into meat pies by Mrs. Lovett. Includes sketches and photographs from several productions. **Into the Woods Libretto/vocal Book** *Into the Woods* *Crown Pub* A book made "after the fact" from the greatly popular 1987 Broadway musical of the same name, which

weaves characters from several classic fairy tales into a parable about the joys and sorrows of adulthood. *Twelve Dreams* *Dramatists Play Service, Inc.*

**THE STORY:** Inspired by an actual case history denoted by Carl Jung, the play traces the story of a little New England girl, Emma, who makes a booklet of her dreams which she gives to her psychiatrist father, Charles Hatrick, for Christmas. *Still nu Proof* *Dramatists Play Service Inc*

**THE STORY:** On the eve of her twenty-fifth birthday, Catherine, a troubled young woman, has spent years caring for her brilliant but unstable father, a famous mathematician. Now, following his death, she must deal with her own volatile emotions; the *The Futurist* *The Life and Films of James Cameron* *Crown* An in-depth look at every aspect of Cameron's creative genius, providing a revealing portrait of the director's life and work.

*Musical and Situational Realism in Stephen Sondheim's Into the Woods* *Into the Woods Songbook Easy Piano Selections from the Disney Movie* *Hal Leonard Corporation (Easy Piano Vocal Selections)*. Stephen Sondheim's *Into the Woods* is now being introduced to a new generation of fans in this Disney movie adaptation of the Broadway musical that puts a new twist on familiar fairy tales. Our songbook features 10 songs from the soundtrack for easy piano. Songs include: *Agony* \* *Any Moment* \* *Children Will Listen* \* *Giants in the Sky* \* *I Know Things Now* \* *Into the Woods* \* *Moments in the Woods* \* *No One Is Alone* \* *On the Steps of the Palace* \* *Stay with Me*. Includes color artwork from the film! *Stephen Sondheim A Life* *Vintage* In the first full-scale life of the most important composer-lyricist at work in musical theatre today, Meryle Secrest, the biographer of Frank Lloyd Wright and Leonard Bernstein, draws on her extended conversations with Stephen Sondheim as well as on her interviews with his friends, family, collaborators, and lovers to bring us not only the artist--as a master of modernist compositional style--but also the private man. Beginning with his early childhood on New York's prosperous Upper West Side, Secrest describes how Sondheim was taught to play the piano by his father, a successful dress manufacturer and amateur musician. She writes about Sondheim's early ambition to become a concert pianist, about the effect on him of his parents' divorce when he was ten, about his years in military and private schools. She writes about his feelings of loneliness and abandonment, about the refuge he found in the home of Oscar and Dorothy Hammerstein, and his determination to become just like Oscar. Secrest describes the years when Sondheim was struggling to gain a foothold in the theatre, his attempts at scriptwriting (in his early twenties in Rome on the set of *Beat the Devil* with Bogart and Huston, and later in Hollywood as a co-writer with George Oppenheimer for the TV series *Topper*), living the Hollywood life. Here is Sondheim's ascent to the peaks of the Broadway musical, from his chance meeting with playwright Arthur Laurents, which led to his first success-- as co-lyricist with Leonard Bernstein on *West Side Story*--to his collaboration with Laurents on *Gypsy*, to his first full Broadway score, *A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to the Forum*. And Secrest writes about his first big success as composer, lyricist, writer in

the 1960s with *Company*, an innovative and sophisticated musical that examined marriage à la mode. It was the start of an almost-twenty-year collaboration with producer and director Hal Prince that resulted in such shows as *Follies*, *Pacific Overtures*, *Sweeney Todd*, and *A Little Night Music*. We see Sondheim at work with composers, producers, directors, co-writers, actors, the greats of his time and ours, among them Leonard Bernstein, Ethel Merman, Richard Rodgers, Oscar Hammerstein, Jerome Robbins, Zero Mostel, Bernadette Peters, and Lee Remick (with whom it was said he was in love, and she with him), as *Secret* vividly re-creates the energy, the passion, the despair, the excitement, the genius, that went into the making of show after Sondheim show. A biography that is sure to become the standard work on Sondheim's life and art. *The Frogs Assassins* This play evokes a fraternity of political assassins and would-be assassins across a hundred years of history (including John Wilkes Booth, John Hinkley and Lee Harvey Oswald). The authors examine success, failure and the questionable drive for power and celebrity in American society. *Sweeney Todd Edition (Songbook) Vocal Selections* *Hal Leonard Corporation* (Vocal Selections). Newly revised, with new music engravings, added songs, articles and photos. Includes: *The Ballad of Sweeney Todd* \* *By the Sea* \* *Green Finch and Linnet Bird* \* *Johanna* \* *Ladies in Their Sensitivities* \* *A Little Priest* \* *Not While I'm Around* \* *Pretty Women* \* *Wait* \* *The Worst Pies in London*.