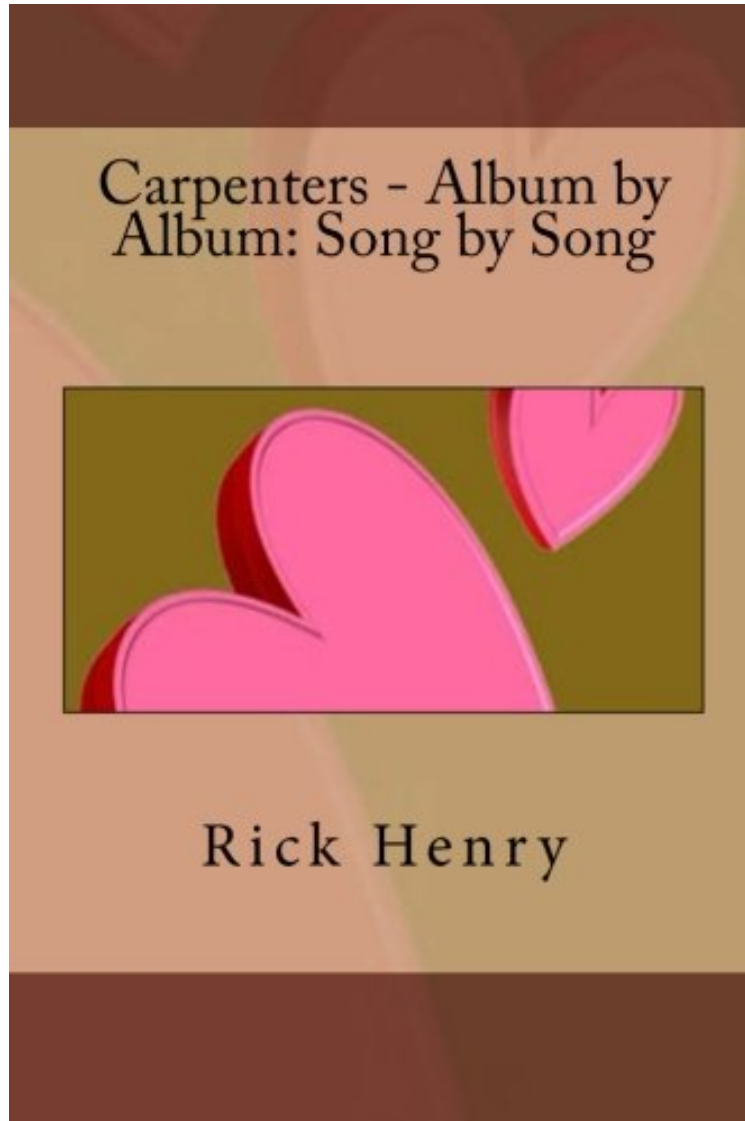


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19 of 19 people found the following review helpful. Finally, a very complete and comprehensive compilation of the Carpenters albumsBy Irene EconomouRick Henry's retrospective, "Carpenters - Album by Album: Song by Song," is a thoughtful, well-executed compendium spanning Karen and Richard Carpenter's albums produced from the years of 1969 ("Offering"- aka "Ticket to Ride") through 2004 ("As Time Goes By"). The collection also includes the solo

albums of Karen and Richard. It is an easy-to-follow, thorough listing of each album, including album credits, listing of songs within each album, interesting details or history about the songs, and noteworthy commentary by Rick, who also personally ranks each album. He has even included convenient links for those wishing to purchase any of the albums on .com. What I especially like about this compilation is that Rick has managed to provide not only a convenient reference eBook in a concise format, but also to provide just enough rich information related to the songs of the albums (including info about the songwriters) to make this eBook a very interesting read, too. It will become obvious to the reader that a lot of research supports this eBook which also includes the many Carpenters songwriters, and listing their other works written during their careers. I have not found any other published material about the Carpenters albums that is as complete and as comprehensive as "Carpenters - Album by Album: Song by Song." I learned some interesting facts along the way, too. For example, do you know what "B'wana" means in "B'wana She No Home"? What are the lyrics about, and how many other artists have performed this song? Did you know that "Leave Yesterday Behind" missed being released twice? And that the author of the song, Fred Karlin, has composed more than 100 scores for theatrical films and television movies. His best known songs are "For All We Know" (Carpenters) and "Come Saturday Morning" (Sandpipers). Karlin won an Emmy Award for his score for the 1974 television film "The Autobiography of Miss Jane Pittman." These are just two examples of the fascinating, correlated information peppered throughout this eBook. And finally, Rick has included his personal ranking of his Top 22 songs. This is a wonderful list for those who would appreciate an expert opinion of the best songs by the Carpenters. How does Rick's list compare with your top rankings? I highly recommend "Carpenters - Album by Album: Song by Song" for all serious Carpenters fans who want an easy, informative reference at their fingertips, or for those who want to become better familiar with the songs of the Carpenters albums, or for those music lovers that will enjoy history and facts about the Carpenters albums. I am definitely going to be referring to and rereading this excellent compilation many times. A side note about Rick Henry - Rick Henry is a seasoned, trained musician as well as aficionado of the Carpenters music. He has also written another Carpenters-related eBook, "The Carpenters Online Interviews," which features interviews with musicians, songwriters, authors and fans connected with the music of the Carpenters. Rick hosts the very popular "Karen Carpenter Magazine" site on Facebook, developed the website "Online with Carpenters," and also owns and manages "leadsister.com," one of the largest, worldwide, Carpenters fan-based websites. 13 of 13 people found the following review helpful. I couldn't put it away. By George DeDominicis This is the best and most complete book dealing with the historical and lesser known facts of all songs Carpenters. Rick Henry has done an outstanding job in listing the who, what and whys of a major recording act from the 60s to the 80s. There is no doubt that Carpenters - Album by Album: Song by Song will be the go to reference book. It reads like a novel but is packed with many lesser known facts that any Carpenters fan will want to have and use. I found this to be a very difficult book to set aside, there were too many things that I found that kept me reading and reading. This is a must have for anyone who has an interest in the Carpenters or is a fan. Rich Henry, My hat is off to you for a job more than well done. I'm looking forward to more from you in the future. 4 of 4 people found the following review helpful. Essential book for Carpenters Fans! By Lawrence H. Stern This book is excellent! I loved revisiting all the albums/recordings and Rick made me feel as though I were hearing all the songs live. He writes with wonderful enthusiasm, knowledge, and expertise - and inspired me to go through many of the album tracks (that were not singles) and listen to them all over again :) If you are a fan of Carpenters, this is a terrific work you must own.

An extensive look at every album and every song recorded and released by Karen Carpenter and Richard Carpenter as a duo and as solo artists. This e-book covers each song giving historical data and personal viewpoints along with comments from fans. This is the most extensive book you will find covering Carpenters' music. Rick Henry is the developer and/or owner of several Carpenters and Karen Carpenter websites, forums, groups and blogs such as LeadSister.com, online with Carpenters, Carpenters Avenue, Karen Carpenter Avenue and the popular facebook group Karen Carpenter Magazine which can be found at; <https://www.facebook.com/groups/321040037161/>