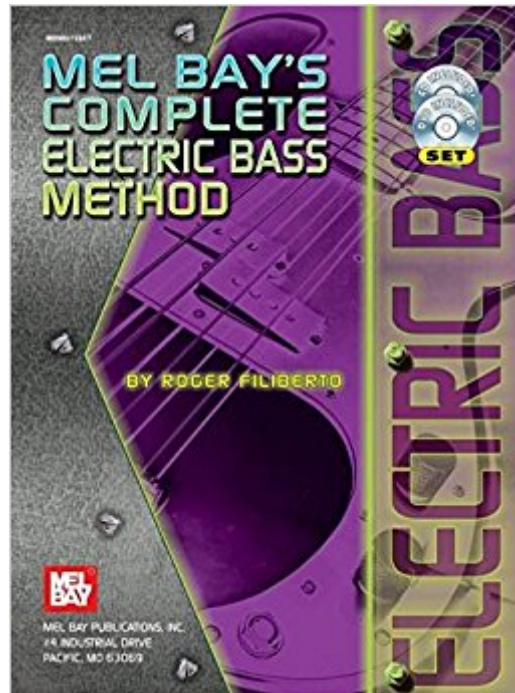




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# Mel Bay Complete Electric Bass Method (Book, CD, And DVD)



## Synopsis

While still available in two separate volumes (93234 and 93235) Roger Filiberto's widely-used beginning bass method is now available in one comprehensive book! Includes handy arpeggio charts featuring major, minor, augmented, diminished, and dominant seventh chords, plus their upper harmonic extensions. Applicable to any style of music, this method has gained widespread acceptance as the foundational text for electric bass study! Includes a CD and DVD.

## Book Information

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## Customer Reviews

Roger Filiberto needs no introduction to the guitar world, as his students are some of the finest artists in America today. Roger started teaching tenor banjo in 1923. With his experience of playing in the Dixieland music era, he quickly became aware that the succession of chords C, E7, A7, D7, G7, back to C, followed by C7, F, Fm, and then ending with C, A7, D7, G7 to C would train almost any interested student to cope with the "faking" required of banjo players in that era. He taught this sequence of chords in all reasonable keys to all of his students. Beginning in the mid-1920's, Roger taught countless students to play banjo, steel guitar, Spanish guitar, and bass at his studio in New Orleans. After many years of teaching, he published his first book, the Melody Chord System for Spanish Guitar, with Forster in 1936. This publication was followed by a similar book for guitar, Chord Construction and Harmony as Applied to the Guitar, published by Gibson. The Gibson steel guitar book was later republished by Mel Bay Publications, Inc., with a comprehensive one-volume edition issued in 1968 under the title Complete Steel Guitar Method.

I purchased this particular product because the cd & dvd were included. All other products include materials to be downloaded. Book did not come with the cd & dvd. Only a letter explaining that I must go online and download materials (exactly what I didn't want). Book looks okay. Print quality inside the book is not sharp and clear. Information in the book looks okay. I believe I will be able to revive what I had learned 30 years ago as I begin to pick up the bass guitar, once again. Very disappointed that the cd & dvd were not included.

I have over 35 years experience as a bassist and guitarist and give bass and guitar lessons. This is one of the items I suggest all of my students purchase when they begin their lessons with me. There are others that may be better tools as a student progresses but this edition gives them something to refer to for a lesson review. The CD and DVD included are invaluable. Those technologies didn't exist when I began so there were no references other than the photos in the book. This is a far better package.

He loves it and is doing quite well. He loves the fact that he has paper in front of him - how cool is that. He also said he loves that you start at the front of the book and just work your way through. We haven't even looked at the discs yet. He'll get to that when he's ready. It's very straight forward and easy to follow with great review of the previous section.

Love this method and great condition.

Excellent guide for do it yourself learners. Can't go wrong with this one.

Love the DVD!

recommended by instructor for overall intro to bass study, it provided a 'basis' that lead to additional interest in string bass as well as electric.

The book I ordered as a gift was one with a CD and a DVD in it. It had an incorrect CD in it for the guitar. It was for fiddling. The replacement was sent immediately and arrived before the other was sent back. Great work!! Thanks

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