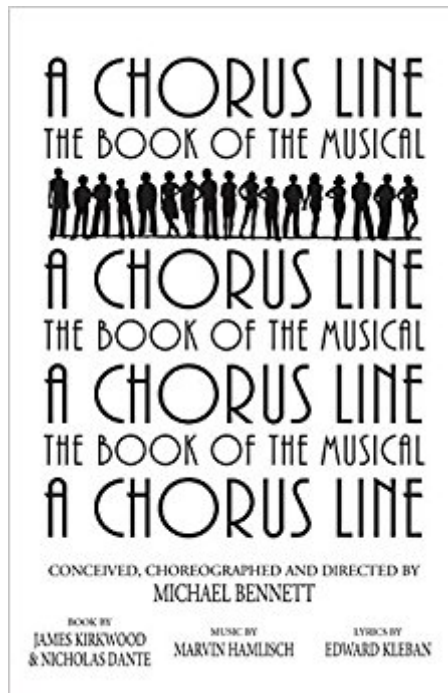


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A Chorus Line: The Complete Book Of The Musical



Synopsis

(Applause Libretto Library). It is hard to believe that over 25 years have passed since A Chorus Line first electrified a New York audience. The memories of the show's birth in 1975, not to mention those of its 15-year-life and poignant death, remain incandescent and not just because nothing so exciting has happened to the American musical since. For a generation of theater people and theatergoers, A Chorus Line was and is the touchstone that defines the glittering promise, more often realized in legend than in reality, of the Broadway way. This impressive book contains the complete book and lyrics of one of the longest running shows in Broadway history with a preface by Samuel Freedman, an introduction by Frank Rich and lots of photos from the stage production.

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Customer Reviews

I've been a fan of this musical for most of my life, but have only been able to see it once. However, with this book I can still hear the actors and the songs they sang like I was back at the theatre. Also, the insightful analysis in the prologue provided an interesting review on the history of the musical and made it even richer for me.

I attended the Broadway run of "A Chorus Line" in 1975 as well as it's revival in Los Angeles in 2008. I loved the music, but for the first time I was able to read and understand the book and the lyrics and realized how much I didn't hear or comprehend when I sat there in the audience. Reading "A Chorus Line-the book of the musical" was a revelation and is now prominent among my

Broadway reference library. Special thanks to James Kirkwood, Nicholas Dante for their book and Edward Kleban for his lyrics and their contribution to the music of Marvin Hamlisch and the vision of Michael Bennett.

This could possibly be the best musical ever created. This has the script and lyrics of the entire show in this book. This show has comedy by Shelia, fantastic rhyme schemes by the whole cast, a heart-rending monologue by Paul, and a terrific ballad by Diana. The book has numbers that did not even make it on the CD. Just an excellent piece to have if you collect this sort of thing. It's awesome and brilliant! If I could give it ten stars, then I would.

I've seen the musical and loved it. I ordered the script because I was considering directing it for our school musical. The script has wonderful monologues that can be used in drama class for practice assignments and auditions. There is a variety of beautiful and catchy music that is unforgettable.

great book, timely delivery

By the looks of the picture one would expect a cheap paperback, but this is actually nice quality. I really like how this book is made.

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I loved this !

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