

Pianist Fred Hughes has performed in all fifty states, Canada, Mexico, Japan, Korea, and Europe. A sampling of the jazz festivals at which he has performed include the Newport, Montreux, Nice and North Sea Jazz Festivals. As a conductor, he has directed a variety of ensembles to include the Los Angeles Philharmonic, Cincinnati Pops and Chicago Lyric Opera Orchestras, Maryland All-State Jazz Ensemble, MENC All-Eastern Jazz Ensemble, Chesapeake Bay Community Band, and is currently music director of the New Holland Band of New Holland, Pennsylvania and director of the Columbia Jazz Band of Columbia, Maryland. Fred can be heard on over 30 recordings and his book, *The Jazz Pianist: Left Hand Voicings and Chord Theory* was originally published by Warner Brothers Publications and is now available from Alfred Publications.