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The Art and Music of
M. J. Herrick

M. J. Herrick Biography:

Mark J. Herrick was born and raised in Lansing, Michigan. (Born in 1950)

He has a long family heritage in the arts.

His early influence includes his grandfather, Ralph W. Herrick, an architect, who designed many schools and churches in the Lansing area. His grandfather also designed the Michigan roadside parks and several of the the original Michigan DNR - Department of Natural Resources state parks buildings including: Hartwick Pines State Park and the CCC camp headquarters at Higgins Lake, in northern Michigan. Mark's grandmother painted wildlife pictures and his mother is a pastel chalk portrait artist. Mark's father is a retired banker.

After graduating from Waverly High School in 1968 Herrick worked for Glass and Foresberg Design. This business created technical manuals for General Motors. After several years of Commercial art, Herrick was hired as the illustrator for the chemistry department at Michigan State University.

During these early years of his career Herrick created many replica paintings of the Masters. Past commissions include a Michelangelo painting of Ezekiel from the Sistine Chapel mural... Rembrant's Self-portrait ... Geronimo's Cadillac ... The Great Eastern Ship ... an oil painting of the first Oldsmobile, 1897... and many other paintings including original art painted in his own Maxfield Parrish - Edwardian style...

Mark illustrated the L.A.P.'s™ Millennium Education Program for the Michigan Department of Natural Resources entitled... L.A.P.'s™ Learn from the past, Appreciate the present, Preserve our outdoor heritage - Great STATE - Great PARKS - Great HISTORY! This supplemental curriculum teaches fourth grade students about Michigan's history and our natural resources through the study of our state parks. The program was distributed to over one million fourth graders since the Fall of 1999. Mark Herrick has presented to thousands of students in schools around the Great Lakes region.

For ten years Herrick illustrated a quarterly newsletter called; The Outdoors Explorers Club. This newsletter was provided free by the MDNR to children all around the state of Michigan. Herrick has illustrated and promoted many, new cartoon characters. One of the featured cartoon characters from his early book publishing history was Buck Wilder®. Buck is the featured cartoon character in the award winning Buck Wilder's - Small Fry Fishing Guide and Buck's Wilder's - Small Twig Hiking and Camping Guide, This book series was written and illustrated together with Tim Smith of Traverse City, Michigan.

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M. J. Herrick Biography Continued:

A highlight in Mark's art career was creating a small cartoon poster of Buck Wilder® and Rascal Raccoon in spacesuits. The original art was sent into space with astronaut, Jerry Linenger. During the four and a half months on the Space Station Mir, Mark's drawing traveled over fifty million miles around the earth.

Mark says, "I never imagined having an art show in space!

During his school presentations Mark tells kids,

"If you try hard and are not afraid to make mistakes, you could also ... create something that is out of this world!"

In Herrick's later career he did several funny fish presentations at state parks, schools and other public gatherings around Michigan.

In 1999, Mark J. Herrick was selected by the American Egg Board to paint the Michigan - White House Easter Egg for the year 2000. After the Easter season, the eggs became part of the White House permanent collection and eventually became part of the Clinton Memorial Library.

On one side of the Michigan 2000 egg,

Mark painted a scene of a lighthouse cartoon character named ... "Beamer" with the Mackinac Bridge in the background.

The other side of the egg features the two L.A.P.'s ants, Abby and Antonio, saying ... "DO L.A.P.'s for Michigan! ". (Related to the Michigan History Program.)

Fifty artists were honored at a special luncheon at the White House in April, 2000.

In addition to art and illustration work, Herrick has had an interest in music theory and music education. In the recent years Herrick has developed a new visual approach to learning music thorough shapes, colors, cartoons and sounds.

M. J. Herrick has invented and illustrated the Harmony Matrix® and Visual Harmony®.

This may be Herrick's greatest contribution to the fine arts and music education.

This discovery is a new visual language for music which accelerates music learning.

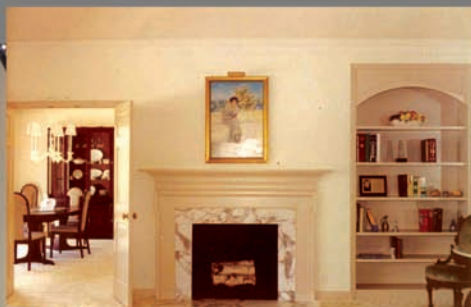
Herrick currently lives in Florida. He owns M. J. Herrick Studio - fine arts & music and North Star Production, Inc. a commercial art and video animation company.



The Garden - Opus VII
Oil on canvas - 44" X 40"
Sold on commission
15k

Limited Edition Art Print
S/N - 350
26.5" X 24"
On collectors art paper.
Issued at \$300 now ... \$1,500





This painting was sold on commission with three other paintings.



*Sir Lawrence Alma Tadama
Edwardian Artist*

*Hand Painted Replica on canvas.
Not at original scale.
1 of 4 - 30K*

Sir Lawerance Alma Tadama



*Above - Oil on canvas
2' x 3'*

*Right - Oil on canvas
24" x 28"*





The Eyes of Wisdom

Oil on canvas - 2' x 3'

Owners - Edna and Mark Stephens



The Love Letter

Oil on canvas 24" x 28"
Sold on commission
One of four paintings
in a collection -
30K

Limited Edition Collectors Print
S/N 700
24" x 28"
Fits standard 36"x 48" Frame
\$700 - prints are still available.



Ezekiel - From the Sistine Chapel

Oil on canvas 3' x 4'

*Painting was the theme of a painting class given by Herrick.
The painting was displayed at the state of Michigan capitol.*



REMBRANT SELF-PORTRAIT

*Oil on canvas
3' x 4'*

*De Luca's Restaurant - Lansing, Michigan
Qwner - John De Luca*



*Murrillo - Replica with slight alterations.
The banner has Hebrew words saying ...
God is Love*



Monet - The Pond

Oil on canvas - 4' x 6'



FIRST KISS

Oil on canvas

2' x 2'



Above 4' x 6'
Oil on canvas

Western Art

24" x 26"
Oil on canvas





Silver Dallar Saloon

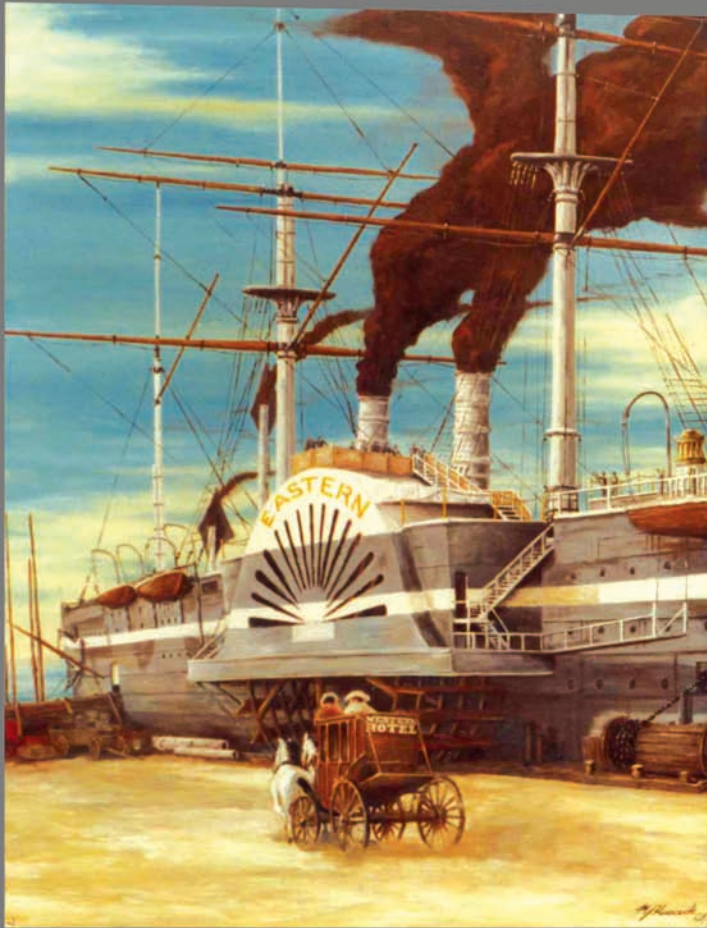
Period Oil Painting of Western California Coastline



*This painting was created for the Silver Dollar Saloon -
Restaurant and Entertainment Center - East Lansing, Michigan
The building was designed by a Disney designer.*



*Commission By
Saint Armond Circle Gallery
Lido Beach, Florida*



The Great Eastern -1860

The Great Eastern was the largest Iron ship at the time. I laid the first telegraph cable across the Atlantic Ocean between Europe and The Americas.

Oil on canvas - 3' x 4'

Sold



GERONIMO - 1907

Oil on canvas

5' x 6'

*From the historic photo of Geronimo's Cadillac.
Displayed in the Silver Dollar Saloon
East Lansing, Michigan
Sold to Mr. and Mrs. William Breaky*



***THE COWBOY**
Fredric Remmington - Hand Painted Replica
Not at original scale
Oil on canvas - 2' x 3'*



FIRST OLDSMOBILE 1897

*Oil on canvas
3' x 4'*

*Displayed at Long's Convention Center - Lansing, Michigan
and ... State of Michigan Historic Museum
Gorden Long - Owner*



Norman Rockwell - Rendition Oil Painting

Oil on canvas - 2' x 3'

*The doctor's diploma on wall has a certificate
made out to Doctor Jerry Chandler D.O.*

Lansing, Michigan

Owner - Dr. Jerry Chandler



SAINT MARK'S - VENICE, ITALY

6' x 30' MURAL
Acrylic Paint

Pizza Villa Restaurant
Okemos, Michigan

Painted in 1969



FLORIDA - SIESTA KEY BEACH - PORTRAITS
Acrylic paint on canvas
2' x 3'

Portrait work by commission.
Involves a photographic session on the beach.
Write M. J. Herrick studio for available scheduling.
Refer to website on last page!



MORE FLORIDA PAINTINGS





BOAT PAINTINGS - BY PHOTO OR PHOTOGRAPHIC SESSION



WILDLIFE - PAINTINGS



THE GABLES

Oil on canvas 2' x 3'

*This home was formerly owned by President Taft
Vermont*



THE RUNNERS

*PAINTING IS OWNED BY
Dr. Jerry Chandler - Lansing, Michigan*



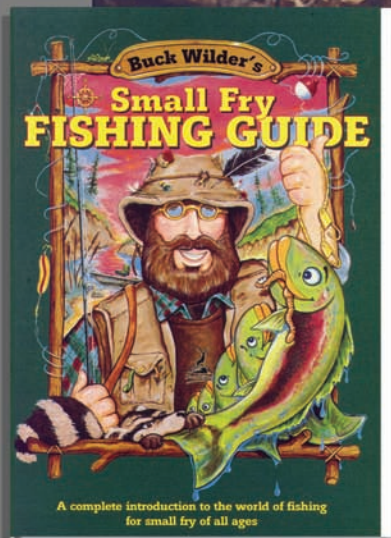
***PORTRIATS BY COMMISSION**
May involve both a photographic session
and a posing session.*



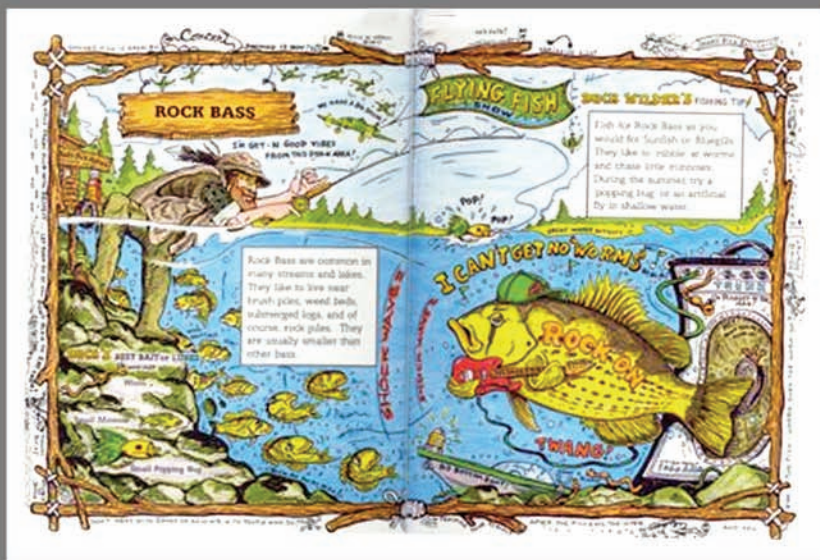
SCULPTORED PAINTING

TROPIC ROSE

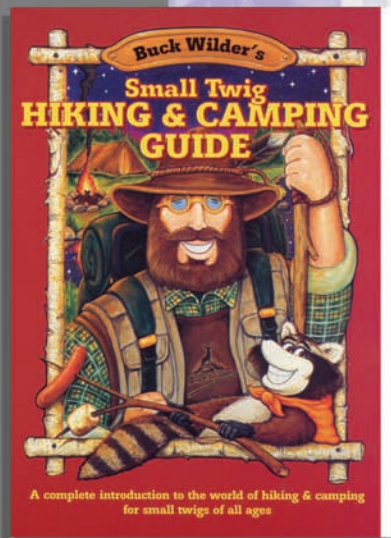
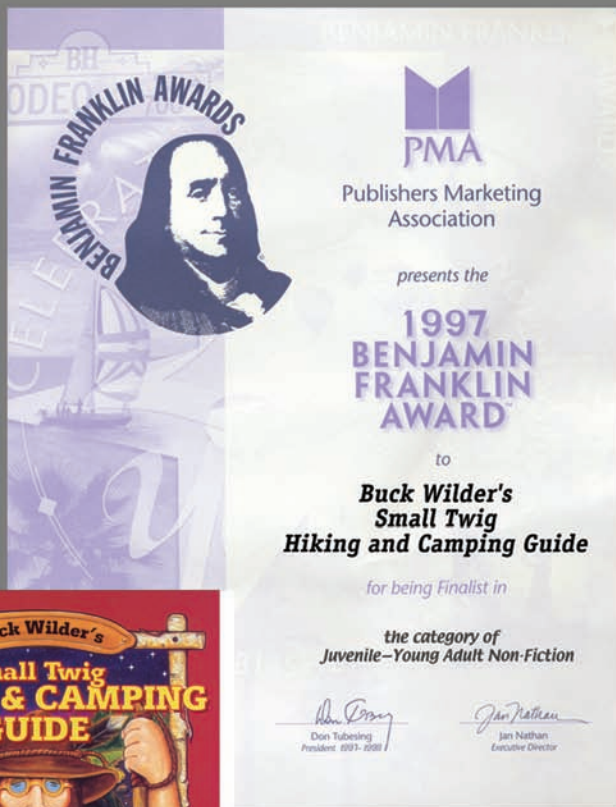
Original Concept and Name.



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Self-published in 1995
120K Books sold first year
State's number one selling paperback.



NATIONAL BOOK AWARD



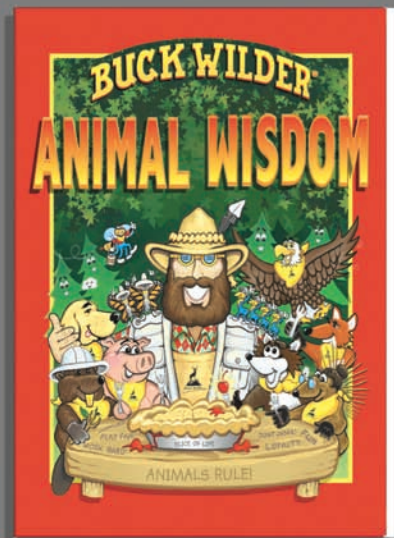
BUCK WILDER®
Self-published in 1997
200K Books sold
National Parks and Camping Guide

BUCK WILDER® goes to over 600+ schools!



Imagine a WILDER FISH! - School Presentation by Mark J. Horvick

Buck Wilder®
goes to space
with
Jerry Linenger -
MIR



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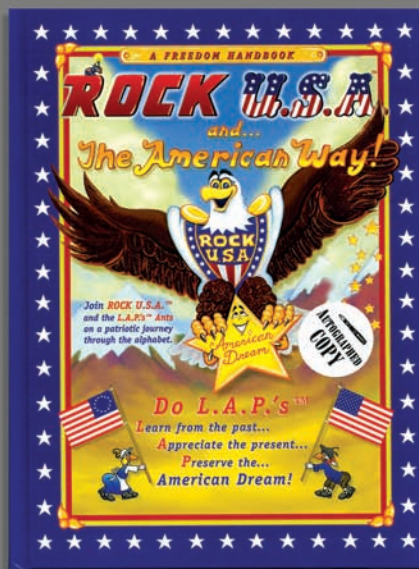
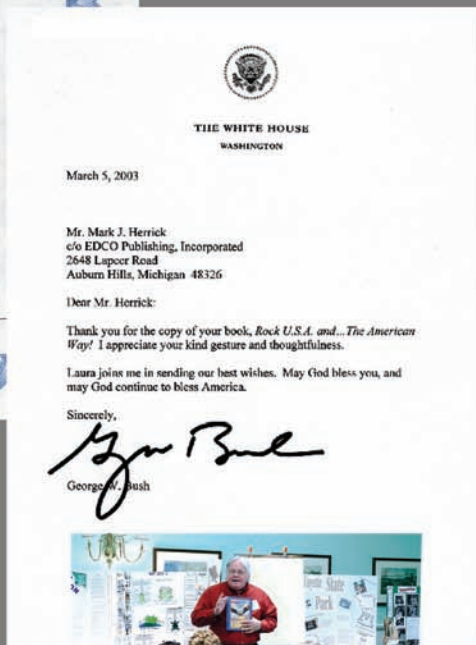
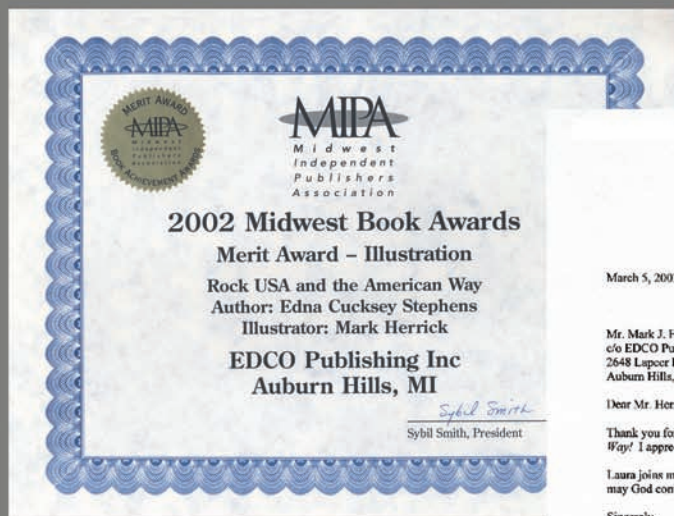
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2003

250K Books sold
Life Skills Book

ROCK U.S.A.® and the American Way!

National Book Award
for illustration.



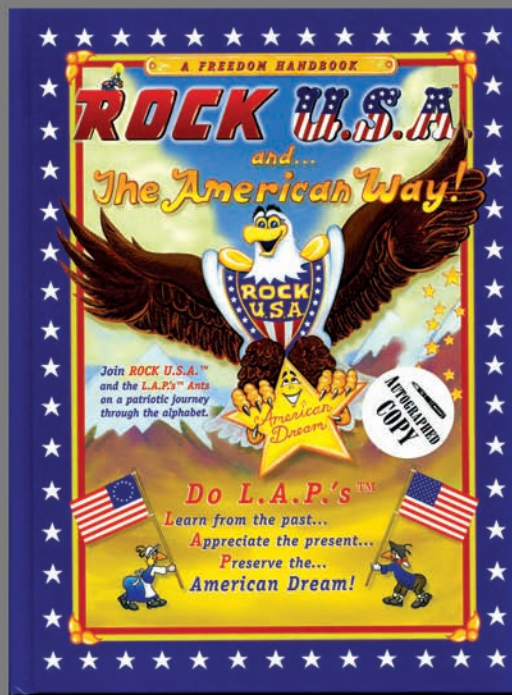
ROCK U.S.A.®
Published by
EDCO Publishing, Inc.
2002
American History with cartoons.
Written By Edna C. Stephens

ROCK U.S.A.™ -

The cartoon American Eagle narrates american history in a fun to learn way.

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24" x 36"



Walter P. Chrysler Museum



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COMPANY®**

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EDCO Publishing, Inc.

2002

Supplemental
Curriculum Program



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"The **NEW ROUGE**
is **BUZZING** with **ACTIVITY!**"

Continuing ...
the
**American
Dream!**



Beehives



Living Roof



"I've been
heron
a lot about the
Rouge!"

The
swales
here are really
SWELL!

"It's made from **start to finish**
right here
at the **Rouge!**"

The
birds and
animals are
SWELL, too!

"I would
say it's
FOXY!"

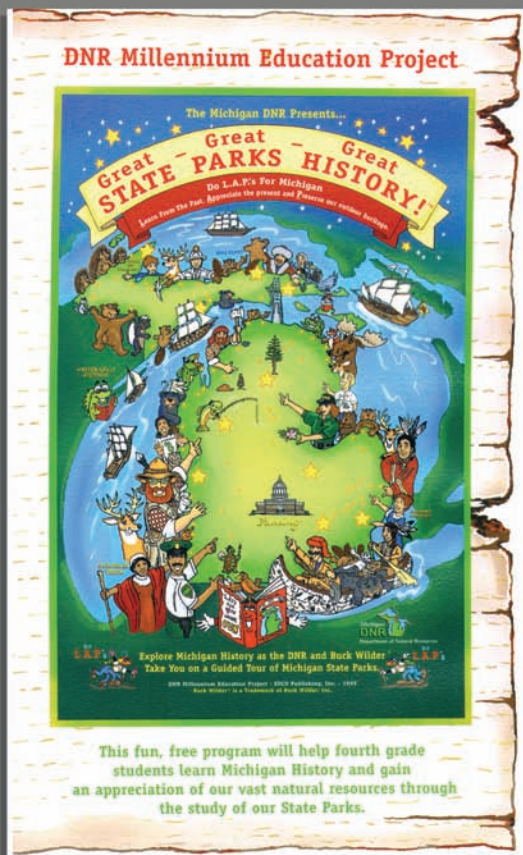
"The
**Ford
Rouge Center**
is home
to a lot of
wildlife!"

"This is a
cool place!"

"IT'S
MINE, MINE, MINE!"



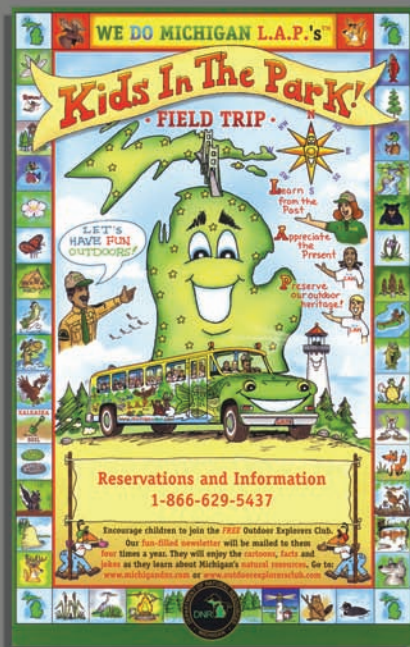




L.A.P.'s® Michigan History Program

Learn from the Past
Appreciate the Present
Preserve our Natural Resources

Art Director for the National Award Winning L.A.P.'s Program.
Over 1 million kids have taken the program. The program integrates benchmark teaching standards with conservation and environmental education. Starring Forrest Trails, Sandy Dunes, the Great Lakes Kids and ... the famous L.A.P.'s Ants.



OUTDOOR EXPLORERS CLUB WEBSITE

<http://www.dnr.state.mi.us/edu/flash/DNRKids/KidsMain.html>



**L.A.P.'s™ VIDEO PRODUCTIONS
NATIONAL AWARD WINNING VIDEOS!**



**K. Cool - DNR Director / Governor Engler / Doug Finley -
Edna Stephens - EDCO Publishing Assistant Director DNR**



**Governor
Jennifer Grandhom**

*IN THE YEAR 2000 - MICHIGAN WAS SELECTED TO
PROVIDE THE CHRISTMAS TREE FOR THE WHITE HOUSE LAWN.*



*EDCO Publishing and North Star Productions
produced a Fun Folder for the schools
on the White House Christmas Tree.*



*U.S. Energy Commissioner:
Spence Abraham*



*Millenium 2000 Easter Egg -
This eggshell was hand painted and displayed at the
White House. It now resides in the Clinton Historical Museum.*



MUSIC

By M. J. Herrick

Part 2



***1974 - Grinnell's Music - Lansing Mall
Lansing, Michigan***

*Commissioned by Rick Pruett- Jazz Guitarist
Rick studied guitar with John McLaughlin.*

Marshall Music Store - East Lansing, Michigan



3D Sculptured Mural with Interior Sign

New Visual Harmony® Music Theory

*After 35 years of drawing music charts
the development of the HarmonyMatrix®*

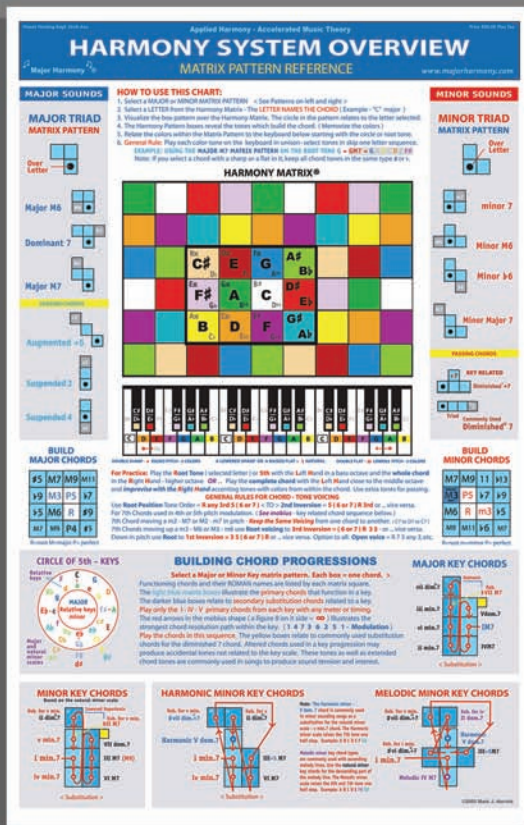


Braille - Harmony Matrix®

*The Harmony Matrix®
represents the complete
unified structure of
applied harmony.*

*Matrix box patterns
and colors are related
as music formulas.*

*This is a new form
of music theory termed;
Visual Harmony®.*



*This Applied Harmony Music Chart
is intended for high school and college students.*

New Visual Harmony® Music Theory

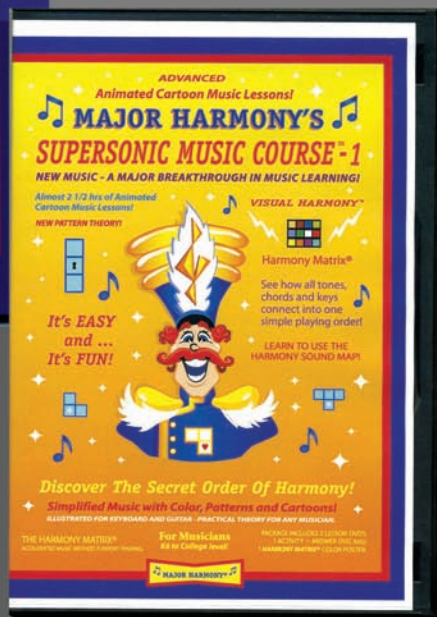


Animated Cartoon
Music Lessons on DVD.
2 1/2 hours of fun learning music
in a brand new way.
Includes The Easy Music Chart!
K5 - Up!

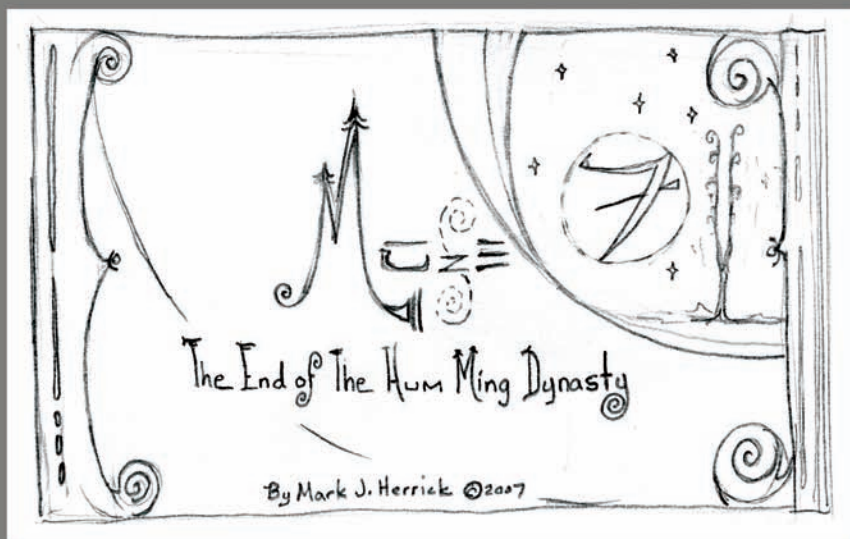
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At Supersonic Speed with
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Cartoon music characters
show you how the entire
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Princess Tu Ning and her faithful woofer; Twang are about to tune the sacred Tu Ning Tree!

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