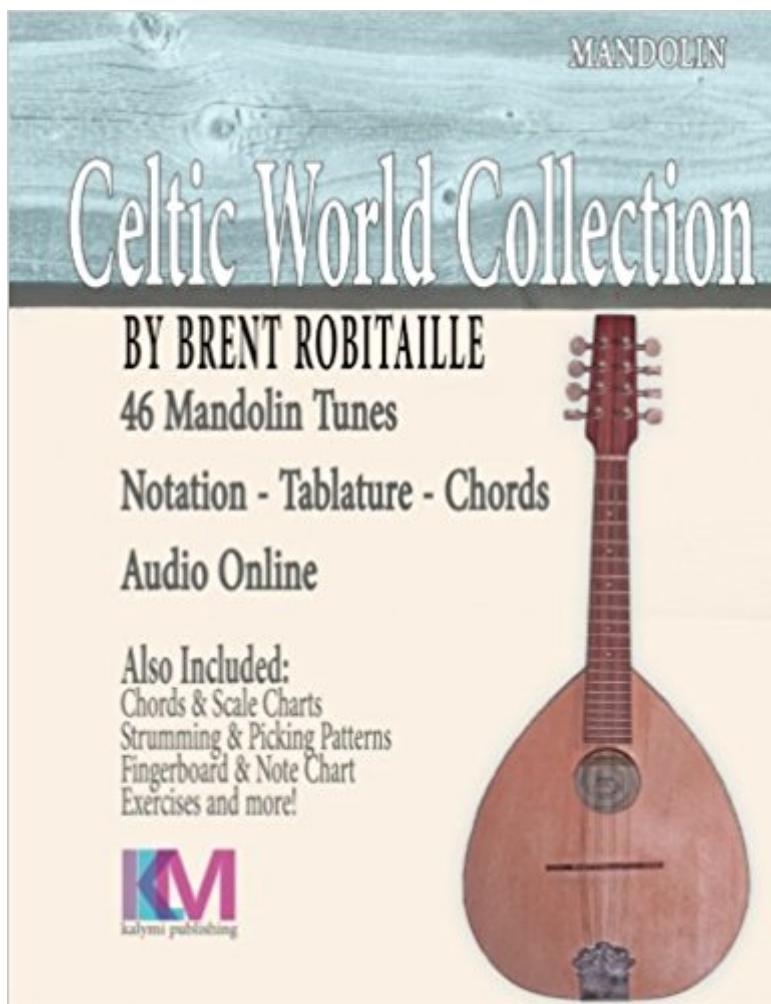


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UPDATED 2017 "Celtic World Collection" now contains 46 most requested traditional tunes plus new original mandolin tunes with standard notation, chords and mandolin tablature. Over 40 mandolin recordings with guitar accompaniment. The recordings are played at a slower speed to facilitate learning. Also included: a useful mandolin chord chart, commonly used mandolin scales charts, a page of warm-up technical exercises, strumming and picking, plus a full fingerboard chart for mandolin. The traditional music is of Irish, Scottish, Cape Breton and Old Time origins and the original content follows in those same footsteps with a more contemporary approach and a few Middle Eastern inspired tunes to spice it up. I hope you enjoy this collection of tunes and are able to use them in your own arrangements and recordings.

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I give this book five stars with reservations. The best thing about it is it is very, very well presented. It is neat, the music is easy to read, nice and dark on the page. The tablature (for those who use it - I don't) is also very well done. My problem with the book is that it is called "Celtic World Collection," yet 18 of the 40 pieces are written by the author/arranger of the book. And most of them I just don't like. At all. They have titles like "Late for Dinner" and "In the Ditch." To me, they sound like just collections of notes, with no real melodic purpose. However, music is personal. I am a composer, and my specialty (according to those around the world who play my music) is my ear for melody. I like a piece to make sense to my ear. So perhaps Mr. Robitaille's compositions will make sense to your ear. I did not want to give less than five stars for something that is so subjective. I should add that you can go online and download all of the recordings of the 40 pieces. They are beautifully done. Many are a bit too fast for me to play along with (yet), but I enjoy trying!

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