

JOHN THOMPSON'S EASIEST PIANO COURSE

FIRST BEETHOVEN

Chorus Of Prisoners from 'Fidelio' 10	Piano Sonata No. 25 3rd movement 12
Eroica Symphony	Rage Over A Lost Penny
Symphony No. 3 – 1st movement 20	Rondo a Capriccio in G major 22
Für Elise 26	Rondo in C Op.51, No.1 4
Minuet in G major WoO 10, No.2 30	Sonata Pathétique 2nd movement 28
Moonlight Sonata 1st movement 18	Sonatina in G major Anh.5, No.1 8
Ode To Joy from Symphony No.9 'Choral' 2	Symphony No. 5 1st movement 14
Pastoral Symphony	Symphony No. 7 2nd movement 24
Symphony No. 6 – 5th movement 16	Turkish March from 'The Ruins Of Athens' 6

This collection of popular piano songs is intended as supplementary material for those working through **John Thompson's Easiest Piano Course** Parts 2–4. The pieces may also be used for sight reading practice by more advanced students.

Dynamics and phrasing have been deliberately omitted from the earlier pieces, since they are not introduced until Part 3 of the Easiest Piano Course, and initially the student's attention should be focused on playing notes and rhythms accurately. Outline fingering has been included, and in general the hand is assumed to remain in a five-finger position until a new fingering indicates a position shift. The fingering should suit most hands, although logical alternatives are always possible.