

Little peppers

VERY EASY LITTLE PEPPERS

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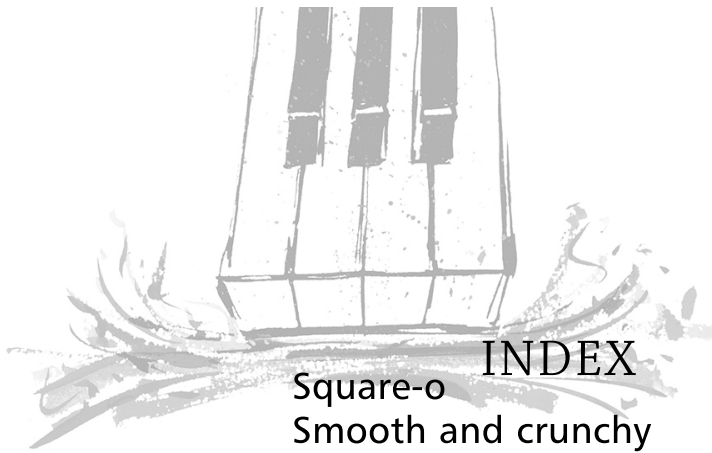
This book is dedicated to Anita and Richard, my parents, who agreed that piano practice should include lots of time spent composing!

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TO THE TEACHER



Elissa Milne's *Little Peppers* is a graded sequence of exciting performance pieces designed to introduce beginner pianists to essential technical skills. For more detail of complete performances, see the *Guided Tour of the Little Peppers* CD-ROM 571-52332-3.

NOTE ON PLAYING PEAS IN A POD

Peas in a pod has been composed in eight equal parts so you can enjoy arranging the music yourself. You can play these parts in any order, miss out a part or play each more than once (though bear in mind that part IV isn't ideal to finish with). This means that your version of *Peas in a pod* might be much shorter than in this book, or even much longer!

What's more, because all the parts work well with each other, you can play this piece as a duet (two players on one piano), a duo (two players on two pianos), or even with three or four people playing simultaneously! Each player should start on a different part; experiment until you find your favourite combination. Alternatively, you may want to try playing the piece straight through as written; in which case, it will work simultaneously *Peas in a pod* from any of the *Little Peppers* books! Whatever you decide, have fun with creating your own *Peas in a pod*.