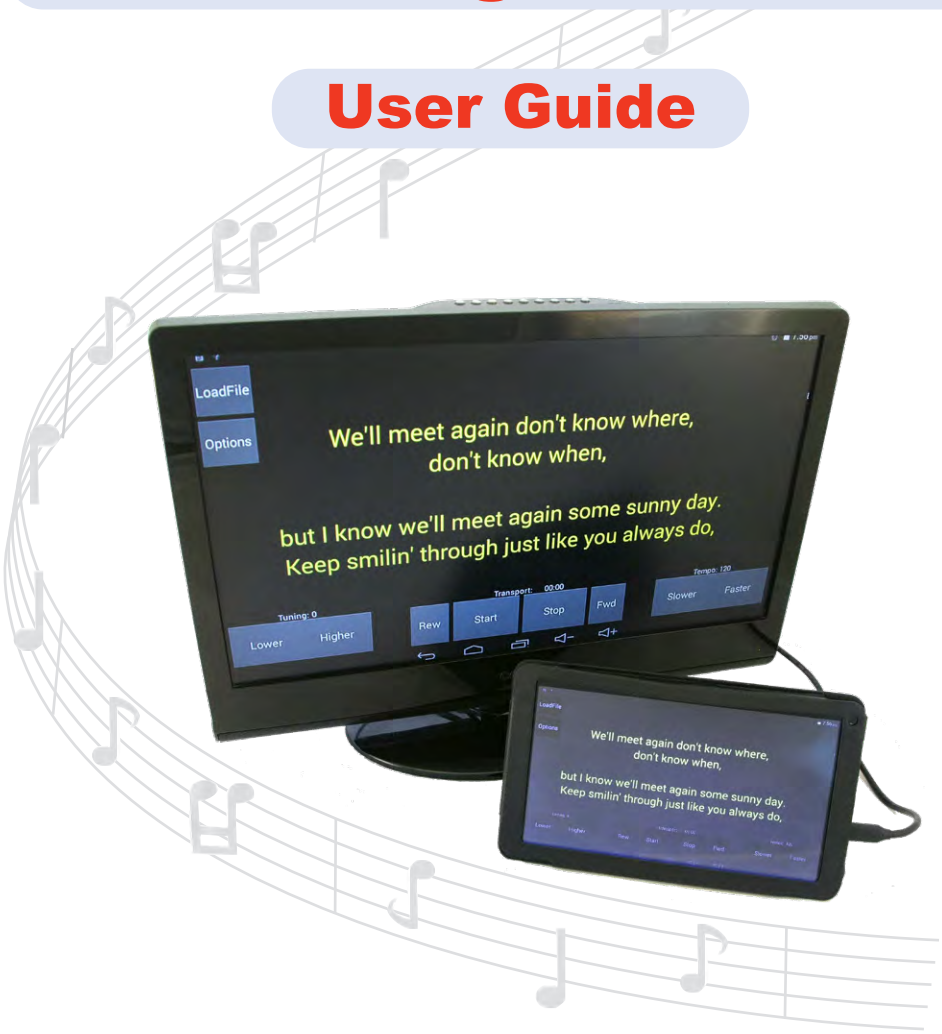


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Silver Song Music Box

User Guide



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1 Opening the box



Inside the box you should find the tablet and two cables.

Check for the contents of the box underneath. There should be:

- a **HDMI cable**
- b **Power cable**
- c **Tablet**
- d **User Guide**
- e **Song List**

- Opening the box continued

a Micro HDMI to TV HDMI

You will find a three metre long Micro HDMI to TV HDMI in the box



b Power Cable



You will also find a USB power cable with one end connecting to a wall socket via the 3 pin plug and the other end connecting to the tablet.



Look for this symbol on the edge of the tablet for where to connect the smaller end of the cable to charge the device.

c Tablet

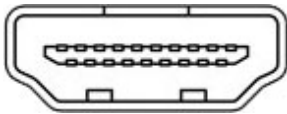
The tablet is fitted inside a leather style cover/case.



2 Connecting the Tablet to your TV



Plug the smaller end of the HDMI cable into the **HDMI** port on the side of the Tablet, marked HDMI on the case.



On the TV, the HDMI ports will be this shape.



Locate an **HDMI IN** port on the TV. These are usually on the back or the side of the TV.

There are often several. In this example there are three, labelled HDMI 1, HDMI 2 and HDMI 3.

- Connecting the Tablet to your TV continued

Place the other end of the HDMI cable into an available HDMI port on the television and note its number, name or label - in this case **HDMI 1**.



3 Turning the Tablet on

With the tablet off, plug the power lead in and connect to an electric socket.

Locate the two buttons on the top right hand of the tablet



The smaller button is the Power button. (The longer one controls the volume output from the device.)

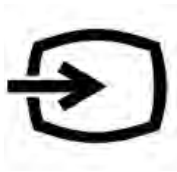
Briefly press the power button on the tablet - a battery picture will appear on the screen to indicate the % amount of battery charge. (Once the tablet is on, there is a small battery icon in the top right of the screen indicating battery level.)

For best results, ensure the battery is 100% charged at the start of each sing-along session, but it will work from about 10%.

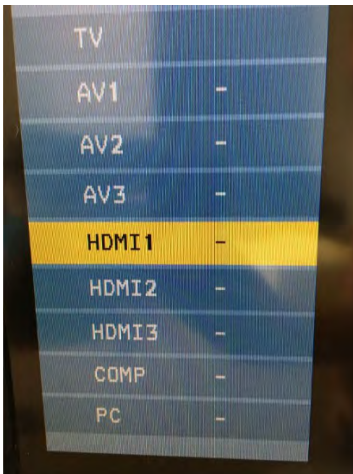
To switch on, press and hold the power button and the device will switch on and begin to start up.

4 Tablet display on TV screen - selecting HDMI input

If the tablet screen does not show on your TV screen automatically, then you will need to switch to the correct **HDMI input** using your **television remote control**.



The input button may be indicated by this symbol, or be labelled “AV”, “Input” or “Source”. For some televisions you may need to navigate to Settings or Tools to locate the input selection screen.



When you press the input/source button on your television remote, you should get a list of options like those on the left.

Select the HDMI Input that you plugged the **HDMI cable** into. *In our example, the input is **HDMI 1**.*

The screen on the tablet should now also appear on the TV.

5 Using the Music Box

Once the tablet has started up, you should be presented with the Opening Screen on both the tablet and the TV.



Using your finger, tap the **Music Player** icon on the tablet.

You will then enter the **Music Player** which will look like this.



You will now see the **Media Control Bar** along the bottom of the screen. This has the buttons to control the playing of songs. Initially there is no song loaded to play.

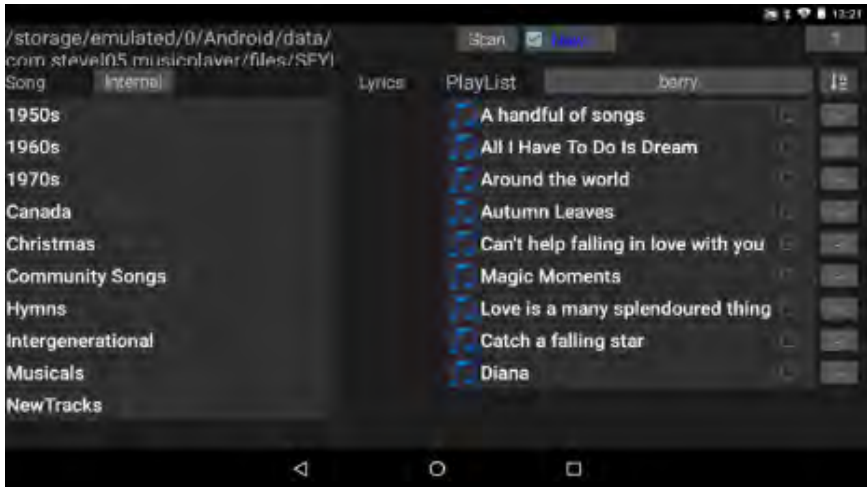
To load a music track, tap the **Load File** button at the top-left of the screen.

Note: You must use the **tablet screen** to click and navigate around the Music Player, not the TV screen.

- Using the Music Box continued

After selecting **Load File** you are taken to the music catalogue where you can choose from a range of categories of music.

As an example, select **1950s** by tapping it on the tablet screen with your finger.



After selecting a category you are presented with a list of music tracks within that genre, as shown in the example above.

Select the track "**All I Have to Do Is Dream**" (tap the title on the tablet screen).

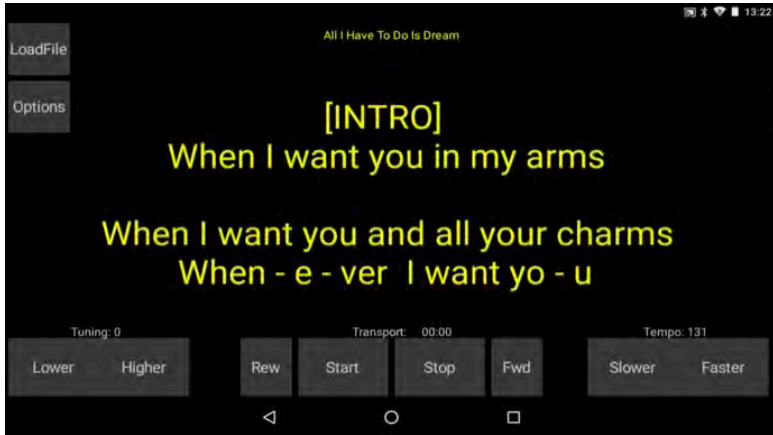
Congratulations!

You have successfully loaded the music track "**All I Have to Do Is Dream**".

- Using the Music Box continued

To start playing the song, tap the **Start** button.

The song will play, and the lyrics (on the tablet and TV screen) will be highlighted in time with the song so it's easy to sing along.



The **Media Control Bar** disappears once the music track is five seconds into playing. If at any time you need to view the **Media Control Bar** simply tap your finger in the area where the buttons are usually displayed and the **Media Control Bar** will reappear.

If at any time you want to load a different music track, simply repeat the process above by selecting the **Load File** button.

You can change the tempo and the tuning (key) of the music track to suit the needs of your audience.

6 Turning the Tablet off

Hold down the power button for 2-3 seconds, then tap 'Power off'. Always turn the Tablet off after use, to preserve the battery charge.

7 Connecting to Wi-Fi

On the Opening Screen tap Settings.

Tap Wi-Fi Settings. Turn Wi-Fi on by moving blue circle to right with your finger. Select your Wi-Fi server and connect to your internet in the usual way.

To exit from the admin Settings tap circle at the bottom of screen.

8 Downloading new songs

First connect to Wi-Fi.

On Opening Screen tap 'Music Player'.

Tap 'Load File'

Select a category and then any song

Tap 'Options', then underneath the word Options at the top of the screen, in the grey box, tap 'Download New Songs'.

Once songs have downloaded, tap 'Done'.

9 Create your own playlist

Choose the song you want to add and tap on the little '+' on the right of the song name.

To delete a song from the playlist tap the '-' on the right of the song.

To change the order of your play list tap the song you want to move - it will go blue.

Use up and down arrows on the right to move the song.

When happy with the order tap 'Done'.

- Create your own playlist continued

You can instruct the playlist songs to play consecutively. Go into any song and tap 'Options' in top left corner. Tap box next to 'Auto Playlist' so it becomes ticked. You can change the pause length between songs by tapping on the number next to 'Delay' and selecting the number of seconds you want. Tap 'Done' when you are finished.

You can Title and save multiple playlists. Once you have made a playlist for the first time, press the box next to Playlist above your List and you can type in a Title and tap OK. To make a new playlist, tap the box next to Playlist, and in the box that appears on screen, tap Add.

In the 'New Playlist' box type your playlist title and tap OK. The new title will be shown at the bottom of a list. Tap the new title to start making a new Playlist.

Tap Internal to get you back to the page to start selecting the songs for a new playlist. You could make a playlist for each person including their favourite songs to play & sing on their Birthday.

10 Attaching the Tablet to a projector

You can attach to a projector by plugging the HDMI cable into a projector instead of a TV. If there is a USB socket but no HDMI on the projector you can use the Power Lead. Ensure the HDMI cable is unplugged. If the projector does not have speakers, you can use a Bluetooth speaker to play the sound. To enable Bluetooth, go to the Opening Screen (white screen) and tap Peripheral Settings, then tap Bluetooth Settings. Turn Bluetooth on by moving the blue circle to the right with your finger. Select 'Pair new device' and your speaker should appear in the list - tap to connect to it.

To exit from the admin settings, tap the circle at the bottom of screen (you may need to move the tablet case down slightly).

11 Top Tips

Battery - The tablet works best when fully charged up (if the battery has run down, the tablet can be used whilst connected to the power socket, but this is not ideal).

Song pitch & speed - If you change the pitch or speed, it is better to come out of the song and reload it again before playing at the new speed/pitch (so as not to confuse the tablet).

After you change the speed/pitch, the tablet will remember these levels for the next time the song is selected.

Font size - It is best **not** to change the size of font otherwise you may get strange word breaks.

Text colour - To change the text colour go into any song and tap 'Options' in top left corner. Tap lyric colour and select new colour. Tap Done when finished.

Sound volume levels and quality - You will get better sound quality if you keep the volume on the tablet fairly low and raise the volume on the TV.

Exercise - You can use the tablet songs to do exercises and actions to.

Performance Licence - Your PRS / Performing Rights Licence is covered, so you don't need to worry about that.

Using touch screen - The tablet is very sensitive, so to avoid selecting songs you don't want, it is best to put your finger on the blue notes symbol and stroke the screen with your finger. Avoid a tapping movement when scrolling as this signals a selection.

Notes



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