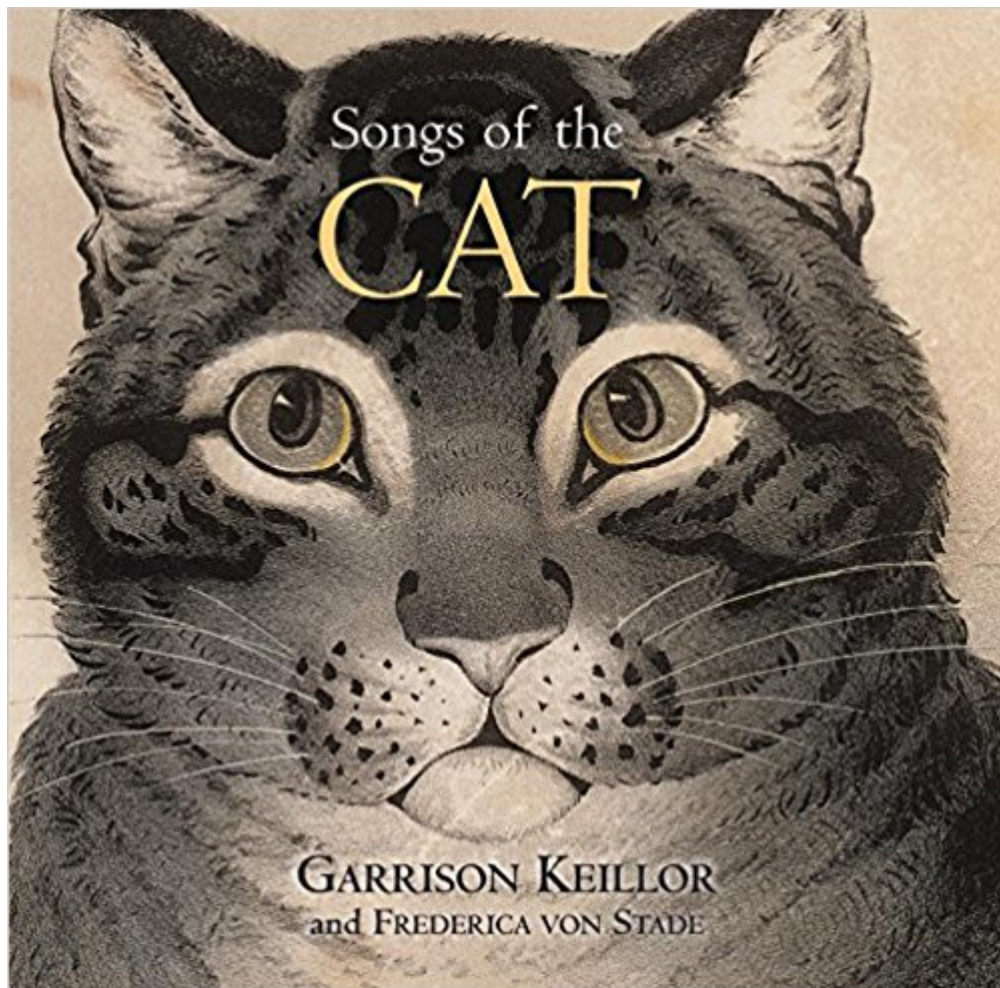


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Songs Of The Cat



Synopsis

Garrison Keillor joins German opera superstar Frederica Von Stade and noted conductor Philip Brunelle for this studio recording. These sixteen songs in praise of felines include "My Grandmother's Cat," "The In and Out Song," "Cat O Cat Come Home" as well as tunes from the more cat-loving classical composers. An enchanting recording on a very popular subject. Tracks: The Cat Came Back; The Hallelujah Patrol; The Mystery; The Cats of Cash; Dance To My Cats; Eine Kleine Kat; In Memory of Our Cat, Ralph; Alaska Cats; Beethoven Chased by Rossini; Near Death: Or, The Search Rewarded; Oy, Chuck and Katie; Forty Miles; The Rescue Cat; My Grandmother's Cat; As I Walked Out; Cats May Safely Sleep; Guilt and Shame; Out in the Catskill Mountains; Cat, You Better Come Home; The In and Out Song.

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Customer Reviews

As the host of A Prairie Home Companion for over forty years, Garrison Keillor has captivated millions of listeners with his News from Lake Wobegon monologues. He has been honored with Grammy, ACE, and George Foster Peabody awards, the National Humanities Medal, and election to the American Academy of Arts and Letters.

Garrison Keillor at his very best, poetry, song and humor, delivered with his manly baritone, and an ever present nudge nudge, wink wink, even thought this is "music for radio". This is a must-have for cat lovers and music lovers, whether your cat is a tabby or a Persian, or your music is Mozart or Johnny Cash. You'll laugh, you'll cry, you will howl in joy, and you will purr a little song of praise at the end.

God bless Garrison Keillor!! His ongoing success at keeping the art of "old-time radio" alive and kicking can only be commended by those who truly appreciate it and anticipate it every week. This collection of special songs relating to our feline friends is a dream of a compilation and one that my wife especially loves listening to, being the cat-lover that she is. Thank you, GK!! Job well done! Highly recommended ...

Songs of the Cat has take-offs on Johnny Cash's best songs with cats as the characters or part of the theme, as in "Don't Take Your Cats To Town, Jim," or modifications of opera and classical music or, apparently, Garrison's own creations like "The In And Out Song," depicting the behavior of a cat who wants out when it's in and wants in when it's out. You'll laugh at most of these songs and will recognize your own cat in many of them. The famous opera singer, Frederica Von Stade sings many of the songs, often accompanied by Keillor. We got it on cassette tape years ago and looked for it on a CD or DVD for some time.

Very Good music CD at a fair price. However the website did not confirm the order upon payment, and we actually ordered it again since we did not get an email confirmation later. So... I gave one copy away to a friend. Only time I have had this issue.

For the Garrison Keillor lover and the cat lover. The "in and out cat song" will resonate with cat (and dog) owners.

This is not really an audiobook, as it's described; it's mostly music. And all about cats! This was a favorite album of my kid when she was young- 25 years ago now!- and so I bought another copy for the kid of a friend, who adores cats. This inspired me to re-listen to my old copy, and it's just as much fun as I remembered.

I'd heard some of these songs on the show, and thought this might make a good gift for my mom, a cat lover. I listened to it before I gave it to her. The first time listening to it, the lyrics were a little hard to understand. Garrison came through clearly, but Frederica's operatic pronunciation was harder to follow. At that point, I wasn't very impressed, because the clever lyrics were what I was most interested in. But when I listened to it a second time, I liked it better. I sent it to my mother. She listened to it while reading the lyrics sheet, and enjoyed it very much.

Heard it on the radio and wanted to have a copy for grand-daughters who love cats. Interesting and funny, at least the first time. Seems to be the same album as Songs of the Cat with Frederica von Stade

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