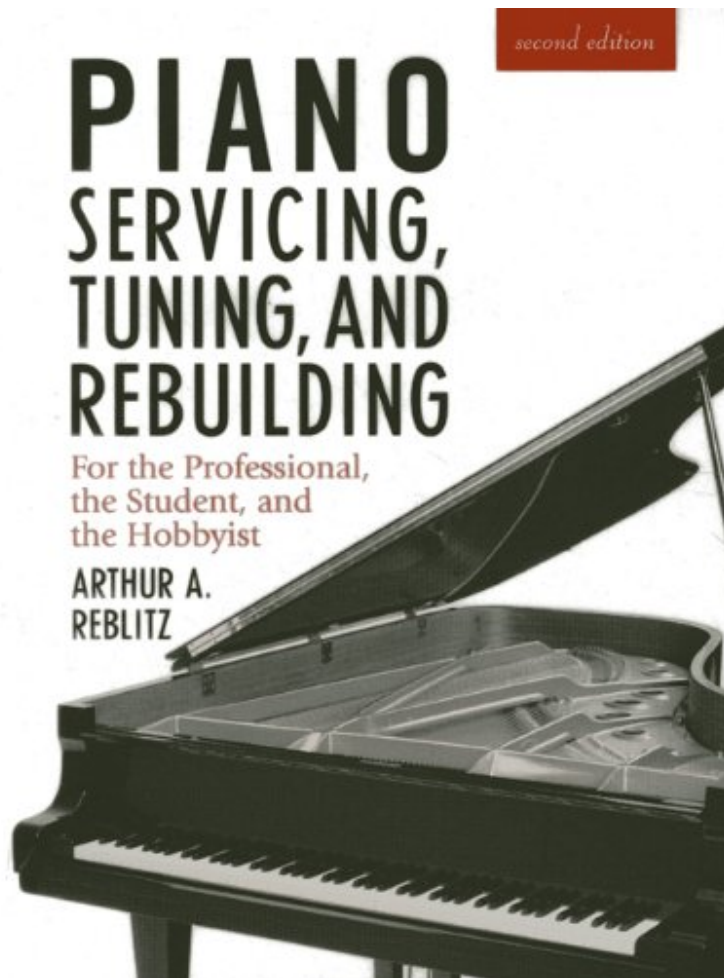


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found the following review helpful. Very practical book. Get the hardcover. By MB in MII bought this book after opening up a 70 year old inherited upright with some keys that missed sometimes and realizing that no tools from my "man shed" fit the thing, and paying somebody else to look at it seemed excessive. So I bought the hardcover which impressed me that it is a large size book. At first I wanted to jump right to the tuning fixing chapter, but reading what comes first helps you to make a better assessment of the piano before you set out. The chapter order is roughly what I followed: vacuum insides clean (found a 1941 dime under the keys), fix the broken stuff (in our case many jack springs -so I replaced all 88- and glued some cracked keys), sanded the hammers, then gave it all a tune using a cheap Korg electronic tuner from . Although I can tune things "beatless" with trial and error by ear as taught in his tuning chapter, it is much quicker to tune every string to the tuner and then it sounds beatless anyway. I think the quartz accuracy electronic tuners are much improved from when this book was last updated. It is great that he describes every custom piano tool, what to look for, and how it can save time, so I was confident in ordering about \$250 worth of good tools exact fit for the job. 1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. Great - even for a beginner. By Hans Peter Bagger I bought a Grand Piano without having worked on one before. The book guided me through the proces of taking the piano apart, cleaning it (soundboard and all!), changing a broken hammer, putting it all together again.....and even tuning the thing :-). I did find the tuning technique too hard to figure out and ended up tuning to frequencies, but one day I will try again and surely succeed.

The second edition of this world famous book.

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