

## Gibson Guitar Setup Guide

***In 1952 the first Gibson Les Paul solidbody electric guitar was made and 2002 will be the 50th anniversary of its creation. This book is a chronicle of the entire range of Gibson Les Paul guitars, the stories surrounding their creation and the artists (such as Jeff Beck, Jimmy Page and Eric Clapton) who played them. Made by the Gibson company, the Les Paul was the result of a collaboration with brilliant guitarist Les Paul, one half of the famous Les Paul and Mary Ford Duo. Every model is described and its different specifications unravelled, with colour photographs that reveal the complexity and beauty of these important guitars over the last 50 years.***

***Learn the secrets to achieving your ultimate sound Whether amateur or pro, guitarists live for the ultimate sound. Guitar Amps & Effects For Dummies provides the information and instruction you need to discover that sound and make it your own! Written in the characteristically easy-to-read Dummies style, this book is ideal for beginners and experienced musicians alike, and can help all players expand their skill set with effects. Guitarists tend to be gearheads when it comes to sound, and this book provides guidance on topics ranging from the guitar itself to amps, pedals, and other sound technology. Amps and effects are the unsung heroes of guitar music. While most people recognize the more psychedelic effects, many don't realize that effects are often responsible for the unique quality of tone that can become a musician's trademark. Certain effects work on the volume or signal level, others work on the environment, and still others work on the bass and treble content. Guitar Amps & Effects For Dummies covers them all, and shows how effects can not only add something extra, but also "fix" problematic areas. Topics include: Gain-based effects, like distortion, compression, volume pedals, and gates Tone-based effects, including graphic and parametric EQ, and the wah-wah pedal Modulation effects, like the flanger, phase shifter, and tremolo Ambience effects, including reverb and delay The journey to incredible guitar music never ends. No matter how experienced you are with a guitar, there is always room for improvement to your tone and sound. Whether you're looking for the sound of angels or thunder, Guitar Amps & Effects For Dummies will help you achieve the music you hear in your dreams.***

***"Everything you need to start confidently working on your own guitars is right here." Learn how to do great guitar setups time and time again with this easy to follow, step-by-step manual. With expert tips, clear instruction over 100 photos, you will gain the understanding on how to fine-tune your guitar to play it's best. Makes an excellent starter book or reference for budding professionals. \*\*\*Now updated and expanded with additional content including a section on restringing, neck shimming, scale length determination and new images!\*\*\* Included in the book: An 8 step method on setting up your electric or acoustic guitar How to adjust Fender style tremolo's, Gibson hard-tails, Floyd Rose and other floating bridge types How to adjust the saddle on your acoustic steel string or nylon string guitar How to file nut slots Setup spec's for electric, acoustic, classical and bass guitar Manufacturer's setup spec's from Fender, Gibson, Ibanez, Jackson, Gretsch and others Exclusive setup specifications from the author's best playing guitars A handy measurement conversion chart REVIEWS Praise for Jonny Blackwood: "I have related and referred to Jonny's guidance many times over the years and I can truly say that I wouldn't have gotten very far without it." -Daryl Chonka, guitar tech for Randy Bachman (The Guess Who & BTO), recording engineer, recording & performing artist "Everything***

***you need to start confidently working on your own guitars is right here." -Andrew deGroot, factory certified guitar tech and luthier, Stang Guitars "The importance of a great setup can't be overstated. This is a perfect guide for those starting out in the craft, and a great general reference to keep around. Jonny lays out all the info needed to setup your guitar like a pro, without any confusing clutter. You're in great hands." -Cory Newman, Luthier, C.A. Newman Guitars "Jonny knows his stuff, does great work and is respectful to those of us whose greatest guitar work will be performed in our own minds." -Scott McKeen, former city councillor of Edmonton and journalist, The Edmonton Journal Books available from the author (paperback and kindle edition): How to Setup Your Guitar Like A Pro: An Easy Guide for Beginners How to Build & Setup Guitar Kits like a Pro: An Easy Guide for Bolt-on Neck Guitars How to Start and Run a Successful Guitar Repair Business: Practical Tips for the New Entrepreneur Complete Guitar Care & MaintenanceThe Ultimate Owners GuideBlackwoodGuitarworks.com***  
***The Electric Guitar Handbook***

***The Complete Guide to Guitar and Amp Maintenance***

***How to Set Up, Maintain, and Repair Electrics and Acoustics***

***The Player's Guide to Guitar Maintenance***

***How to Build and Setup Guitar Kits like a Pro***

***How to Make Your Electric Guitar Play Great!***

***The New Gibson Les Paul and Epiphone Wiring Diagrams Book***

The inside story of the founding and growth of Taylor Guitars, one of the world's most successful guitar manufacturers Bob Taylor mixes his experience as a tradesman and cofounder of Taylor Guitars, a world-famous acoustic and electric guitar manufacturer, with philosophies that have practical application for building a business. From the "a-ha" moment in junior high school that inspired his very first guitar, Taylor shares the American dream, crafting quality products with his own hands and building a successful, sustainable business. In *Guitar Lessons*, he shares the principles that he lives by and that have provided the foundation for the company's success. Be inspired by a story of guts and gumption, an unwavering commitment to quality, and the hard lessons that made Taylor Guitars the company it is today.

In the past few years the market for electric guitar kits and parts has exploded. For every two enthusiasts, there are four opinions on how to build a guitar. In this book, Will Kelly cuts through all that noise and shows how, with a little patience and some inexpensive tools, the average person can turn a modest investment into a gig-worthy instrument and perhaps even a lifelong hobby. Kelly presents guitar-building in a progressive, step-by-step format, beginning with a simple Stratocaster-style kit with a bolt-on neck and continuing on to a "relic'd" Telecaster-style build, two Gibson-style builds, and a custom double-neck mash-up. Because each build is more involved than the previous, the reader builds on his or her skill set and acquires the tools necessary for the reader's level of interest. Kelly shows how to apply finishes, choose and install hardware, wire electronics, execute the final assembly, and set up the finished guitar for proper action and intonation.

The original version of this guide has sold over 30,000 copies. This new edition has been expanded by 25% and promises to become an essential resource. For collectors, dealers and players, this completely updated "field guide" provides specifications, serial numbers, and more for the identification and originality of vintage American acoustic and electric fretted instruments. Detailing thousands of models by every major manufacturer, this book includes expanded coverage of Martin, Guild, Mosrite, Dobro, Gibson banjos, Fender amps, Gibson amps, plus updates on the latest models from Gibson, Rickenbacker, and others since 1990.

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Book Why have guitarists bought over seven million Boss compact effects? Read this book and you'll understand! The Boss Book includes complete detail of every Boss compact effect ever made; super color photos, design history, trivia, tricks and secrets; candid interviews with founder and design engineers; essays on musical trends and famous players; and much more. As a bonus, the accompanying CD features control settings and detailed equipment set-ups so you can take your guitar playing to another dimension! "I've used Boss pedals since I was a kid. ... For me, Boss has always stood for simplicity, reliability and great sounding, very high-quality effects." Jeff "Skunk" Baxter (Doobie Brothers)

An Identification Guide for American Fretted Instruments

The Ultimate Guitar Tone Handbook

The Ultimate Guide to the World's Most Popular Compact Effects for Guitar

The Acoustic Guitar Guide

Guitar Builder's FAQ

Guitar Player Repair Guide

How to Setup Your Guitar Like a Pro

For all guitarists, the quest to finding the guitar tone you hear in your head and then recording it is a never-ending journey. The Ultimate Guitar Tone Handbook is your definitive guide to discovering that great, elusive guitar sound and making sure it's recorded well. This book features a series of interviews with expert players, guitar technicians, recording engineers, record producers, and gear manufacturers to give you an inside look into the business of guitar tone. The included DVD provides both audio and visual reference points to help you achieve the classic sounds you hear on records. "The Ultimate Guitar Tone Handbook offers quality information that will serve as a solid base for development of any guitar player or guitar recording artist's imagination." - Mateus Tebaldi, MusicGearReview.com

The Art Of Lutherie offers a glimpse into the mind and craft of luthier Tom Bills, whom many consider to be one of the most talented luthiers today. In this beautifully written and enjoyable read, Tom elegantly and clearly shares his best-kept secrets and methods of custom guitar making - those which make his guitars favorites among top collectors and players. Tom's unique approach to The Art Of Lutherie will empower and inspire you to create more than just a guitar, but a truly unique work of art. The information that is generously shared within this insightful and timeless work is both practical and applicable. It contains the same hard-won wisdom that only comes from years of experience and experimentation that Tom uses in creating his inspiring instruments. Over the years, he has produced instruments considered to be some of the best sounding guitars ever made. Learning the steps of how to build a guitar is important, but understanding why master luthiers take those steps and make those decisions can empower you to make your own educated choices. This will allow you to create unique guitars, and the world needs your art, your guitars - your important contribution. The Art Of Lutherie, a truly unique and inspiring guide, can prepare you to reach new heights when designing and creating unique guitars. It is not often I heap such lavish praise on people; however, Tom is in this case more than deserving: I know of no other luthier whose work I respect more. Tom knows his craft inside and out; he pours his soul into every guitar he makes; he uses cutting-edge science to guide his work, and it shows...as head of Artist Relations and Product Development at Mel Bay, it gives me great pleasure to publish Tom's work, which will no doubt take the art of lutherie to a new level. I hope you'll spend some time soaking in this book - it will certainly augment your musicality - Collin Bay. Includes access to online video

This guide will use photographs, diagrams and sketches made by the author and some provided by various manufacturers to teach how to clean, condition, adjust the action and properly intonate your acoustic guitar, as well as: John's trade secrets on hand-carving bone nuts and bridge

saddles, wiring and fretwork. John has also included a chapter on identifying and diagnosing problem guitars. It even includes a forward written by Bob Taylor of Taylor Guitars. This book is perfect to teach a beginner or a reference for the guitar repair professional.

This book will help all guitar players make better friends with their present guitar or decide on features to look for in a new one. They will learn about the differences in guitar woods (and how they sound), simple guitar maintenance, how to choose an instrument for their style of playing, what to expect from a music dealer, and the mystique of collectible guitars. This new edition includes more details on amplifying acoustic guitars, and a guide to guitar companies' Web sites.

Classical Guitar Making

Guitars That Jam

A Life's Journey Turning Passion into Business

Complete Guitar Care & Maintenance

How to Build Electric Guitars

Guitar Finishing, Step-by-Step

An Illustrated History & Guide

*(Guitar Educational). This ultimate guide to caring for your guitar includes: how to strip down and clean your instrument \* how to set the action \* how regular maintenance can improve your guitar and your playing. Top repairman Charlie Chandler will show you how to carry out basic maintenance and repairs, all of which can be done yourself, without the need for professional assistance. The book is lavishly illustrated throughout with over a hundred diagrams and photographs. Includes special troubleshooting tips to help you solve common problems like fret buzz, chips and cracks in paintwork, electrical problems, intonation, and more. Whether you're a beginner struggling with a new set of strings or a pro looking to hone your set-up, this book will help you to get more out of your guitar.*

*“Everything you need to maintain, set up and protect your guitar.” Cleaning & Restringing – Setups & Adjustments – Care & Storage – Minor Repairs “Complete Guitar Care & Maintenance, The Ultimate Owners Guide” is the essential care guide for guitar owners everywhere. Filled with over 170 pages of step-by-step instruction, 300 images and diagrams, and a plethora of exclusively derived specifications and manufacturers' recommendations. You will have everything you need to maintain any guitar, no matter what your experience level. Get the low-down on instrument cleaning and preservation. Improve the performance and sound of your guitar with simple adjustments. Take your setup skills*

to the next level with precision neck adjustments, string height adjustments (bridge saddle and nut), pickup height adjustments, intonation, and more. Do minor repairs, fix electronics, and other common issues with total confidence. Learn about guitar care, such as humidity and storage. Use the included cut-out tool templates to broaden your guitar setup prowess. This is a complete reference manual, perfect for players, collectors and budding professionals alike. Written to be simple, accessible, streamlined, and easy to follow. Pertains to electric, acoustic, classical, and bass guitars. From your friends at [blackwoodguitarworks.com](http://blackwoodguitarworks.com) and the Guitar Setup Pro App. Included in the book:

- How to maintain your guitar for peak performance & longevity
- How to clean, polish and store the guitar for long-term protection
- How to restring the guitar properly
- How to set up electric, acoustic & bass guitars
- How to adjust neck relief (bow) for optimum playability
- How to adjust string height for your playing style and guitar type
- How to file nut slots, adjust pickup height and set the intonation accurately
- How to adjust Fender-style tremolo's, Gibson hard-tails, Floyd Rose and other floating bridge types
- How to adjust the saddle on your acoustic steel string or nylon string guitar
- How to solder and repair electronics
- How to replace jacks, switches, and pickups
- Manufacturer's setup specs from Fender, Gibson, Ibanez, Jackson, Gretsch and others
- Exclusive setup specifications from the author's best playing guitars & basses
- Cut-out templates for radius gauges, under-string radius gauges & an action ruler
- An extensive troubleshooting section
- A library of common wiring diagrams
- A handy measurement conversion chart
- And much more!

Whether you're a computer-recording enthusiast or an actively recording guitarist, GREAT GUITAR TONE WITH IK MULTIMEDIA AMPLITUDE will help you maximize your creative sonic results using Amplitude plug-ins and hardware from IK Multimedia. Author Michael Ross gives you the direction and advice you need to use this flagship guitar amp-emulation software to effectively produce professional-level results in your home- or project-based studio as you experiment with new ideas, explore tone, and more.

"Since its official debut in early 1954, the Stratocaster, designed by Leo Fender, has proved to be poaibly the most popular electric guitar ever manufactured; quite a legend

*of its own! No other electric guitar has been so widely copied as the Stratocaster." --Amazon.com.*

*Half a Century of the Greatest Electric Guitars*

*Practical Tips for the New Entrepreneur*

*Everything You Need to Know to Buy and Maintain a New Or Used Guitar*

*Mini Music Guides: Guitar Care and Gear Essentials*

*An Easy Guide for Beginners*

*Billy Penn's Guitar Set Up Guide*

*Describes how to turn a computer into a home recording studio, covering such topics as editing, producing, processing, and mixing audio.*

*Get the fast-track to guitar stardom with this inspirational, step-by-step visual guide From developing your skills as a performer to learning chord sequences and choosing the right kit, How To Play Guitar Step By Step is the ultimate self-improvement guide for all aspiring guitar heroes. Ever dreamt of soloing like one of the guitar greats? Or forming your own band but no idea where to start? Guitar greatness is within your grasp with this ultimate visual guide featuring ten professional easy-to-follow lessons as well as an accompanying DVD that will keep you motivated and inspired as you progress. Advice on technique and guitar maintenance will keep you looking and sounding your best and the handy directory of chords and scales will have you reaching for the book time and time again. Whether you're starting from scratch or building on existing skills, How To Play Guitar Step By Step hits all the right chords progressing you from beginner to guitar hero in easy-to-follow stages.*

*This is the first hands-on how-to manual devoted to all electric guitars. This guidebook shows owners and dreamers the basics of selecting and buying electric guitars; maintenance and repairs such as tuning, setting intonation, fret repairs, bridge and nut adjustments, troubleshooting; spur-of-the-moment stage-side fixes; and some basic "performance" enhancements, like adding aftermarket pickups, locking tremolos, and more.*

*Learn step by step how to completely wire a Gibson or Epiphone Les Paul and all of the potentiometers, capacitors, switches, ground wires, hot wires, pickups, output jack, and bridge ground. Even if you dont own a Gibson, this guide will teach you how to wire a Les Paul style guitar with 1, 2, or 3 pickups. This book will also show you the secret "hot rod" techniques that the pros use on their Les Pauls like: coil cutting, phase switching, series wiring, parallel wiring, pickup-on switching, toggle switching, mini toggle switching, varitone switching, rotary switching, blend pots, push pull pots, stacked concentric pots, and much more. Plus, you will learn everything you've ever wanted to know about 4-wire humbuckers and active pickups. This book is printed in black and white. A full*

*color ebook is also included.*

*The Boss Book*

*How to Start and Run a Successful Guitar Repair Business*

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*The Ultimate Owners Guide*

*How to Play Guitar Step by Step*

*Buying, Maintaining, Repairing, and Customizing Your Gibson and Epiphone Les Paul*

**Covers set-up, maintenance, tuners, acoustic adjustments, nut replacement, fret dressing, refretting, guitar electronics, finish application and repair, and useful tools.**

**"Through detailed text and more than two hundred photos, this book chronicles the development and evolution of Gibson's fabulous flat-tops, discusses the musical properites of individual models, and shows why these guitars have been the choice of so many great musicians, professional and amateur alike, over the last eighty years." --Book Jacket.**

**Guitars That Jam is a journey through the world's most famous rock guitars, featuring the photography of Jay Blakesburg and commentary from more than fifty artists. Guitars That Jam is the definitive illustrated history of the guitars of rock-and-roll legend. Featuring images from live concerts, outdoor festivals, and private recording sessions, this spectacular volume captures the personal connection between artist and instrument. Along with the make and model of the guitar, each image is accompanied by a story from the musician detailing the guitar's special characteristics, as well as its significance to them and rock history. Including photographs of Neil Young, Santana, Bob Weir, Trey Anastasio, Warren Haynes, and many more, Guitars That Jam is the ultimate photographic guide to the world of improvisational rock guitars.**

**Easy-to-follow instructions on maintaining your guitar and essential information about gear! Alfred's Mini Music Guides provide essential information in a convenient size. Take these books anywhere you want to go. Packed with clear, step-by-step instructions and close-up photographs, Guitar Care and Gear Essentials is the best compact guide for guitar maintenance and gear available. Features: \* For guitarists of all levels and styles \* How to set action and intonation, adjust the truss rod, and maintain frets \* Step-by-step instruction for proper string removal and installation on various types of guitars \* Shows how to solder and maintain electronics \* Detailed guide to setting up, maintaining, and troubleshooting Floyd Rose systems \* Comprehensive sections on amps, cabinets, ohmage and impedance, signal flow and level, noise, cabling, and more!**

**Gibson's Fabulous Flat-top Guitars**

## The Fender Stratocaster

### How to Setup Your Guitar Like a Pro (Colour Photo Edition)

### Portraits of the World's Most Storied Rock Guitars

### Guitar Amps & Effects For Dummies

### How To Buy, Maintain, Set Up, Troubleshoot, and Modify Your Gibson and Epiphone

### 50 Years of the Gibson Les Paul

Covers set-up, maintenance, tuners, acoustic adjustments, nut replacement, fret dressing, refretting, guitar electronics, finish application and repair, and useful tools

This extensive document is intended for beginner and experienced guitar builders alike. It answers many commonly asked questions about electric guitar building such as wood selection, parts, cost, and pitfalls.

Get the inside track on a successful guitar repair, guitar building and/ or custom guitar shop business. Save yourself time, money, and frustration when starting up your own business with this helpful guide-book that offers key insider tips and a thorough overview of what to expect in the business, written by an industry veteran. Don't go into business without reading this book first!

Describes different styles of electric guitars, and cover maintenance, tools, and the guitar's neck, bridge, pickups, and strings

Guitar Aerobics

Electric Guitar Construction

A Modern Approach to Traditional Design

Guitarist's Guide to Computer Music

American Basses

Great Guitar Tone with IK Multimedia Amplitube

A Practical Manual to Get the Most from Your Electric Guitar

***Newly revised and updated, this do-it-yourself primer for owning and maintaining an electric guitar covers a vast array of essential information, including choosing the right guitar, personalizing and improving on a "factory setup," basic guitar electronics, troubleshooting and much more. Original.***

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· guitar setup ruler · guitar setup straight edge (optional) · guitar setup tool kit (optional) · guitar setup mat (optional) · under-string radius gauges (optional) Books available from the author (paperback and digital editions): *How to Setup Your Guitar Like A Pro: An Easy Guide for Beginners* *How to Build & Setup Guitar Kits like a Pro: An Easy Guide for Bolt-on Neck Guitars* *How to Start and Run a Successful Guitar Repair Business: Practical Tips for the New Entrepreneur*

"Renowned luthier John S. Bogdanovich crafted the project shown inside for his own personal use. The design he presents is simple but elegant and is a composite of ideas borrowed from several different guitars admired for their tonal qualities and aesthetic details. In close-up photographs Bogdanovich invites you to stand by his side and follow the entire process from start to finish. He offers guidance through every step, and explains every decision, from the arrangement of his workbench and the selection of the wood, to tuning and setting up the instrument. Bogdanovich also provides a choice of alternative methods and materials -- to help you find your own style of working, and to enable you to add your personal touches to your project. By the time your instrument is finished, you'll have acquired a world of knowledge, from the difference between quartersawn and flat-sawn wood to the pros and cons of lacquer versus French polish. You'll have mastered dozens of skills, including bending and laminating wood and cutting and seating wire frets. Best of all, you'll have a beautiful instrument, designed to your own specifications, that will give pleasure to everyone who hears it." -- Book jacket.

*Alfabetisk værk om basguitarer gennem 50 år*

*The Guitarist's Guide to Set-Up & Maintenance*

*Gruhn's Guide to Vintage Guitars*

*Guitar Lessons*

*The Art of Lutherie*

*A Guide for the First-Time Builder*

*Guitar Setup, Maintenance & Repair*

*How to Wire and Hot Rod Your Guitar*

(Guitar). Q.: What on earth would make someone want to build an electric guitar from scratch? Can't you just buy one

**cheaper? A.: Well sure, but with this definitive book on the subject as your guide, you can create your own axe masterpiece, with the precise finish, the exact pickups, and the custom hardware you've always wanted. Plus, you'll have the indescribable satisfaction of knowing you created something cool out of nothing. And that sure beats buying off the rack! Organized logically from start to finish, this helpful guide will assist you every step of the way; from the design and planning stage to the final setup, each step in the process is written about in abundant detail, with hundreds of photographs, and special full-color sections on wood selection and finishing. Also includes a glossary of terms, an index of materials suppliers, and much more!**

**(Guitar Educational). From the former editor of Guitar One magazine, here is a daily dose of vitamins to keep your chops fine tuned! Musical styles include rock, blues, jazz, metal, country, and funk. Techniques taught include alternate picking, arpeggios, sweep picking, string skipping, legato, string bending, and rhythm guitar. These exercises will increase speed, and improve dexterity and pick- and fret-hand accuracy. The accompanying CD includes all 365 workout licks plus play-along grooves in every style at eight different metronome settings.**

**Part of Jonny Blackwood's "Easy Guide" Series, "How to Build and Setup Guitar Kits like a Pro" is a clear, concise, step-by-step manual written for those with little guitar building experience. With simple directions and over 130 photos, you will gain the understanding needed to assemble and setup bolt-on guitar kits with great results! Included in the book: A 9-step method on assembling bolt-on style guitars; Tips and tricks to save you time and headaches; Guidance on sanding, finishing & more; Proper soldering technique explained; Scale length explained Guitar electronics explained; How to effectively shield the instrument; Popular wiring modification suggestions; Links to online wiring and setup methods from Fender and others; Simple setup instructions for strat and tele-style guitars; How to restring properly; How to adjust truss rods for optimal neck bow; How to shim necks and adjust neck tilt; How to adjust bridge angle on tremolo equipped guitars; How to adjust intonation; How to file nut slots; And more!**

**(Book). From the author of Amps! comes an essential survival guide for every guitar player and amp owner. Packed with concise, clearly written tips on troubleshooting and repairs, this guide teaches the secrets of maintenance and fixing it yourself, with straightforward, step-by-step instructions using simple, affordable, readily available tools. The book focuses on the most commonly performed procedures, and contains over 150 photos and insider information from technicians, engineers, and roadies.**

**A Definitive Guide to Creating and Recording Great Guitar Sounds**

**Everything You Need to Know in an Easy-to-Follow Format**

**An Easy Guide for Bolt-on Neck Guitars**

**The Les Paul Manual**

**The Official Guide**

**The Gibson Les Paul Handbook - New Edition**

**Guitar Electronics Understanding Wiring**

The first ever hands-on how-to manual devoted to the famous Gibson Les Paul is now updated with the latest models and guitar-tech advice. Along with the Fender Stratocaster, the Gibson Les Paul is without doubt the most iconic electric guitar ever made, beloved and sought after by guitarists everywhere. It's the signature sound for musicians as distinguished and diverse as Jimmy Page, Carl Perkins, Eric Clapton, Keith Richards, Billy Gibbons, Muddy Waters, and Frank Zappa. Veteran guitarist Paul Balmer's failsafe guidebook shows owners and dreamers the basics of selecting and buying a Les Paul; maintenance and repairs such as tuning, setting intonation, tremolo alignment, fret repairs, bridge and nut adjustments, and electrics troubleshooting; spur-of-the-moment stage-side fixes; basic "performance" enhancements; and more. With tips and techniques specific to each of the numerous Les Paul models, this book is the guitarist's ticket to electrifying success.

This is the ultimate hands-on, how-to manual devoted to the famous Gibson Les Paul, updated with the latest models and guitar tech advice. This book is a step-by-step, heavily illustrated guide to everything about Gibson Les Paul guitars! It shows owners and dreamers the basics of selecting and buying your guitar, how to use it, and how to keep it rocking once you have one. Let world-renowned guitar expert Terry Burrows be your guide to this awesome instrument. Gorgeous shots of Gibson Les Paul guitars and guitar parts, alongside images of well-known musicians playing Gibson Les Pauls, make this a book no fan will want to miss!

Have you ever wanted to set up and maintain the playability of your guitar by yourself? Did you ever wonder what a tech does when you take your guitar in for a "set up"? Well now the answers to your questions and all the steps are laid out in my Guitar Set Up Guide. My guide contains all the information you need based on my 20+ years of experience as a guitar tech. It also answers many questions that you may have asked yourself about intonation, adjusting pickups, cleaning your frets and so forth. To help you better understand the set up process I have included many detailed photos as well as instructional videos showing you how the set up is done. I wrote this Guitar Set Up Guide for guitar players who want to set up and maintain their own guitars and for the player who just want to know this information so they can relate to their techs. All the content is geared for the very beginner to the advanced player. I receive dozens of emails per week asking a wide variety of guitar related questions and now the answers are incorporated in one comprehensive guide. Questions such as: "How far away should the pickups be from the strings"? "Which way do I turn the truss rod adjustment to straighten my guitar's neck"? "What is the easiest way to clean the frets on my guitar"? "I've tried to intonate my guitar but it still doesn't play in tune. Why is this"? "To increase sustain I should adjust my pickups as close as possible to the strings, right"? "What do I do if the bridge on my guitar doesn't have a way to adjust the intonation"? "Is there an easy way to remove all the strings on my archtop guitar with a floating bridge and quickly get it intonated"? "I

find it difficult to adjust the truss rod on my guitar because the adjustment is at the heel. Is there an easy way to do this"?  
And many more...

**THIS IS THE ONLY WIRING GUIDE YOU WILL EVER NEED TO BUY.** Learn step by step how to completely wire Telecaster, Stratocaster, Esquire, and Les Paul guitars and all of the potentiometers, capacitors, switches, ground wires, hot wires, pickups, output jack, and bridge ground. Even if you don't have a Fender or Gibson, this guide will teach you how to wire a guitar with 1, 2, or 3 pickups. Also learn where you can get the complete wiring kits for dirt cheap, and learn essential soldering tips. Why not learn how to change your pickups, tone or volume controls, switches, and capacitors yourself? There are a ton of modifications you can do to your guitar for dirt cheap. This book will also show you some secret "hot rod" techniques that the pros use. This book will teach you how to do coil tapping, coil cutting, phase switching, series wiring, parallel wiring, bridge-on switching, mini toggle switching, varitone switching, mega switching, yamaha switching, blend pots, and much more !!!

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