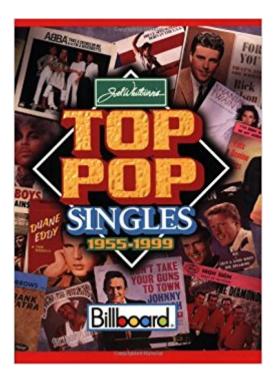


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# Top Pop Singles 1955-1999





### Synopsis

Spanning 45 years of chart research, Top Pop Singles lists each of the over 23,111 titles and 5,702 artists that appeared on Billboard's pop music charts from January 1955 through December 1999. It includes updated hit listings for new sensations like 'N Sync, Dixie Chicks and Matchbox 20 as well as veteran artists such as Santana, Aerosmith and Elton John. Also features special bonus pages with photos of hundreds of "one-hit wonders" and many rare picture sleeves and records. Other highlights include a complete A-to-Z song title section \* all-time Top 500 artist ranking \* top artist achievements \* top hits and record breakers \* #1 hits in chronological order \* and Rock and Roll Hall of Fame inductees.

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This fabulous book has everything anyone could want to know about pop singles and the artists who recorded them. I used it as a resource for choosing 50's, 60's, & 70;s music for a little theater production. I also gave it as a gift to an elderly friend who is a great pianist and has played many of these selections.

This is a great handbook, and is helpful in finding what is on the charts.

My husband is looking at it all the time.

Nice printing on quality paper, shame they are so expensive new and not a lot of places seem to stock them in UK.

Joel Whitburn's book covers the pop charts from the Hit Parade era on up to the end of the century. This book is not just for collectors, but rather, it will satisfy anyone who loves music and has a desire to know more about the dynamics of the Billboard pop charts. Besides the easy, alphabetical listings by artist, the book includes features such as:\* debut date for each song\* a chronological listing, by peak date, of every song\* the peak position and weeks on chart for each song\* a listing, in the back of the book, of all song titles (listed alphabetically) in the artist selection\* assorted chart "facts and feats"In addition, the book's typeface and bolding features makes it easy to read, without straining for particular entries. In total, this book is the most comprehensive source of info available for the music of this era. No one but Whitburn does anything close to this in terms of music factology. It's well worth the money, and if you intend on flipping through it over and over, the few extra bucks for the longer-lasting hardcover will be worth the expenditure.

This was a great book! I thoroughly enjoyed it and recommend it to anyone who enjoys music.

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