

**A HISTORY OF THE MUSIC LIBRARY ASSOCIATION  
IN CALIFORNIA**

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### Preface

The Music Library Association was founded in 1931. It was not long after that when preliminary steps were taken to establish a chapter of the Association in California. October 18, 1991 marks the fiftieth anniversary of the founding of the California Chapter. In 1989, the Northern and Southern California Chapters of MLA decided to commemorate the occasion with a joint meeting and began work on several projects. This publication is one of the projects undertaken for the fiftieth anniversary.

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