

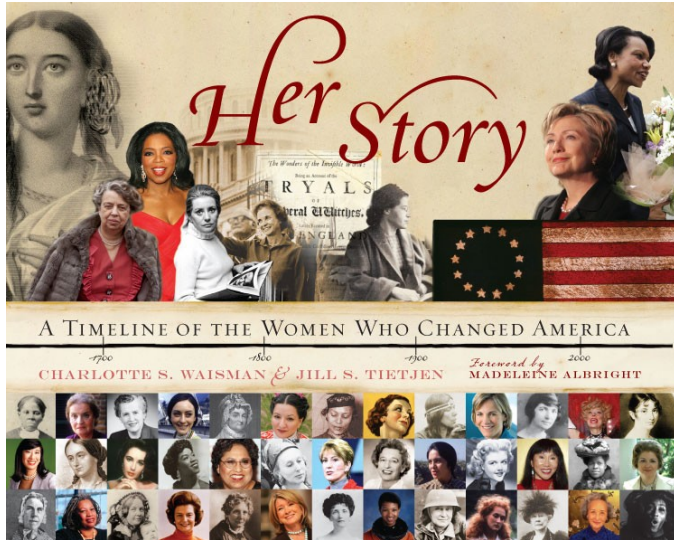
## **Do Re Mi Flash Cards**

The flash cards that follow feature some of the different types of contributions made by women in the music business. We note women composers, conductors, musicians, and singers.

Each flash card is sized for a 4" x 6" index card with a front and back side. The front side contains an image and a question. The back side repeats the question and provides the answer.

The flash cards are derived from the more than 850 women in U.S. history from 1587 to 2007 featured in our book ([www.herstoryatimeline.com](http://www.herstoryatimeline.com)). ENJOY!

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Cheney Beach  
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**Maybelle  
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