PREFACE

The original Fibonacci Primer Series I - XIII were conceived to acquaint beginning students with certain information and techniques related to the Fibonacci numbers and related sequences. We decided to enclose these articles between two covers along with certain other articles from the Fibonacci Quarterly, selected and edited to round out a comprehensive offering.

It is hoped that this booklet will be useful to individuals wishing to study the properties of the Fibonacci and Lucas sequences but who do not have access to the back issues of the Fibonacci Quarterly containing most of the included articles.

Problems which occurred in early Elementary Problem Sections of The <u>Fibonacci Quarterly</u> are included as fillers both as a challenge to the beginning Fibonacci enthusiast and as an illustration of the wide diversity of problems related to the Fibonacci sequence.

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