

JUNE 2021

SUMMER ROADTRIP

PIANO PLAYERS COACHING

Being Spontaneous In Your Playing

Not sure if I should admit this but I've "learned to play" songs by driving down the road, listening to them!

I didn't say I recommend it but in a pinch, it's worked.

That's the goal of learning to be spontaneous and playing by ear.

Since you play by number there are progression you will quickly see....get played all the time!

I see a good spot to pull over and have a roadtrip picnic. (It's by the beach!)

And while we eat, I'll show you how to be more spontaneous in your playing!



June 2021

Piano Players Coaching Schedule

Please print or screenshot
Each class is on Tuesday unless noted



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May 1 at 7:55 AM · 🌐

Hello! Can we learn about improvising using the circle of 5ths?



You and 3 others

2 Comments Seen by 26

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**Tuesday
(Pre-Recorded):
Spontaneous Like A
Summer Roadtrip**



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**Tuesday at 10am:
Picking Songs Out
by Ear
Live Q & A**

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**Tuesday at 10am:
Submit The Songs
You Need Help
Picking Out**

22

**Tuesday at 10am:
1 Minute
Video
Assesments**



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**Tuesday at 10am:
(Bonus Class)
What You're
Struggling With
Live Q & A**

What You Should be Working on in June

DOER

Learn this
month's song

RISK-TAKER

Pick out a song by ear
using the Map of Chords

ACHIEVER

Memorize the Map of
Chords and find it in songs
you already play.

Learn all new chord in this song.



**Not sure where to start?
TAKE THE PLACEMENT QUIZ**

The Map Of Chords

Also, known as the Circle of 4ths

1 - 4 - 7 - 3 - 6 - 2 - 5 - 1

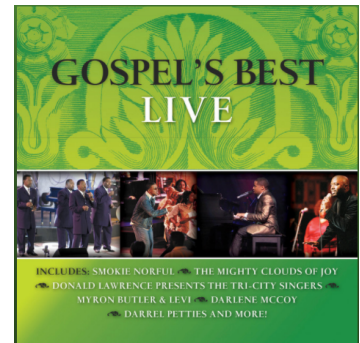
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| Ab | Db | G | C | F | Bb | Eb | Ab |
| B | E | A# | D# | G# | C# | F# | B |
| Bb | Eb | A | D | G | C | F | Bb |
| C | F | B | E | A | D | G | C |
| D | G | C# | F# | B | E | A | D |
| Db | Gb | C | F | Bb | Eb | Ab | Db |
| E | A | D# | G# | C# | F# | B | E |
| Eb | Ab | D | G | C | F | Bb | Eb |
| F | Bb | E | A | D | G | C | F |
| G | C | F# | B | E | A | D | G |
| Gb | Cb | F | Bb | Eb | Ab | Db | Gb |

CENTER OF MY JOY

Please watch the lesson video to learn how to add chords to this song

Verse 1:

1
When I've lost my direction
4 5/4 3
You're the compass for my way
6
You're the fire and light when
Nights are long and cold
1
In the sadness You are the laughter
4 5/4 3
That shatters all my fears
6m
When I'm all alone
Your hand is there to hold



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Chorus:

1 3
Jesus You're the center of my joy

4 5/4
All that's good and perfect

5
Comes from You

1
You're the heart of my contentment

2o7
Hope for all I do

1
You're the center of my joy

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Verse 2:

1 **3**
You are why I find pleasure
4 **5/4** **3**
In the simple things in life
_____ **6** _____
You're the music in the meadows and the streams
1 **3**
The voices of my children
4 **5/4** **3**
My family and my home
_____ **6** _____
You're the source and finish
_____ _____
Of my highest dreams

Repeat:

1/5 _____
Jesus
_____ **6** _____
You are the center of my joy

Ending:

_____ _____ **1**
Jesus You're the center of my joy