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# L.I.F.E. Style

May 2012

## Safety Is No Accident Toms River, New Jersey

A very informative fire safety presentation was enjoyed recently by the L.I.F.E. Chapter **Jersey Shore**, sponsored by **Royal Music** of Toms River, New Jersey. Toms River Fireman, Eugene Enfield, shared slides and offered valuable information regarding what do in case of fire, the anatomy of a fire, home safety measures, and most importantly fire prevention.

After the presentation the group gathered for lunch at Lisa's, a wonderful restaurant located next door to Royal Music.



Eugene Enfield,  
Fireman

The Jersey  
Shore L.I.F.E.  
members



Lunch at Lisa's



## Don't Fence Us In Las Vegas, Nevada

The L.I.F.E. Chapter **C-Notes for L.I.F.E.**, located in Las Vegas, Nevada, participated in the 2012 "Don't Fence Us In" event. The event is a fine arts show held annually at the Desert Vista Recreation Center in the Sun City, Summerlin, NV on March 31st and April 1st. A Lowrey Virtual Orchestra was provided by chapter sponsors Brian and Richelle Kirby, owners of **Kirby Music**. Jerry Hammant, President of the C-Note L.I.F.E. Chapter, along with chapter Secretary Barbara Harris, Ken Marshall and Sandi McCracken performed for the Sun City Art Club at the event.



Left to right - Jerry Hammant, Barbara Harris  
and Ken Marshall

Jack, the Jersey  
Shore 'Bench  
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always ready  
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# Baseball Season

by: Bil Curry

*Baseball season is here so call for the delivery truck and move your Lowrey down to the ballpark.*

Last year the St. Louis Cardinals won the series with Dwayne Hilton playing the Lowrey at Busch Stadium. Who knows, maybe this year the Cubs will bring home the pennant if we all play this song during the 7th inning stretch along with Gary Pressy, the Lowrey organist at Wrigley Field? And let's not forget that Dean Rosko plays a Lowrey up in Milwaukee at Miller Park. The Brewers have an excellent chance this year and Dean could make Lowrey part of yet another World Series celebration. Be they Cubs, Cards, Brewers or your favorite team, give them a boost with this easy version of "Take Me Out to the Ballgame,"

1. To hit a home run with your listeners, press **General Preset #3, AOC, and Easy**.
2. At the end of the 3rd line, hold the long "G" note with your "pinky" finger and use your thumb, index, & thumb again to play the "stems down" notes.
3. Don't forget to slide down and back up the keys at the glissando markings.
4. Play the last note of the song loud and then quickly pull back the volume pedal. Slowly crescendo up to about 1/2 volume and then just before you release the melody note (and press the Easy button to silence the chord), quickly press that volume pedal to full volume.

When you press the **Easy** button, the **MCS** (Music Chord System) will automatically come on. With **MCS** on, you can play the following chords as follows:

Chord Name in the song	Lowrey MCS Chord Formula	Conventional Chord Formula
Gdim	G + D $\flat$	G, B $\flat$ , D $\flat$ , E
E7	E + D	E, G#, B, D (in any order)
A7	A + G	A, C#, E, G (in any order)
F#dim	F# + C	F#, A, C, D#
D9	F# + C + E	D, F#, A, C, E (in any order)
D $\flat$ 9	F + B + E $\flat$ (instead of G7 on the last line)	B $\flat$ , F, A $\flat$ , C, E $\flat$ (in any order)
Fm	F + A $\flat$	F, A $\flat$ , C (in any order)
C6	C+E+G+A (or just plain "C" is good too)	C, E, G, A

## TAKE ME OUT TO THE BALLGAME

LYRICS BY JACK NORROETH  
MUSIC BY ALBERT VON TZEZ