Software/Digital Files Song Sources

Here we have listed some resources of note that contain Software/Digital Files. These are things that one purchases and then uses with a computer. These items typically contain compilations of more than 50 song titles in their respective contents. Most of these products feature PDF formatted sheet music, chord charts or lead sheets and some also include audio samples of the songs. Be sure to review them for details so you know what to expect. These are all chosen based on their application as extensive libraries of the representative songs, and provide the resource in the software or digital file format.

X.0: The Digital Hymnal for the Modern Worship Generation (DVD-ROM/Book/CD)



DVD-ROM of piano/vocal/guitar, lead sheet, and chord chart PDFs with accompanying four-color retrospective book and audio CD. Published by the folks at Worship Together.

Contained within the high-quality packaging of X.0 is a complete overview of the entire Worship Together catalog, numbering over 700 songs. Opening the textured thick-stock box reveals a full-color collector's book filled with information, photos, and interviews about some of the biggest worship songs around today; a companion CD is included containing original master recordings of all the songs discussed. Inset behind the book is a *DVD-ROM containing a whopping 719 songs from the past ten years* of Worship Together, in piano/vocal/guitar, lead sheet, and chord chart format. These PDFs are tied together by a slick, searchable, cross-indexed interface that includes all the information you could want, including theme, tempo, key, scripture reference, writers, and more. The product is available online at:

URL: http://amzn.to/fZDBeS
Review: **SM26**

The Praise and Worship Song Book (CD-ROM Edition)



For each song in the contents, this lead-sheet style songbook includes the printed written lyrics, a simple round-note melody line on a single treble staff line, and the guitar chord letter names, all in viewable/printable PDF file format on a disk. This fake book CD-ROM *includes over 600 worship songs* in the contents. This product is perhaps the largest digital collection of songs on a product that does not require a specialized software or viewer. Any free PDF viewer (installed on almost every computer and mobile device these days) will let you browse the immense library of this resource. If you simply need the "one" resource for the last 30 years of great praise and worship songs and you want it in lead sheet format – this product is your ticket. It does not miss any popular song dated 2001 or earlier.

Here is an example of an online vendor that has it for sale:

URL: http://amzn.to/fXENPb
Review: **SM27**

iWorship Digital Sheet Music Library A-N



This CD-ROM Songbook disk includes printable sheet music, printable chord charts, and printable lyrics sheets for all 98 songs found in the iWorship series DVDs and CDs. It can be purchased from the publisher web page. Integrity Music has published a few dozen CD-ROM digital songbooks with printable charts and sheet music; most are album project songbooks but a few are larger compilations of songs. These CD-ROM songbooks from Integrity Music can be a little hard to find on the publisher web site; they do not seem to have a dedicated section for these items so one is relegated to sifting through all the songbooks of any format they've released. Because of that, the best thing to do is simply purchase the single volume *iWorship Digital Sheet Music Library (A-N)*.

If you love the iWorship series (and who doesn't?), this is *the complete collection of the sheet music* for that series.

The shortened URL below brings you right to the iWorship product page.

URL: http://bit.ly/ieBJEW
Review: **SM28**

Worship Together Platinum Series



Worship Together released 3 "Platinum Collection" songbooks that have a CD-ROM component. Each contains over 120 songs in their respective contents, and each includes printable sheet music, chord charts, and lyric sheets. The first two in the series are out of print, but the *Worship Together Songbook 5.0 & 6.0 Collection BK/CD* Digital Songbook is still available.

URL: http://amzn.to/g2I8Bg
Review: **SM29**

The Paul Baloche Digital Sheet Music Library CD-ROM Songbook



This CD-ROM disk includes printable sheet music, printable chord charts, and printable lyrics sheets for 75 songs written by popular worship leader Paul Baloche. Here is a web page from one online vender where it is for sale at a discount price:

URL: http://bit.ly/fZSPrw
Review: **SM30**

Christian Virtual Hymnal



This is a software application that contains *over 3500 public domain hymns* in the contents. For each song in the database contents, this software allows users to transpose to any key. Users can also reorder and/or delete any verses, and users can choose to display SATB, lead sheets, or chord charts with chord names and fret diagrams. Screenshots, sample printouts, a list of song titles, pricing, and more can be found at the publisher web site at the following web page URL:

URL: http://www.musicease.com/cvhymnal.html
Review: **SM31**

SOFTPraise Deluxe 3 Worship Software



Softpraise is a companion tool corresponding to the popular *Songs of Faith & Praise Hymnal*. Included in the database, the software contains all the 870+ songs from the *Songs of Faith and Praise Hymnal*. Please note that users are not able to import songs or edit existing songs, and this program does not print sheet music. It does not even print chords; it only allows users to print out the song lyrics. When used with a digital projection system, this software allows users to project the song with the SATB notes on staff lines (conventional round notes or shaped-notes). Screenshots, sample printouts, a list of song titles, pricing, and more can be found at the publisher's web site. This might not be for sale online; instead we have recently heard from users that had to place an order via telephone. This is a unique product with no competition. No other projection software exists that will display staffed notation for congregational use. However, due to the numerous limitations and difficulty purchasing, this resource only got 3 stars. Here is the company URL:

URL: http://www.softpraise.com
Review: **SM32**

Telephone number: (800) 995-2802