



**Worship Team Training Podcast  
With Branon Dempsey**  
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**July 29, 2009 Podcast  
Show Notes & Episode #4 Toby Baxley**

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**WTT GREETING:**  
Hello Worship Teams!

**We're back!!! It's another episode for the July 29, 2009**

At Worship Team Training we are here to serve local worship teams just like you to help inspire, create and transform the leading of worship.

**Special Thanks** to Our Announcer JP Spees and our Theme Music by Toby Baxley and to our sponsors: PraiseCharts, Sibelius and G3 Music Publishing.

**Most Importantly:** Our thanks goes to you: the worship team member, leader, pastor and follower of Christ, as you serve in His call for the sake of the Gospel.

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**This Month's Podcast Episode Includes:**

**Worship Team Training**

**News**

**Tech Shop**

**Music Lesson**

**Devotional**

**Worship Team Training Featured Guest Interview: Toby Baxley & Featured Songs**

We are glad that you subscribed to this Podcast and we can't wait any longer to continue with our show.

Now it's time to see what's-up in the News!



## **WTT NEWS:**

<http://www.worshipteamtraining.com/News.html>

First of all - Thank you WTT friends and fans! We've had quite a break for the spring/summer of 2009. Lot's of traveling, serving at a new church, project planning and song recording have kept us busy. Thank you for hanging in there and your patience for the production of this Ep.4 of the WTT Podcast.

We have a great line up for you on this episode and more episodes already recorded and on the way! Watch out for the next several weeks as we unleash more interviews, music lessons, tech shop and news features. Speaking of - let's snap to it.

### **1. Workshop Express is Ready For You!**

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\*Must have Host Church in your area before Individual Registrations.

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SamePage Mobile FREE for Churches Hosting Worship Team Training Events. Sign-up today as a Host Church and receive a free software communication and planning tool "SamePage Mobile" (\$389 value) Visit the Events Page to learn more.

### **2. GroveFilms & The CreativEdge Artist Network:**

<http://www.worshipteamtraining.com/News.html>

<http://thegrovecenter.ning.com>

WTT is joining GroveFilms on their online ministry site - The CreativEdge Artist Network. We already have our page up and running. Visit the WTT Page and join the CreativEdge Artist Network to interact with other worship leaders, churches and artists. Download the Free Video of the month! <http://www.grovefilms.com/freefilm.php>

### **3. Jennie Riddle and Dennis Jernigan**

<http://www.worshipteamtraining.com/News.html>

#### **Jennie Riddle (FREE Download)**

[http://www.worshipteamtraining.com/downloads/01\\_Let\\_Your\\_Kingdom\\_Come.mp3](http://www.worshipteamtraining.com/downloads/01_Let_Your_Kingdom_Come.mp3)

<http://www.worshipteamtraining.com/Content.html>

From the author of "Revelation Song", Jennie Riddle is giving you a gift from her new compilation album. If you missed this past July's download, we will have another this late summer.

You have another week to download the FREE Mp3 of Let Your Kingdom Come + get the Music Chart to share with your worship team and congregation. Read Jennie's bio, song story and meet the vocalist Crystal Yates featured on Let Your Kingdom Come.

#### **Dennis Jernigan (Live Video Stream)**

<http://www.worshipteamtraining.com/VideoFeatures.html>

WTT is happy to sponsor Worship Streaming Videos and Episodes of Worship From the Living Room With Dennis Jernigan. Visit the Video Features Page and join Dennis for an evening of worship Live! Login and and join the live chat, win prizes, worship, and receive ministry right here on Worship Team Training.com.

#### **Glory Revealed II**

<http://www.gloryrevealed.com/>

"Glory Revealed II: The Word of God in Worship," the follow up to the 2007's scripture infused "Glory Revealed." Forged from a creative vision shared by Powell, frontman for Grammy winning rock band Third Day, and acclaimed author/speaker David Nasser, the first "Glory Revealed" won two Dove Awards, spawned the No. 1 song "By His Wounds," and most importantly, had people around the world singing scripture. Visit the Glory Revealed Site.

#### **Archived News, Podcast and Word Of The Day (Quotes) Items**

<http://www.worshipteamtraining.com/ArchivedNews.html>

<http://www.worshipteamtraining.com/ArchivedQuotes.html>

Looking for that missed WTT news item or podcast news link? Find it here as we keep all the sweet stuff you're looking for. Visit Archived News.

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## **WORSHIP TEAM TRAINING TECH SHOP**

<http://www.praisecharts.com/live/articles/476/1/100-New-Music-Gear-For-The-New-Year/Page1.html>

### **Tech Shop Items brought to you by our friends at Sweetwater.com**

#### **1. Ernie Ball PowerPeg:**

<http://www.sweetwater.com/store/detail/EBPowerPeg>

The Ernie Ball PowerPeg motorized pegwinder makes restringing your guitar quick and easy! According to Ernie Ball, the compact, battery-powered PowerPeg lets you change strings up to 70 % faster than you can with conventional manual peg winders. This handy unit uses a universal peg winder head made to fit practically all guitars and basses. Small enough to fit unobtrusively into your gig bag, this easy-to-use winder is one of those essentials that will make you wonder how you ever got along without it.

#### **2. Ultimate Support LIVE-SB:**

<http://www.sweetwater.com/store/detail/LiveSB>

The Ultimate Support LIVE-ST weighted-base mic stand is a real plus for performers! The LIVE-ST stand features Ultimate Support's Ergo one-handed clutch operation, which gives performers the ability to make quick height adjustments on the fly. The die-cast weighted base gives you plenty of stability with a smaller footprint than folding stands provide (very handy for crowded stages). Whether you're using it onstage, in the studio, or in the rehearsal room, you'll appreciate the dependable and convenient performance you get from the LIVE-ST mic stand!

#### **3. Percussion Tools:**

[http://www.lpmusic.com/Product\\_Showcase/Whats\\_New/new\\_lp\\_shakers.html](http://www.lpmusic.com/Product_Showcase/Whats_New/new_lp_shakers.html)

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a little lighter, while you're shaking it. The tones shift and smiles erupt. Out tumbles a range of tones shifting from tight to loose according to the unique touch of the player.

### **Blue Microphones Mikey**

<http://www.sweetwater.com/store/detail/Mikey/>

#### **Instant Recording and Playback from Your iPod!**

Blue's Mikey simplifies iPod recording - just attach this superb stereo condenser microphone to the base of your iPod and point it at the source! A convenient solution for recording your live shows, band rehearsals, interviews, lectures, or even just making notes to yourself while you're on the go, Mikey offers three gain settings, an easily positionable head, and a built-in speaker for instant playback. And, because there's no software installation necessary, you're immediately prepared to record up to 1.5 hours with just your iPod and Blue's Mikey.

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### **Worship Team Training Music Lesson Branon Dempsey**

#### **Classical Pianist In A Worship Band - Part 2 Series**

[http://www.worshipteamtraining.com/downloads/Piano\\_Studies\\_Pt2.pdf](http://www.worshipteamtraining.com/downloads/Piano_Studies_Pt2.pdf)

#### **Purchase the Full Arrangement: "Here I Am To Worship"**

<http://www.praisecharts.com/1736>

On the Next Podcast Episodes (5 & 6):

#### **Classical Pianist In A Worship Band.**

Part III Adding Basic Guitar. Part IV. Adding Drums and Bass to the Mix.

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## **WTT DEVOTIONAL**

### **The Way of The Worshiper**

Reading Sections from "The Way of The Worshiper" by Buddy Owens.

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### **The Gateway To Worship**

- How do you become a worshiper? It begins by saying two words: "Thank You."
  - Giving thanks is a way for us to declare the glory of God.
  - God's actions are demonstrations of His character.
  - Am I thankful?
  - The resentful heart cannot say thank you.
  - Learn to say thank you - even in the hard times is what it means to be a worshiper.
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## WTT FEATURE GUEST INTERVIEW



### "Songwriting for Worship" by Toby Baxley Toby Baxley - Worship Leader and Artist of PraiseCharts

- Songwriting Inspirations
- The Art of Co-writing songs
- Toby and Branon share their co-written songs on this Podcast
- Toby talks about the importance of picking the right keys for congregations

#### Toby's Notes:

- I. **Peaks and valleys**
  - a. How high is too high?
    - i. Rules of thumb - E
  - b. Average pitch – Tessitura
    - i. Rules can be broken – not too often

#### Toby Baxley Songs on PraiseCharts

<http://www.praisecharts.com/artist/Toby+Baxley>

<http://www.praisecharts.com/4996>

<http://www.praisecharts.com/5218>

<http://www.praisecharts.com/5219>

<http://www.praisecharts.com/4702>

<http://www.praisecharts.com/9037>

#### Songwriting Inspirations

The Art of Co-writing songs: Toby and Branon share their co-written songs.

## **Toby and Branon's Song Writing:**

### **Song 1: Delight**

Words and Music by Branon Dempsey and Toby Baxley

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Free Download of Delight (Mp3): [www.worshipteamtraining.com/downloads/Delight.mp3](http://www.worshipteamtraining.com/downloads/Delight.mp3)

Music Chart: [www.worshipteamtraining.com/downloads/Delight\\_chart.pdf](http://www.worshipteamtraining.com/downloads/Delight_chart.pdf)

### **Song 2: Wonderful**

Words and Music by Branon Dempsey and Toby Baxley

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Full preview of song and purchase to download coming soon (TBA)!

## **Toby talks about the importance of picking the right keys for congregations**

### **II. Priorities**

- a. Congregation's voice is most important
  - i. Worship leader is not a rock star,
    - 1. but a servant
  - ii. Worship is not a rock concert
    - 1. must serve lyric/congregation's need
- b. Other considerations
  - i. Progression of keys
    - 1. playing four songs in a row in the same key does not equal "flow"
    - 2. try to stay away from awkward intervals
    - 3. keep timbre in mind when choosing keys
      - a. "flat" keys seem to have dull overtones
        - i. Why? – I really don't know.
      - b. "sharp" keys seem to have a brighter timbre
        - i. See item II/b/2/a/i.



**ON THE NEXT PODCAST:**

Derek Williams is back with more to say!

- **The Pastor / Worship Leader Relationship (\*Most Anticipated Discussion).**

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