

Worship Team Expedition



Listening Exercise

On the instrument that you focus on (voice, guitar, drums, keyboard, etc.) pay attention to the following things. Play the song over and over until you get a sense of what's happening in these areas:

•**Tone**– what kind of sound(s) are they making? Some instruments can make a lot of different kinds of sounds. Others may have one main sound. What do you notice about the particular sound they recorded? How do those sounds change from moment to moment (verse to chorus to bridge, etc.)?

•**Rhythm**– what kinds of rhythms or repeating patterns do they play or sing? Do they sustain (hold notes out) for a long or short time? Are there breaks between the notes? Do they sing/play many or few notes? How do those rhythms change from moment to moment?

•**Dynamic**- how loud or soft do they play? Is it intense or peaceful?

•**Register**– do they play low, in the middle, or up high in pitch? How does the register change from moment to moment?

Notes To Self

I listened mainly to the _____ track(s).

Here's what they did (the main tone, rhythm, dynamic and register choices they made):

Moment 1

Moment 2

Moment 3

I also listened to the _____ track. Here's what that musician did:

Moment 1

Moment 2

Moment 3