

Happy  
New Year

L.I.F.E.  
Style

January 2015

## Keys of L.I.F.E. Supports Berks County Food Bank

The Keys of LIFE chapter, sponsored by Keyboard World of Reading, PA. has experienced a very busy 2014.

“The culmination of our year is our annual fund raiser. This year, as in the previous years, our efforts were focused in support of the Berks County Food Bank,” explains Keyboard World manager, Richard Loucks.

“Through a great deal of hard work and donations by our members, we were able to present to the Food Bank a donation of \$1,517.00!” Great job Keys of LIFE members!



l to r: Keys of L.I.F.E. Vice President Suellyn Mileschosky, Secretary Madeline Mullen, Doug Long - Berks County Food Bank, Chapter President Mike Mullen

## New Officers Elected at Dallas Metro L.I.F.E.

The annual election of officers was recently held at DMLC, hosted by Romeo Music. Congrats to all and have a great year!



l to r- Jan Nelson: Treasurer, Joyce Cochran: Sec., Lon McKinstry: VP, Joy Ericksen: Pres. Joyce Kaplan: Co-Reporter. Dennis Kaplan: Co-Reporter & Photographer.



## 360 Pairs of Shoes... and Counting!

Joyce and Jim O'Dell prepare to transport shoes to Wichita's H.O.P.E., Inc. The L.I.F.E. in Kansas MusicMakers from Garten's Music have contributed 360 pairs of shoes so far. The shoe drive, for new or used shoes, is ongoing.

# Punxsutawny Phil

Bil Curry is on vacation. This is a re-print from February 2013. Enjoy!



Here's something we've never done before, print an original song for Groundhog Day. "Punxsutawny Phil" is written by a former Lowrey Store Manager and Class Leader, Michael Huseman. A Grammy award-winning composer, Michael has written music and lyrics in a variety of musical styles, including several New York City cabaret shows and musicals. As the organist, pianist, and resident composer at Signal Crest United Methodist Church, he has composed many beautiful anthems for their choirs and a great number of Christian children's songs. Michael is a member of ASCAP and the National Association of Popular Music. *You can find out more about Michael and his compositions by visiting his website at: [www.michaelhuseman.com](http://www.michaelhuseman.com)*

**Setup:** Select any Polka and Rhythm Preset. To find the Tempo that's best for you, play a No Chord (N.C. = 3 or more half-steps like B, C, C#, D) on the Lower Keyboard. Now play only the melody of the song as you adjust the Tempo. Ok, stop and play the song as written. At the "Bridge", you can set up presets that slow you down (*rit.*) or turn off the style and use just the Easy button. Get creative but go back to your original style and tempo at "A Tempo".

Remember to be nice or you might find yourself repeating Groundhog Day over and over...



## Punxsutawney Phil

Words & Music by:  
Michael Huseman

**Polka** **4/4 Intro**

Punx - su - taw - ney Phil, that's this here ground - hog's name.

Fore - cast - ing wea - ther is his claim to fame. He'll tell it straight he

rare - ly gets it wrong. That's why Punx - su - taw - ney Phil has his ver - ry own song.

On Feb - ru - ar - y se - cond, Phil comes out of the ground.

Stret - ches out his arms, and has a look a - round If there is no shad - ow, and

things are get - ting warm - er Give a cheer, 'cause

Spring's a - round the corn - er.

**Bridge**

If he sees his sha - dow we're in for a cold spell.

Break out your wool - ies 'cause it - ll be cold - er than well, you know that

**A tempo**

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is his claim to fame. He'll tell it straight he rare - ly gets it wrong. That's

why ves. Punx - su - taw - ney Phil, has his ver - ry own song! Go Phil!

**Press Ending**

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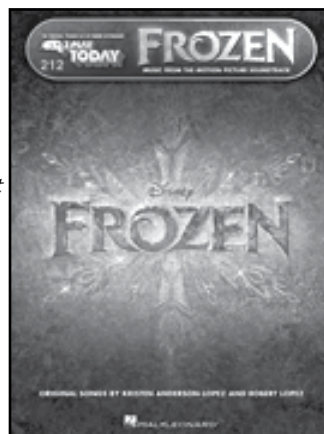
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