

MUSIC JOKES

(Someone forwarded these wonderful jokes to me, and I don't know who to attribute them to. Whoever compiled them, THANKS!)

What happens if you play country music backwards?

Your wife returns to you, your dog comes back to life, and you get out of prison.

There were two people walking down the street.

One was a musician. The other didn't have any money either.

What would a musician do if he won a million dollars?

Continue to play gigs until the money ran out.

A conductor and a violist are standing in the middle of the road. Which one do you run over first, and why?

The conductor. Business before pleasure.

Why are conductors' hearts so coveted for transplants?

They've had so little use.

What's the difference between a conductor and a sack of fertilizer?

The sack.

What do you have when a group of conductors are up to their necks in wet concrete?

Not enough concrete.

Did you hear about the planeload of conductors en route to the European Festival?

The good news: it crashed.

The bad news: there were three empty seats on board.

What's the difference between a symphony conductor and Dr. Scholl's footpads?

Dr. Scholl's footpads buck up the feet.

What's the difference between a pig and a symphony orchestra conductor?

There are some things a pig just isn't willing to do.

What's the difference between a bull and an orchestra?

The bull has the horns in the front and the butthole in the back.

What's the difference between God and a conductor?

God knows He's not a conductor.

What's the definition of an assistant conductor?

A mouse trying to become a rat.

What do you do with a horn player that can't play?

Give him two sticks, put him in the back, and call him a percussionist.

What do you do if he can't do that?

Take away one of the sticks, put him up front, and call him a conductor.

What's the difference between a puppy and a singer/songwriter?

Eventually the puppy stops whining.

How many sound men does it take to change a light bulb?

1. "One, two, three, one, two, three..."

2. "Hey man, I just do sound."

One. Upon finding no replacement, he takes the original apart, repairs it with a chewing gum wrapper and duct tape, changes the screw mount to bayonet mount, finds an appropriate patch cable, and reinstalls the bulb fifty feet from where it should have been, to the satisfaction of the rest of the band.

How many Deadheads does it take to change a lightbulb?

12,001. One to change it, 2,000 to record the event and take pictures of it, and 10,000 to follow it around until it burns out.

How many punk rock musicians does it take to change a light bulb?

Two: One to screw in the bulb and the other to smash the old one on his forehead.

Know how to make a million dollars singing jazz?

Start with two million.

How many jazz musicians does it take to change a light bulb?

None. Jazz musicians can't afford light bulbs.

"Don't worry about the changes. We'll fake it!"

Michael Caine goes up to Milton Berle during a party and asks, "What kind of cigar are you smoking there?"

"It's a Lawrence Welk." says Milton.

"What's a Lawrence Welk?" Michael asks.

Milton says "It's a piece of crap with a band wrapped around it."

How many country & western singers does it take to change a light bulb?
Three. One to change the bulb and two to sing about the old one.

What do you get when you play New Age music backwards?
New Age music.

What does it say on a blues singer's tombstone?
"I didn't wake up this morning..."

Why do bagpipe players walk while they play?
To get away from the noise.

If you drop an accordion, a set of bagpipes and a viola off a 20-story building,
which one lands first?
Who cares?

What's the difference between an Uzi and an accordion?
The Uzi stops after 20 rounds.

What do you call ten accordions at the bottom of the ocean?
A good start.

What's a bassoon good for?
Kindling for an accordion fire.

How many bass players does it take to change a lightbulb?
None. They let the keyboard player do it with his left hand.
Don't bother. Just leave it out no one will notice.
One, but the guitarist has to show him first.
Six: one to change it, and the other five to fight off the lead guitarists who are hogging the light.

What do a vacuum cleaner and an electric guitar have in common?
Both suck when you plug them in.

How do you get a guitar player to play softer?
Give him some sheet music.

What's the least used sentence in the English language?
"Isn't that the banjo player's Porsche?"

What do you say to a banjo player in a three-piece suit?
"Will the defendant please rise?"

How do you tell if a bass player is actually dead?

Hold out a check (but don't be fooled: a slight, residual spasmodic clutching action may occur even hours after death has occurred).

How many sopranos does it take to change a lightbulb?

One. She holds the bulb and the world revolves around her.

Two. One to hold the diet cola and the other to get her accompanist to do it.

Four. One to change the bulb and three to pull the chair out from under her.

What is the difference between a dead trombone player lying in the road, and a dead squirrel lying in the road?

The squirrel might have been on his way to a gig.

How can you tell which kid on a playground is the child of a trombonist?

He doesn't know how to use the slide, and he can't swing.

What is the difference between a French horn section and a '57 Chevy?

You can tune a '57 Chevy.

What do you get when you cross a French horn player and a goalpost?

A goalpost that can't march.

How many tuba players does it take to change a light bulb?

Three! One to hold the bulb and two to drink 'till the room spins.

How do you know when a drummer is knocking at your door?

The knock always slows down.

Why do bands have bass players?

To translate for the drummer.

Did you hear about the time the bass player locked his keys in the car?

It took two hours to get the drummer out.

How many drummers does it take to change a lightbulb?

"Why? Oh, wow! Is it like, dark, man?"

Only one, but he'll break ten bulbs before figuring out that they can't just be pushed in.

Two: one to hold the bulb, and one to turn his throne (but only after they figure out that you have to turn the bulb).

Twenty. One to hold the bulb, and nineteen to drink until the room spins.

None. They have a machine to do that.

How do you get two piccolos to play in unison?
Shoot one.

What's the difference between a saxophone and a lawn mower?
Lawn mowers sound better in small ensembles.
The neighbors are upset if you borrow a lawnmower and don't return it.
The grip.

What's the difference between trumpet players and government bonds?
Government bonds eventually mature and earn money.

Two musicians are walking down the street, and one says to the other, "Who was that piccolo I saw you with last night?"
The other replies, "That was no piccolo, that was my fife."