



## MUSIC OF THE 50s & 60s

BOREDOM BUSTER FOR 1:1 OR INDIVIDUAL ACTIVITIES

ACTIVITY DIRECTORS QUICK GUIDE

## Eversound Helps with Physical Distancing

Keep delivering engaging experiences to your residents with Eversound. Our long-range wireless listening systems designed specifically for seniors, and our dynamic content platform of live streamed and recorded events help residents stay engaged while keeping them safe.

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### Maplewood Senior Living

May 19 at 8:00 PM · 🌐

Just before Mother's Day, we ordered extra sets of headsets from [Eversound](#) for our communities. Eversound is one of our programmatic partners and we have found that their adaptability has been so useful during isolation. With the Ipads that had already been delivered residents were able to have engaging private conversations with their families or speak to family members through the window with use of their headphones. We continue to strive to keep our residents engaged and connected during isolation. .





## PLEASE READ

### How to Use this Activity Packet

**Step 1:** Print pages 4 – 27 to leave with residents. This can be done with or without step 2, however we highly recommend watching one of our demand recordings with a resident, before leaving this boredom buster with them.

\*Please review the craft activity (pg. 12) for your residents. The craft in this packet requires preparation. **CD Suncatchers Activity & Photos from BrightKidFun**

#### Activity Director Preparation:

- Use scissors to cut a line across the CD covering. Place duct tape over the cut. Rip off the tape and the covering will come with it. Repeat until transparent

#### Materials Needed for each kit

- 2 Transparent CDs
- Permanent Marker (optional)
- Paint (glass or acrylic)
- Paint brush
- 2 pieces of string
- Beads
- Glue

**Step 2:** Log into your [Eversound Member account](#) for access to on demand recordings. Recordings include a variety of topics including presentations from zoos, animal keepers, aquariums, museums and more.

Not a member of Eversound's Live Programming service yet? Sign up between now and July 31, 2020 and get 50% off your community's first two months of Live Programming monthly fees. [Learn more here.](#)

**Step 3:** Use this PDF guide on how to get set up with on demand recordings in your community, on your laptop, tablet or other multimedia device.

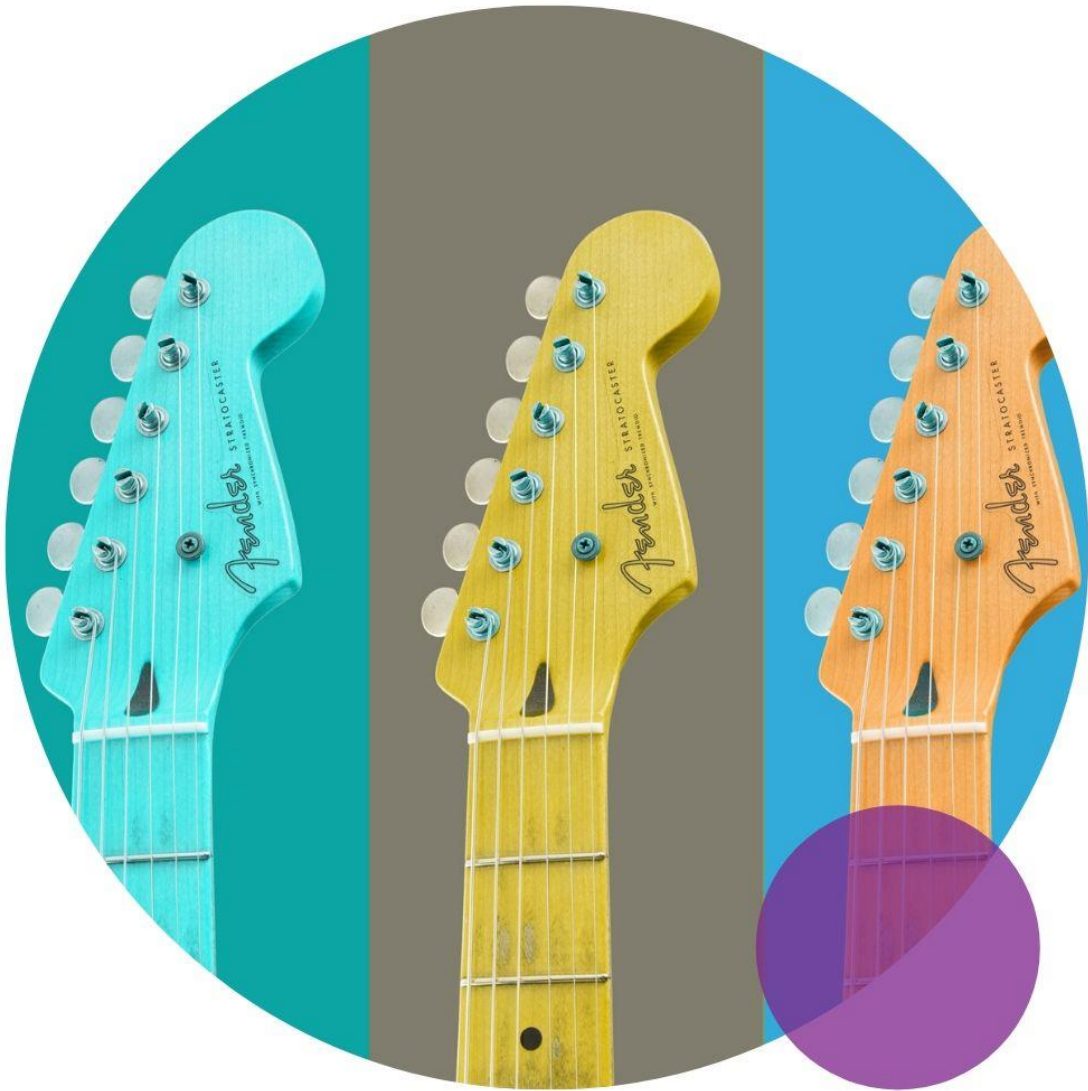
- [Getting Started with On Demand Recordings](#)

**Step 4:** Review a few of the available listings on the next page and work with your residents to see which presentations they would be interested in learning about! Note this is just a sample of our library, find the rest when registering!

### Recommended On Demand Recordings

Presenter	Topic	What Is It About?
River Music Experience	An Afternoon Of American Roots Music With Tony Hoepfner	Tony is a full time musician, playing Blues, Soul, Country and Rock and Roll. Tony has opened up for many acts during his career such as BB King, Robert Cray, Little Feat and more.
National Blues Museum	With A Banjo On My Knee	Join us as we trace the development and evolution of the banjo. From its origins in Western Africa to the current

		iteration we know today, the banjo has been essential in the development of American music, whether Blues, Jazz, Bluegrass, Folk, or Country and Western.
River Music Experience	An Afternoon Of American Roots Music With Bret Dale	Bret is the Director of Programming and Education at the River Music Experience in Davenport, Iowa, teaching the History of American Roots Music using the Mississippi River as a guide. Bret is also a full time musician playing with local and regional bands in the Midwest for the last 20 years.
River Music Experience	Musician And Songwriter Lewis Knudsen	Lewis Knudsen is a mixed-genre, multi-instrumentalist songwriter based in Rock Island, IL (Quad Cities).

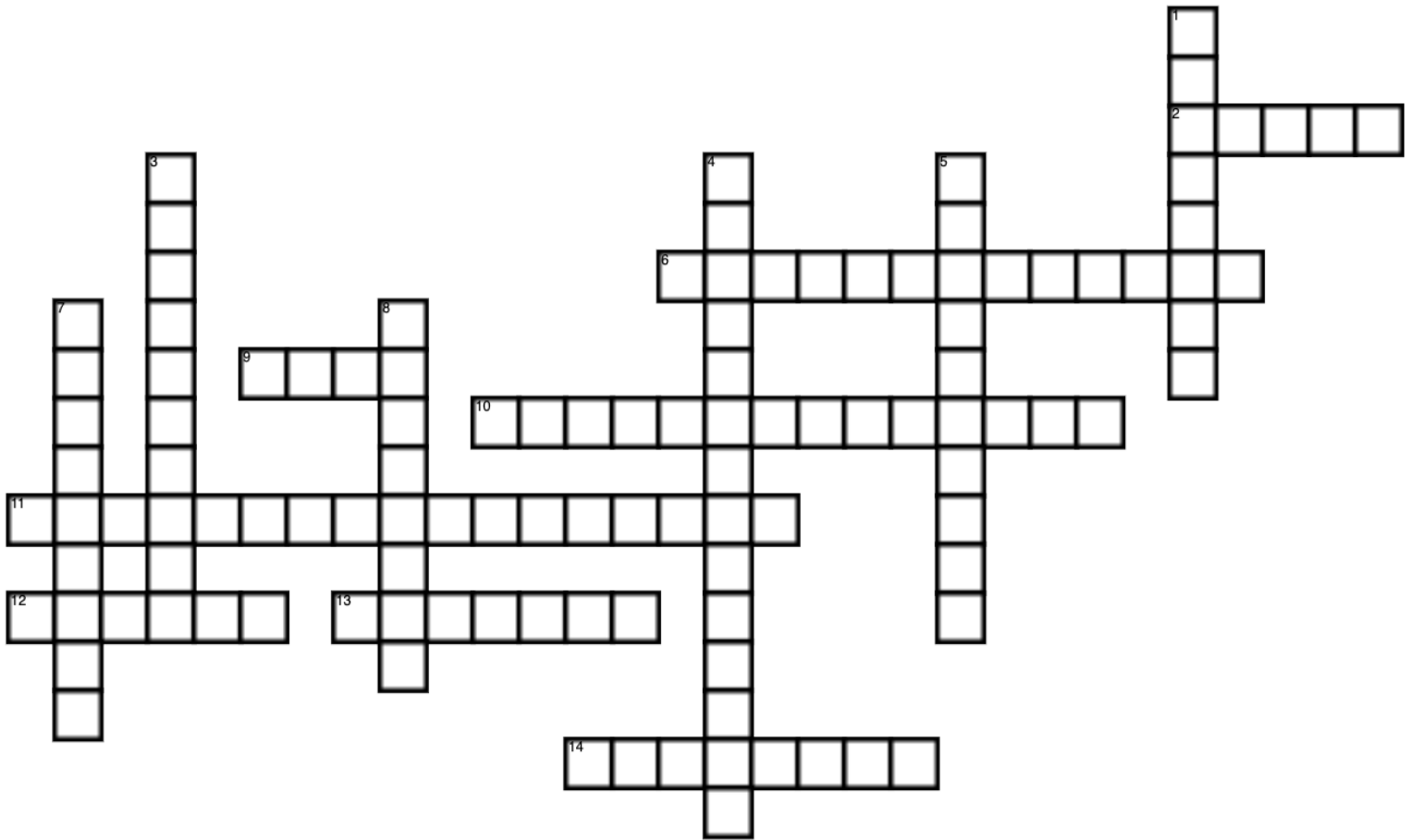


## MUSIC OF THE 50S & 60S!

*“The great thing about rock ‘n’ roll is that someone like me can be a star”*

—Elton John

## 50s & 60s Crossword – Answers page 25



### Across

- 2. He was 'all shook up'
- 6. Great Balls of Fire
- 9. All you need is this according to the Beatles
- 10. Famous 50s jazz trumpeter
- 11. Who couldn't wake up 'Little Susie'?
- 12. \_\_\_\_\_ Prison Blues by Johnny Cash
- 13. Musical slot machine
- 14. She said, "whatever will be, will be"

### Down

- 1. Popular dance; "it goes like this!"
- 3. 60s band with a Saturday morning show
- 4. R-E-S-P-E-C-T
- 5. Band name, a green reptile
- 7. Surfer band of the 60s
- 8. Buddy Holly's heart yearned for that gal

## Sudoku - Answers on page 26

How to play:

- Use Numbers 1-9 to fill empty boxes.
- Don't Repeat Any Numbers in any 3x3 square, row or column.
- Use Process of Elimination.

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## Daily Jumble – Types of Music

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A	Z	Z	J
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**Answers:** Swing, Rock and Roll, Doo-Wop, Blues, Jazz



## Remembering Your Favorite Concert

Who held the concert?

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Where was the concert?

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Who did you go with?

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Describe the concert!

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## 11 Fun Little Facts About Rock 'n' Roll

1. The term “rocking and rolling” originally described the movement of a ship on the ocean
2. Rock and roll was influenced by genres jazz, gospel, rhythm and blues, country, boogie woogie, and jump blues



3. The most popular song of the 1950's was Chubby Checker's "The Twist"

4. After a performance at the Grand Ole Opry, Elvis was told to “stick to driving a truck because you'll never make it at a singer”

5. Chuck Berry, nicknamed the “Father of Rock and Roll”, originally wanted to be a professional photographer so began performing music to pay for photography equipment

6. British rock gained popularity with the release of the Beatles “I Want to Hold Your Hand” in 1964

7. Many influential rock and roll artists addressed the Civil Rights Movement through their music, including Bob Dylan in “Blowin’ in the Wind”
8. The biggest selling rock band of all time is The Beatles
9. The term “heavy metal” first appeared in Steppenwolf’s “Born To Be Wild” in 1968
10. Jimi Hendrix dropped out of high school to enlist in the Army in 1959, where he served for a year with the 101st Airborne Division before being medically discharged for a broken ankle during an airborne jump



## Music Favorites

Favorite songs as a teenager.

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Favorite songs when you were in your 20s.

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First album you ever purchased.

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Favorite genre(s) of music.

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Favorite songs to this day.

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Favorite artists of all time.

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## Trivia!

*How much do you know?*

1. Which famous rock and roll artist was known to his fans as "The King"?
  - a. Elvis Presley
  - b. Johnny Cash
  - c. Stevie Wonder

- d. James Brown
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- 2. Which of these '60s bands sang "California Dreamin'"?
    - a. The Who
    - b. The Rolling Stones
    - c. The Mamas and the Papas
    - d. The Beatles
  
  - 3. Who was the lead singer for the Doors in the 1960s?
    - a. Bob Dylan
    - b. Jim Morrison
    - c. Jimi Hendrix
    - d. Simon Oakland
  
  - 4. Who is the drummer of the Beatles?
    - a. Dave Grohl
    - b. Phill Collins
    - c. Paul McCartney
    - d. Ringo Starr**
  
  - 5. Which song gave Elvis Presley his first US No.1 of the 60's?
    - a. Stuck on You
    - b. Can't Help Falling in Love
    - c. Blue Suede Shoes
    - d. That's When Your Heartaches Begin
  
  - 6. Which song gave The Beatles their first US No.1 hit?
    - a. Ticket To Ride
    - b. A Hard Day's Night
    - c. I Want to Hold Your Hand
    - d. Love me Do
  
  - 7. Which film featured the Simon & Garfunkel 1968 No.1 hit "Mrs. Robinson"?
    - a. Planet of the Apes



- b. The Graduate
- c. The Odd Couple
- d. 2001: A Space Odyssey

8. Which British group became the first to top the US singles charts?

- a. The Beatles
- b. The Rolling Stones
- c. The Tornados
- d. The Who

9. On which Grammy Award-winning No.1 album would you find the song "I Feel Pretty"?
- a. Hello, Dolly
  - b. West Side Story
  - c. Bye Bye Birdie
  - d. Bells Are Ringing
10. Who originally recorded 1969 UK No.1 hit "Something in the Air"?
- a. Tom Petty
  - b. The Dixie Chicks
  - c. Thunderclap Newman
  - d. The Mandrake Memorial

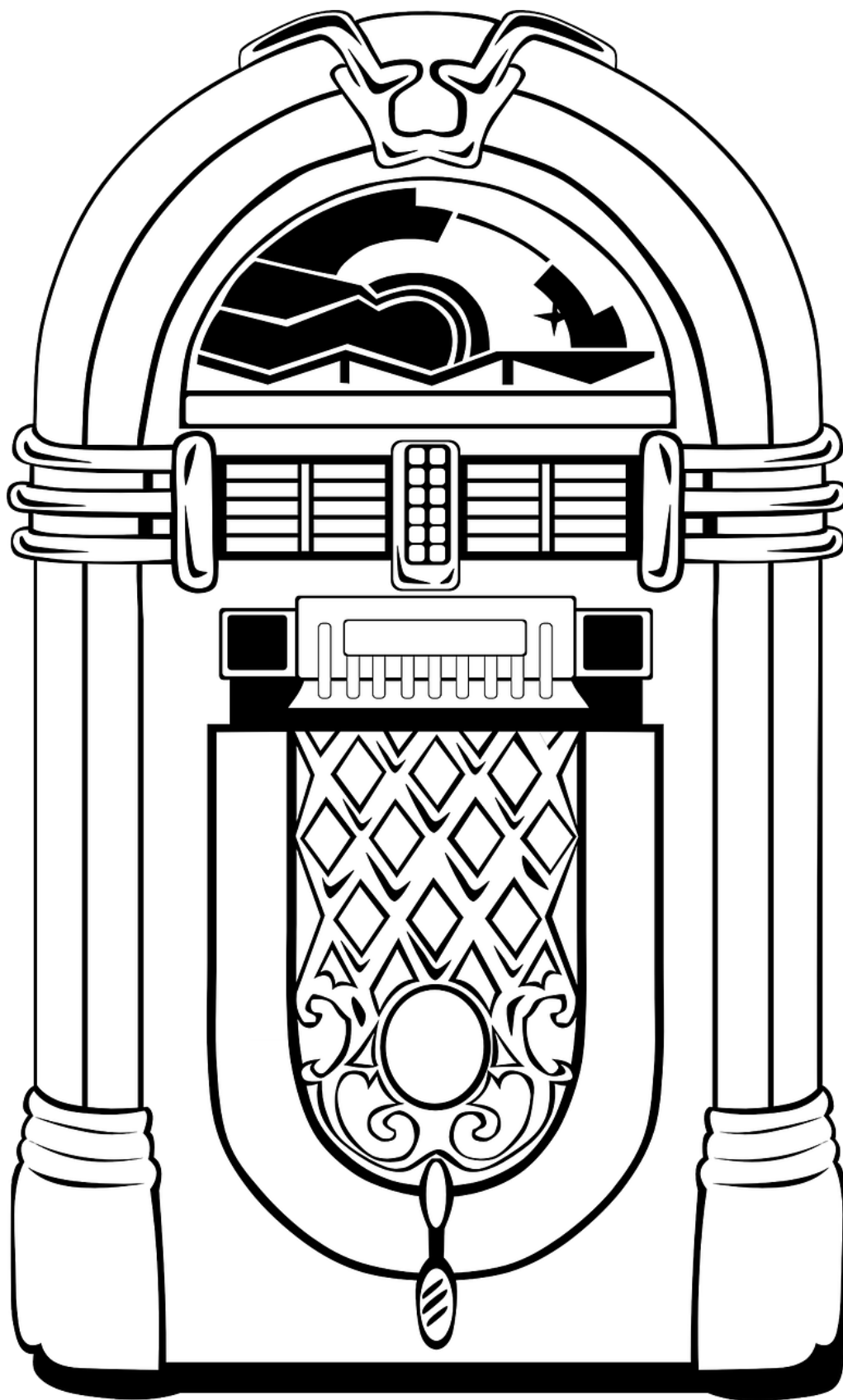
*Answers: 1. A / 2. C / 3. B / 4. D / 5. A / 6. C / 7. B / 8. C / 9. B / 10. C*

## CD Suncatchers!

- 1) Using your permanent marker, draw a design on the CD
- 2) Option to just start painting!
- 3) Paint anything you want and let dry completely
- 4) Once dry, glue one piece of string, both ends, to the top and back of one cd so it creates a loop
- 5) Glue the other string to the back and bottom of that cd and the back of the 2nd cd to connect them
- 6) Attach beads as desired
- 7) Hang near a window to capture the summer light!



## Coloring for Mindfulness



## Match the Album to the Musician!

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|-----------------------------|------------------------------|
| 1. _____ Ray Charles        | A. Blonde on Blonde          |
| 2. _____ The Beatles        | B. My Generation             |
| 3. _____ Buddy Holly        | C. Hallelujah I Love Her So! |
| 4. _____ The Who            | D. That'll Be The Day        |
| 5. _____ Ella Fitzgerald    | E. But Not For Me            |
| 6. _____ The Beach Boys     | F. Abbey Road                |
| 7. _____ Bob Dylan          | G. In The Wee Small Hours    |
| 8. _____ Frank Sinatra      | H. Aftermath                 |
| 9. _____ The Rolling Stones | I. Surfer Girl               |

**Answers: 1. C / 2. F / 3. D / 4. B / 5. E / 6. I / 7. A / 8. G / 9. H**



## Wildman Johnny Cash

The Wildman in Black, the man who has no shortage of real-life experiences, Johnny Cash lived a life of authenticity. From drug abuse to combat with flightless birds, His stories and experiences are raw and unadulterated, and, alongside his music, have made him a legend. Although the Man in Black passed nearly 15 years ago, his enduring presence is alive through his song and some of these incredible and wild true stories.

### Johnny & Stalin

While stationed in Landsberg, Germany, Cash was an incredibly gifted Morse code operator and was the Air Force's go-to guy for deciphering messages from the Soviet Union. On March 5<sup>th</sup>, 1953 Cash intercepted a coded message from the Soviet Union that stated Stalin had passed away. While controversial, most skeptics have agreed that Cash was able to accurately copy the message down, and, in a way, was the first to "hear" the news even if he was not the one to decipher the message since he did not speak Russian.



### Johnny & The Wildfire

Cash struggled with drug abuse and spent much of the 60's high out of his mind. Despite the many predicaments he got himself into, he always seemed to come out unscathed. At least this was true until 1965 when his famous camper, "Jesse James", caught fire in the Los Padres National Forest. The fire caused damage to hundreds of acres of farmland and endangered local condors. Cash's nephew, who was with him at the time,

believes Cash started a small fire and because he was high, forgot to put it out. Cash has asserted it was caused by a spark from the exhaust. Either way, Cash ended up paying \$80,000 in fines and in a statement to the court said, “I don’t care about your damn yellow buzzards”.

### **Johnny vs. The Ostrich**

Who doesn’t have a pet Ostrich or two? This infamous tango between Cash and one of his ostriches occurred in the winter of 1981 on Cash’s farm. Cash was herding the birds into a barn to protect them from the horrible winter that year. One of his male birds did not take kindly to Cash’s authoritative attitude. Armed with a stick, Cash tried to coral the ostrich. Cash writes in his autobiography,

*“When I came back I was carrying a good stout six-foot stick, and I was prepared to use it. And sure enough, there he was on the trail in front of me, doing his thing. When he started moving toward me I went on the offensive, taking a good hard swipe at him. I missed. He wasn’t there. He was in the air, and a split second later he was on his way down again, with that big toe of his, larger than my size-thirteen shoe, extended toward my stomach. He made contact—I’m sure there was never any question he wouldn’t—and frankly, I got off lightly. All he did was break my two lower ribs and rip my stomach open down to my belt, if the belt hadn’t been good and strong, with a solid belt buckle, he’d have spilled my guts exactly the way he meant to.”*

### **Johnny Breaks Down The Wall**

Recounted by Johnny Western, the guitarist shares the time he found himself staying in a motel with Cash and Carl Perkins. Instead of leaving his room to visit with Perkins, Cash smashed down the wall between the two rooms with a metal chair so that they could walk between rooms without having to go outside.

## **Johnny's Not-So-Lovely Affair with Cars**

Some might say the amount of car accidents Cash has survived is improbable. A few noteworthy incidents, almost all done under the influence, include the time he crashed June Carter's car after being fired from the Oprey and another time when he drove his tractor into a lake on his property. Not to mention the 'Jesse James' wildfire or the time he backed a tour bus into a swimming pool. To sum it all up, Cash lost his friend Johnny Western's car on a multi-day pill binge. It was never found.

### Categories

Name an item that fits in each category and starts with the corresponding letter! For example, for "Genre" for "K" an answer could be "K-Pop"

	<b>R</b>	<b>O</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>K</b>
Music Genre				
Musical Instrument (Brands allowed)				
Musician				
Album Name				
Concert Venue (Name or place)				
Something you'd do at a concert				



## Crossword

E	C	F	A	T	S	D	O	M	I	N	O	S	S
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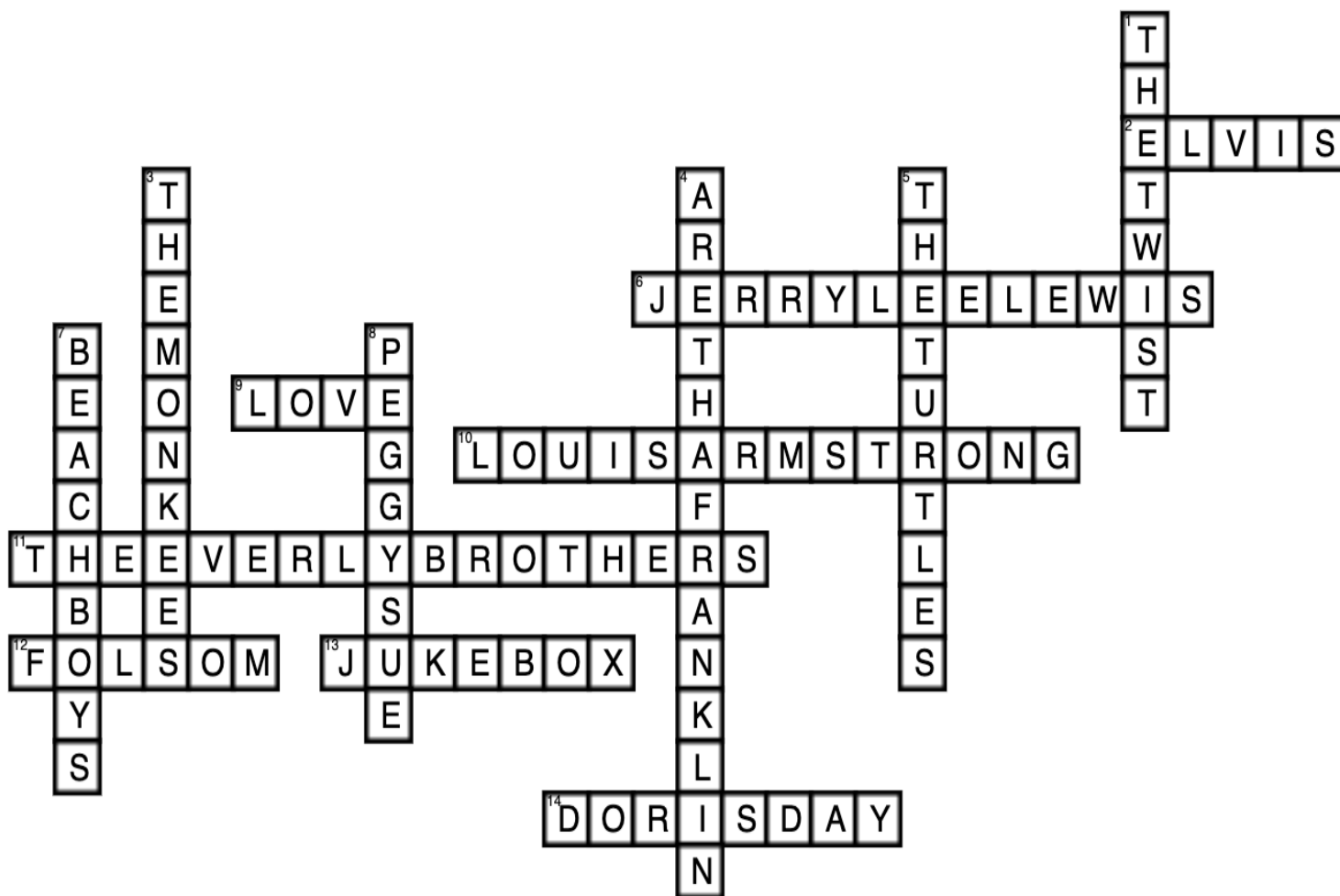
JAMES BROWN  
SAM COOKE  
PAT BOONE  
TONY BENNETT  
DEAN MARTIN

CASH  
MOTOWN  
DOO WOP  
BLUES  
JAZZ



## ANSWER KEY

## 50s and 60s Crossword Answers



## Sudoku Answers

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