



Freegal gives Surrey residents with a valid Surrey Libraries' card 3 free songs per week. Residents can download and KEEP the songs. You simply log into Freegal with your library card number.

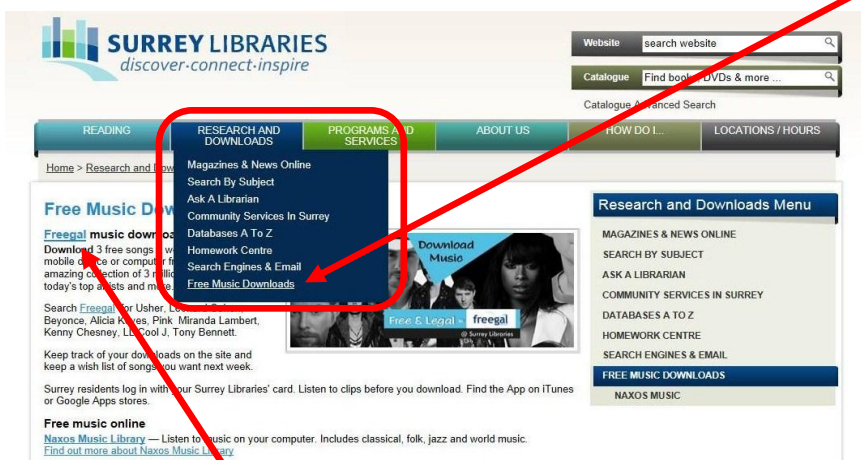
Freegal has thousands of songs from Sony Music Canada in a variety of genres. As a Surrey resident, you have 156 free songs per year!

Freegal Quick Facts

- Download 3 songs per week to your computer or directly to wireless devices.
- Songs are in MP3 format.
- Downloads are free, legal and are yours to keep.
- Download more songs every Sunday after midnight.
- Download to your computer and transfer to a MP3 player. You can also add your Freegal songs to your iTunes library and sync them onto your iPod or iPhone.
- Download directly to your Smartphone through the Freegal App, although you will not be able to transfer songs downloaded via app to your computer.

Get Started

- Click Freegal Music from the surreylibraries.ca (hover over the blue "Research and Downloads" tab and select "Downloads.")



- Next, click on the "Freegal" link.

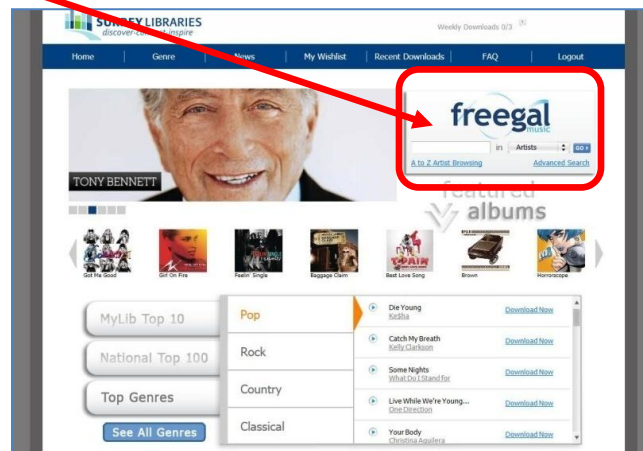


- Login to Freegal by entering your Surrey Libraries' card number without any spaces and click "Login."

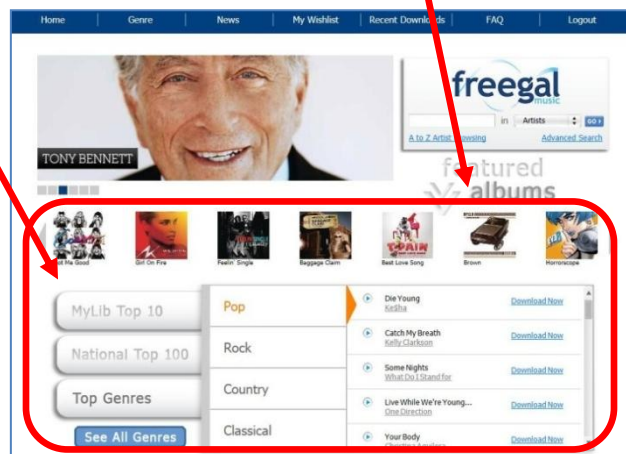


Find songs by Searching or Browsing

- To **SEARCH** Freegal type a song, album or artist name into the search box and choose the category you are searching from the dropdown menu. Click "Go."



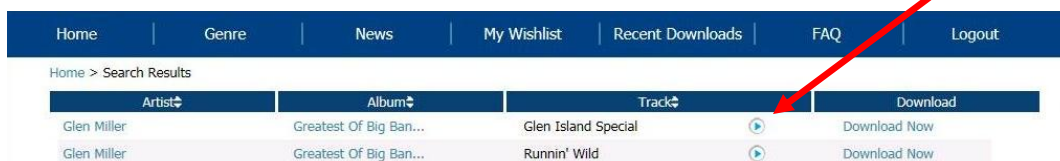
- To **BROWSE** Freegal, click on "A to Z Artist Browsing" or click one of the home page recommendations.



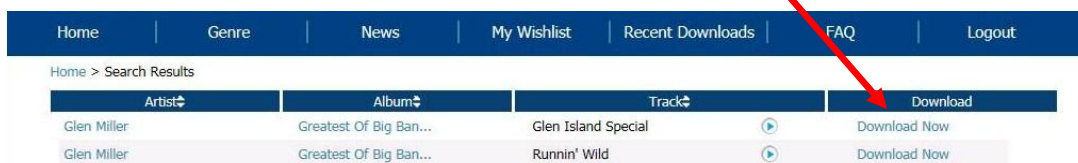
***Artist browsing tip:**
Bands with names beginning with "The" are under the letter "T." To browse solo artists, look under their first name.



- Choose an artist from the database, and sample a song by clicking on the arrow to the right of the song title.



- When you are ready to download a song, click "Download Now."



- After you have clicked "Download Now" a window will appear asking if you want to open or save the file.

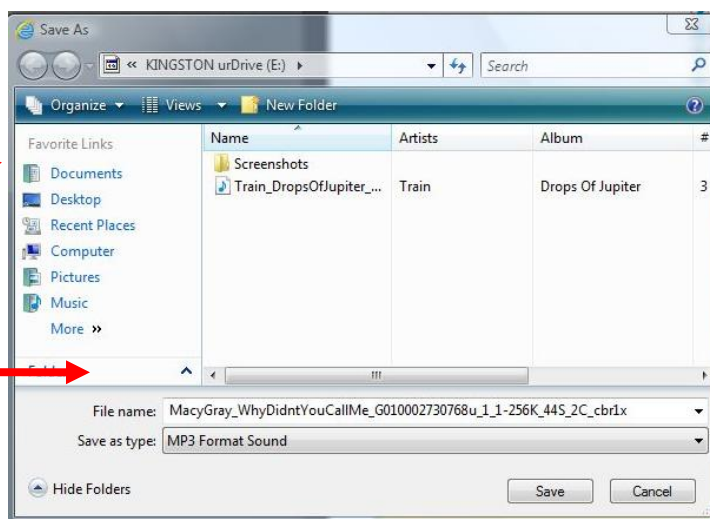
Do you want to open or save **MacyGray_WhyDidntYouCallMe_G010002730768u_1_1-256K_44S_2C_cbr1x.mp3** (5.85 MB) from **music.libraryideas.com**?



- Clicking on the black arrow to the right of "Save" shows you options including "Save As." A window will pop up and allows you to find a place where you want to save the song. You may wish to name the file something that will make it easy to find later.

Choose where you would like to save your file

Rename the file



*** iTunes Tip:** The easiest way to add downloads to your iTunes library is to save your file to the desktop, and then drag the file into an open iTunes window. The song will now be in your iTunes library and will appear on your apple device the next time you sync.



Freegal Music

- **Remember** once you click "Download now", even if you cancel, the download will count towards your weekly limit.
- If you are using a library computer you must save your download onto a USB stick or you will lose your song when you log off of the computer.
- To check how many songs you can download, look at the upper right corner of the Freegal site downloads counter. If it says "Weekly Downloads 1/3," this means you have used 1 of your 3 weekly downloads.
- When you have reached your limit, you have the option to "Add to Wishlist." This allows you to keep track of songs you want to download later.

Remember! Logout of your account at the top right of the screen when you are finished.

Freegal FAQ

Is there a download manager to install on my computer?

No, Freegal uses your internet browser to download music, so you do not need to install anything on your computer in order to use the service. This is one of the advantages of the Freegal site.

I downloaded a song, but I can't find where it is on my computer.

We highly recommend that when downloading a song, you select the option to save the file to a specific location on your computer. However, if you didn't specify a location or you opted to open the file without saving it, there are a couple things you can try to locate where the song was saved.

If you are using Windows Media Player...

1. Open Windows Media Player
2. Click on the File menu
3. Toward the bottom of the menu, you should see a list of all recently played music
4. Click on the song file you got from Freegal Music, this should cause it to play
5. While in the Now Playing mode (you can click on the "Now Playing" tab to get there), you should see the song listed under Now Playing
6. Right-click on the song title and select Properties from the menu
7. You should now be able to see where the file has been saved to on your computer, listed next to "Location:" in the properties window
8. From the Properties window, you can also select "Open file location" and this will cause a dialog box to open the folder that contains the file. From there you can copy or drag it to your desktop or wherever else you'd like to keep it.



If you are using iTunes...

1. Open iTunes
2. Locate the song in your music
3. Right-click on the song title
4. Select "Get Info"
5. Select the "Summary" tab (by default it's the tab that's open in the "Get Info" dialog box)
6. Toward the bottom of the dialog box, there is a "Where" section which tells you the folder path where the song is located