

# Harmonic Composition Review

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## Understanding Music Theory: Advanced Concepts

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Answer the following questions based on what you learned about harmonic composition and chord progressions.

1. What is a chord progression?

- A. A sequence of notes played together
- B. A series of chords played in a sequence
- C. A musical note played alone

2. How do chords support a melody?

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3. Chord progressions do not affect the mood of a song.

- True       False

4. Psalm 33:3 encourages us to sing to Him a new \_\_\_\_.

5. Which of the following is an example of a basic chord progression?

- A. C-G-Am-F
- B. A-B-C-D
- C. E-F#-G#-A#

6. What makes a melody feel 'complete'?

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7. Creating music can be a form of worship.

- True       False

8. Basic rules of harmonic composition help create \_\_\_\_ in music.

9. What might happen if you change the chord progression of a song?

- A. The melody will disappear
- B. The mood of the song can change
- C. Nothing will change at all

10. Why is musical creativity important in worship?

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Answer Key

1. A series of chords played in a sequence 2. Chords provide a harmonic background that enhances the melody, making it more interesting and emotionally impactful. 3. False 4. song 5. C-G-Am-F 6. A melody feels complete when it has a satisfying ending and resolves the tension created by the chord progression. 7. True 8. harmony 9. The mood of the song can change 10. Musical creativity allows us to express our feelings and gratitude towards God, making our worship more personal and heartfelt.