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As artists we operate in a public arena. It is easy to record our performances and distribute it to others, free. The Grateful dead allowed this to happen for years and it developed a large fan base for them.

But, we need more Digital Rights Protection for the internet so pirates (not fans) are prevented from from selling our music for their own profit.
All web sales should follow the iTunes delivery model.

Also,the copyright process needs to be streamlined for struggling composers.. it is too expensive to copyright every song.
thank you for your interest !

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