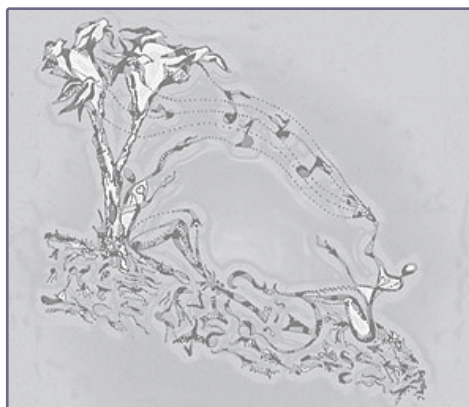


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The Green Anthem National Eco-Project ...

The Green Anthem is a modularized eco-friendly teaching curriculum created by Julie Lyonn Lieberman as a gift to educators and their students. Lesson plans complete with student hand-outs are FREE to all interested participants at www.greenanthem.org. There are two versions: one is for music students, and the other for the general student body.

Julie Lyonn Lieberman donated two years of her life to this project. She created community-accessible materials that include a teaching curriculum that has the potential to unite school teachers, mobilize students, connect schools to their communities, and help create a sustainable earth. She also create music scores for band, chorus, and string orchestra and ran a national green song-writing contest. To date, many organizations and school teachers have used this program with great success.

“Our young people will inherit the mess we’ve created on our planet. They will need viable skills to emerge into the world with strong voices, a positive sense of themselves, and the ability to initiate change.” - Julie Lyonn Lieberman

NAfME - National Association for Music Education adopted aspects of ***The Green Anthem*** in 2009 and implemented those aspects via their 143,000 members in 2009/2010, including a performance of the song, ***The Green Anthem***, which reached 6 million students when NAfME included the choral version of the song in the March 2010 World’s Largest Concert. MENC also linked their “Music! Just Imagine ...” essay-writing contest to green topics for 2010.

The Green Anthem is designed to catalyze human kindness to mother earth ...

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Julie Lyonn Lieberman, (JulieLyonn.com) is an improvising violinist and vocalist, educator, author, radio producer, composer, recording artist, journalist, and performer. She specializes in improvisation and American vernacular as well as world styles.

Ms. Lieberman is the author of eight music books, including *The Creative Band and Orchestra*, *The Contemporary Violinist*, *12 Rock Strings Lesson Plans*, *Improvising Violin*, *Rockin' Out With Blues Fiddle*, *You Are Your Instrument*, *Planet Musician* and *Alternative Strings: The New Curriculum*. She is also the author of seven instructional DVDs, including *Rhythmizing the Bow*, *Techniques for the Contemporary String Player*, *The Violin in Motion*, and *Vocal Aerobics*. In 2007, Lieberman wrote and produced the DVD, *Alternative Styles in the Classroom*, for American String Teachers Association (ASTA) and National Association of Music Merchants (NAMM).

She has also created seven hours of programming for National Public Radio on jazz violin, and over fifty articles for music magazines, including STRAD Magazine, STRINGS Magazine, Fiddler Magazine, School Band and Orchestra, and American String Teacher Journal. In addition, Ms. Lieberman produced four American Jazz String Summits in the eighties and nineties featuring many of the top improvising string players in America, and co-produced three alternative string festivals within American String Teachers 2003, 2004, and 2005 conferences, serving as the chair for the 2004 component.

A dynamic, participatory workshop leader, her ability to stimulate participants to think and grow in new ways has earned respect for her work throughout the world. In addition to being the first to teach improvisation at Juilliard, she has presented for many important organizations, including the Juilliard MAP Program, Carnegie/Weill Hall/Juilliard's "The Academy," National Young Audiences, Music Educators Association, the Carnegie Hall LinkUp Program, American String Teachers Association, European String Teachers Association, International Association of Jazz Educators, Suzuki Institute, National String Workshop, National Orchestra Festival, and International String Workshop,.

Lieberman is a J. D'Addario Elite Clinician. Alfred Publishing and Kendor Music publish her American and world-style string orchestra scores. Her books and DVDs are distributed worldwide by Hal Leonard Corporation.