HOW - TO

IMPROVE YOUR SOUNDS AND MAKE THEM MORE REALISTIC

- ALWAYS PLAY THE INSTRUMENT SOUND, WHICH YOU HAVE SELECTED IN IT'S CORRECT MUSICAL REGISTER
- A TRUMPET PLAYED ONE OCTAVE BELOW MIDDLE G, WILL SOUND LIKE A TROMBONE
- NEVER USE ENSEMBLE, A.O.C, TECHNICHORD ETC, ON SOLO INSTRUMENTS WHICH CAN ONLY PLAY ONE NOTE AT A TIME
- TRY USING A LITTLE HALL REVERB, YOU WILL BE AMAZED HOW THE SOUND IS GIVEN DEPTH, AND COMES ALIVE
- PANNING SOUNDS LEFT AND RIGHT, CAN MAKE FOR A MORE REALISTIC EFFECT, REMEMBER, THE MUSICIANS IN A BAND OR ORCHESTRA, ARE SPREAD ACROSS THE STAGE LEFT TO RIGHT, NOT ALL HUDDLED IN ONE CORNER
- IF RECREATING A JAMES LAST SOUND, LISTEN TO HIS RECORDINGS, AND LEARN TO RECOGNISE HIS INSTRUMENTATION, (HE USES FLUGEL HORNS A LOT)
- REGARDLESS OF THE INSTRUMENT YOU SELECT, TRY AND PLAY AS IF YOU WERE ACTUALLY PLAYING THE REAL THING, THIS WILL HELP THE AUTHENTICITY
- LISTEN TO YOUR FAVORITE ARTISTS, BIG BANDS ETC, DON'T JUST HEAR THEM







