

# DONATE YOUR STRINGS TO MUSICIANS IN NEED.

Worldwide, tens of thousands of musicians and students enrolled in music programs face a shortage of strings for their instruments. Many use telephone wire instead, while miles of still usable strings are buried in our landfills. THE OPEN STRING brings donated musical supplies to musicians across continents, from Argentina to Kenya to India.



*If your used strings are not rusty or frayed, they can still serve musicians in need. Send them to us, not to the landfill! We'll give them new life. And consider changing your strings early or even gifting new ones.*

## GO FOR IT NOW! IT'S EASY.

- GATHER** usable strings. Ask fellow string players to pitch in!
- MARK** what you are donating using the checkboxes on the right >>>
- MAIL** your strings along with this form to the address below. You can also use the bottom portion of this page as a mailing label. **THANK YOU!**

## THE *O* PEN STRING

*Supporting the frontline of music education*

**YOU CAN ALSO SUPPORT US AS A VOLUNTEER OR BY DONATING INSTRUMENTS OR WITH A GIFT OF MONEY • MAKE CHECKS TO: THE OPEN STRING  
LEARN MORE TODAY ABOUT OUR PROGRAMS AT [THEOPENSTRING.ORG](http://THEOPENSTRING.ORG)**

### WHAT I'M DONATING:

- NEW STRINGS**  
 **USED STRINGS**

(must be intact and free of rust or dirt)

Brand(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Hours played \_\_\_\_\_

#### TYPE

- VIOLIN     CELLO     GUITAR  
 VIOLA     BASS     MANDOLIN  
 OTHER: \_\_\_\_\_

#### SIZE (check any that apply)

- 1/4     1/2     4/4  
 1/8     3/4     7/8

#### QUANTITY (by string note)

C \_\_\_\_\_ A \_\_\_\_\_ SETS \_\_\_\_\_  
D \_\_\_\_\_ E \_\_\_\_\_ OTHER: \_\_\_\_\_  
G \_\_\_\_\_ B \_\_\_\_\_

#### ABOUT ME (optional)

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Location \_\_\_\_\_

State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Yes, it's OK to thank me on website

TO USE BOTTOM HALF AS A MAILING LABEL, SEPARATE HERE AND INCLUDE THE TOP HALF INSIDE PACKAGE WITH YOUR DONATION

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*We support music education programs for youth and adults in impoverished communities around the world. Your donation of strings, instruments, or supplies can change their lives! Learn more about our people and their stories at [theopenstring.org](http://theopenstring.org)*

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STAMPS  
HERE

PLEASE VERIFY USPS REQUIREMENTS.  
MAIL MAY NOT BE DELIVERED WITHOUT  
CORRECT POSTAGE

THE OPEN STRING  
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