

SoundHound and Shazam



These are apps for music lovers and can be especially useful for those with reduced hearing. If you hear a song that you like on the radio or at a concert, these apps recognize it and will stream live lyrics to your device. It's a great way for people who are deaf to get involved at parties/concerts and to learn the words to new songs quickly and easily.



Both SoundHound and Shazam are free and can be downloaded on either iPhones or Androids. Both are very similar and many people download both apps, however, some believe that SoundHound is ever so slightly better in identifying songs and especially in noisy situations such as at parties. You can also hum a tune and it is more successful in identifying the song.

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