

# Lyrics via LyricWiki v2.1

## AppleScript for iTunes

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This script will use the name and artist of the selected or playing track as the basis for a "getSong" SOAP query to LyricWiki.org; fruitful results will be displayed so you can choose to apply the lyrics to the particular track.

Information on LyricWiki's SOAP webservice is here:  
[http://lyricwiki.org/LyricWiki\\_talk:SOAP](http://lyricwiki.org/LyricWiki_talk:SOAP)

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### Installation:

**To manually install:** Put AppleScripts in your iTunes Scripts folder. This is located in *[user name] > Library > iTunes*. If there is no folder named "Scripts" there, create one and put the script(s) in it. AppleScripts will then appear in iTunes' Script menu, and can be activated by selecting by name and clicking. Be sure to also save this Read Me document in a safe and convenient place.

### How to use:

Select a track and run the script. Or, run the script while a track is playing. The LyricWiki.org site will be polled via a SOAP call and lyrics for the particular track--if found--will be displayed. Click the "Use Lyrics for Track" button to write the lyrics to the track's lyrics tag.

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**Information and download link for this script is located at:**

<http://dougscripits.com/itunes/scripts/ss.php?sp=lyricslyricwiki>

Version History:

v2.1 September 2 2009

-- Accounts for changes in LyricWiki formatting

v2.0 August 10 2009

-- works around LyricWiki API issues

See <[http://groups.google.com/group/lyricwiki-api/browse\\_thread/thread/733ccd919d654040](http://groups.google.com/group/lyricwiki-api/browse_thread/thread/733ccd919d654040)>

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-- Addresses issue with high-ASCII text

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-- initial release

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