

[Producer Bio](#)

Kerry Regier has worked on well over a dozen different public affairs, cultural and music programs for CFRO-FM Co-op Radio over 35 years. The creative ID series is an expression of his appreciation and support of Coop Radio as a true community organization.

[Program note: "The People's Friend -- The Tyrant's Foe!" -- Creative Production ID series](#)

Co-op Radio is about supporting the oppressed, invisible, and unempowered, and about opposing the entrenched authority that disregards them. The catchphrase "The People's Friend -- The Tyrant's Foe!" was adopted for this ongoing series of Co-op Radio station IDs: pre-recorded spots with music, theatrical, and sound-effects beds, emphasizing diversity and humor, with a variety of music and sounds from different traditions. Some are emphatically dramatic, others low-key or provocative, and still others over-the-top absurd, but all present a degree of humor -- some by subtle self-effacing irony, others by extravagant silliness. So far there are 60 different completed ID spots from 0'14" to 2'27" long, with more in production.

The 5'00 sample MP3 compilation presents 9 of these spots, showing only a little of their diversity:

- "Thunderbirds"
- "Brooding Rachmaninov"
- "Listeners! Write Down On A Piece Of Paper What YOU Think Will Happen...."
- "Chickens And Cows"
- "Greek Ritual Chant and Dance"
- "The Third Man"
- "Alexander Nevsky: Arise!"
- "Loony Tunes"
- "The Good, The Bad, And The Ugly"

The full audio of all 58 spots aired between April 1, 2013 - March 31, 2014, as well as award entry documents, may be downloaded at:

<https://drive.google.com/folderview?id=0B6Z0uL0UJBBFMW9XdDlyNjE5Yk0&usp=sharing#list>