## **Vowel Word Cloud**

EE IH AY AH UH ER AW 00 00 EΗ AA OH Pete Jim Woody Lew Dave Ted Dan Bob Bud Bert Claude Joe

LUHV MEE TEHNDER

LUHV MEE SOOEET

NEHVER LEH TMEE GOH

EEOO HAAV MAY DMAHEE

LAHEEF CUHMPLEET

## AAN DAHEE LUH VEWE SOH

Twelve vowel sounds used in singing are listed above. You sing and hold on the vowel, placing the consonants in only for clarity. You will note that in some of the words above, the consonant that ends a word is carried over to the beginning of the next word to facilitate the flow of the music [You have may <u>d.my</u> life complete]

## **Diphthong**

You will also note that some of the perceived vowels are, in fact, a combination of two or more vowels. These are called diphthongs. If you were to sing "I" [as in A, E, I, O, U] very slowly, it would reveal two vowel sounds: AH and EE. Generally, the first vowel is sustained and the second is only added quickly at the finish of the word.

AHEE - Time, Fly, Tie, My, Eye, Like, Bright, Cry

AHOH - Cow, Loud, How, Bound, House, Brown, Now, Flower, Cloud

OHEE - Boy, Boil, Oil, Coy, Toy, Foil, Coin, Noise, Joy, Down, Out, Found, Round, Cloud, Loud

AAEE - Say, Brain, Game, May, Great, Bake, Rain, Lay, Eight, Break

EHER - There, Bear, Share, Pair, Lair, Stare, Care, Bare

EEER - Here, Dear, Gear, Career, Near, Year, Pier

EWE.ER - You're, Pure, Purify, Fur, Sure, Lure,

AWUH - Straw, Law, Saw, Cause, Haul, Author, Pause, Draw