

# Drobo How-To Guide

## Streaming Media from Drobo to PlayStation 3 Using Majestic Media Server



Majestic Media Server is a Universal Plug and Play (UPnP) media server application, which is installed directly on a Mac OS computer and allows streaming of iTunes, iPhoto, and other media content to devices that support UPnP, including the Sony PlayStation 3 (PS3) game console. This guide explains how to configure the Majestic Media Server to stream media from a Mac-connected Drobo® or Drobo S to a PS3.

### System Requirements

- Drobo or Drobo S storage array
- Intel Mac running Mac OS X 10.6.6 or higher
- Majestic Media Server version 1.2.6 or higher
- Sony PlayStation 3 game console
- Wired or wireless network connecting devices



### STEP 1

Visit the Mac App Store to download and install the latest version of Majestic Media Server (<http://itunes.apple.com/us/app/majestic-media-server/id418846462?mt=1&ls=1>).

**Majestic Media Server** By Majestic Software

Open Mac App Store to buy and download apps.

**Description**  
Majestic is a UPnP Media Server that is compatible with the Playstation 3 and the Xbox360 as well as many other devices. It allows streaming of much of your itunes/iphoto and other media content to these devices.

[Majestic Software Web Site](#) • [Majestic Media Server Support](#)

**Price:** \$6.99  
**Category:** Utilities  
**Released:** Mar 04, 2011  
**Version:** 1.2.6  
**Size:** 12.5 MB  
**Language:** English  
**Seller:** Majestic Software Pty Ltd  
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**Rated 4+**

**Requirements:** Mac OS X 10.6.6 or later

**Customer Ratings**  
We have not received enough ratings to display an average for the current version of this application.

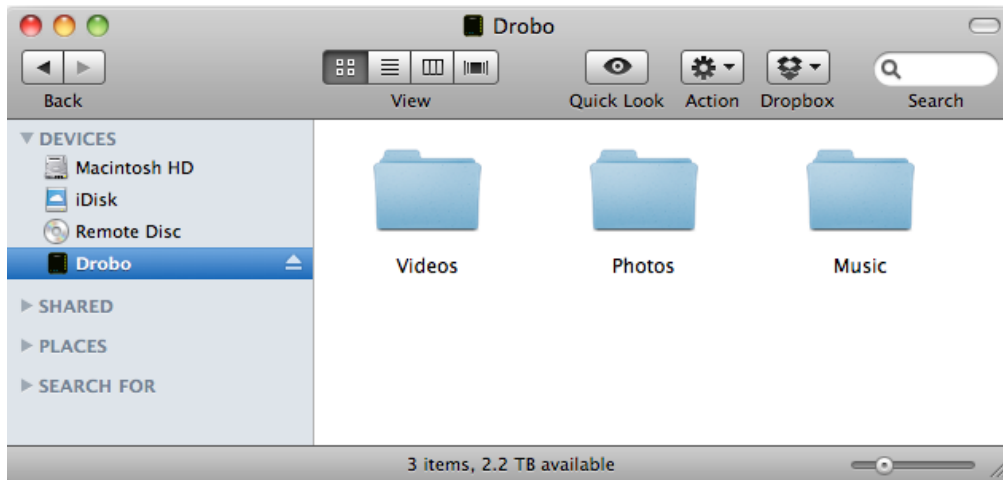
**Screenshots**

The screenshot shows the Majestic Media Server application window. The 'General' tab is selected, showing the following settings:  
- **Folder:** /Volumes/Scratch/Movies  
- **Search as:** Launch at Login  
- **Show Dock Icon:** unchecked  
- **Network Connection:** Wireless G  
- **Transcoding:**  Enable Transcoding (Enables Audio Transcoding for the Mac OS X and Video Transcoding for the PS3)  
- **Video Transcoding (PS3 Only):**  Transcode for subtitles,  Always Transcode Video  
- **Transcode Quality:** Medium  
- **Transcode for other Devices:**  Transcode Video,  Transcode Audio for other Devices



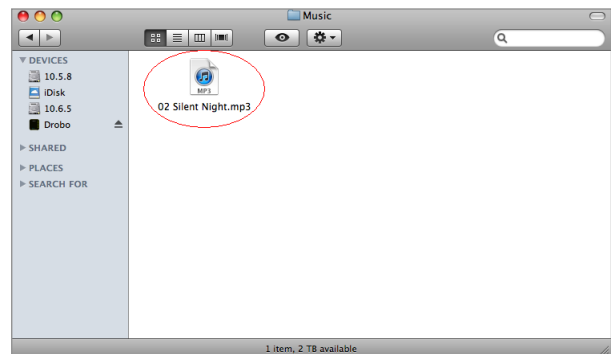
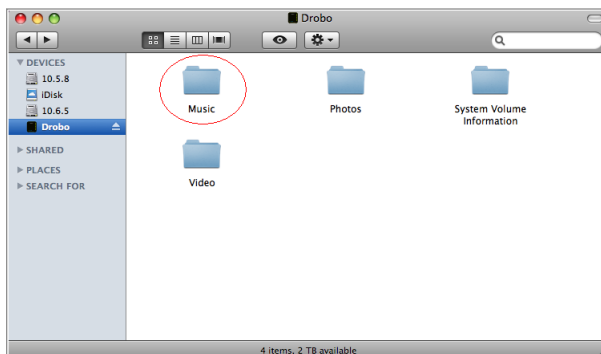
### STEP 2

If you have already created media folders on your Drobo, you can skip to Step 4. Otherwise, navigate to a mounted Drobo or Drobo S volume and create three new folders titled **Music**, **Photos** and **Videos**.



### STEP 3

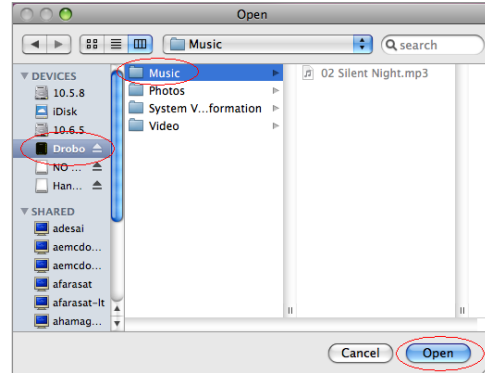
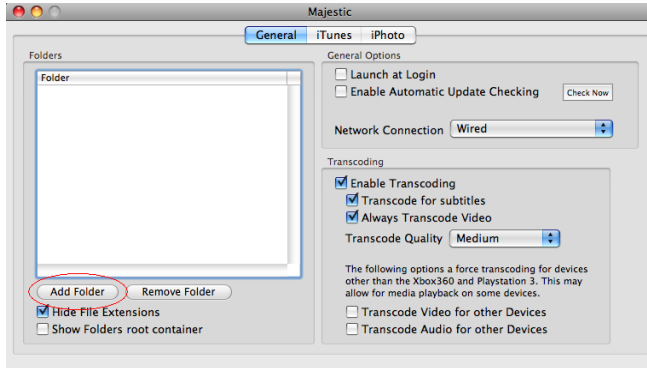
Once you've created these folders, add all the videos, photos, and music you wish to share into each folder respectively. In this example the song *Silent Night* was added to the **Music** folder.





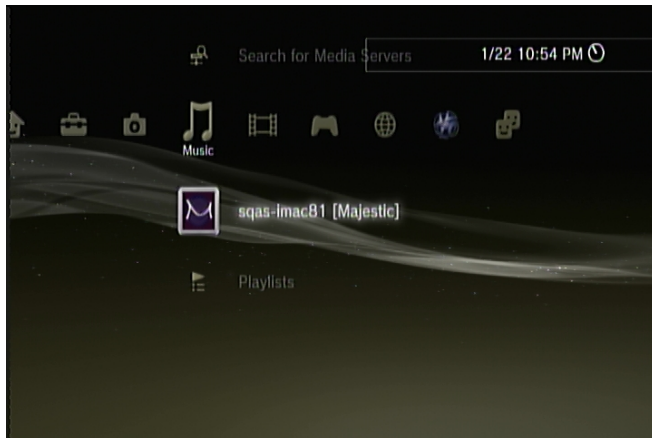
### STEP 4

Open the newly installed Majestic Media Server application and configure the new folders on your Drobo device. Select **Add Folder > Drobo > Music > Open** for each folder (**Music** is shown in this example).



### STEP 5

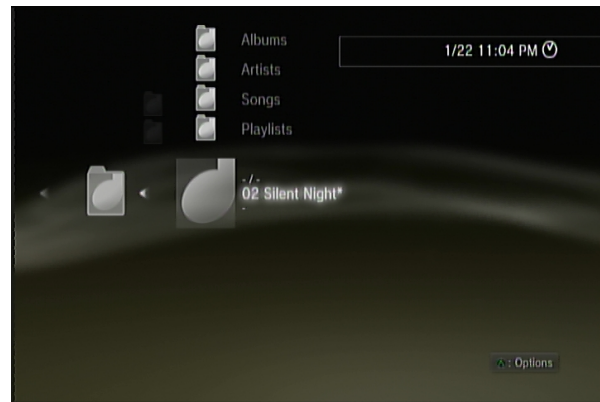
Go to the PlayStation 3 (PS3) dashboard and navigate to **Music**, **Photos**, or **Videos** depending on the type of media you want to view or play.





### STEP 6

Select **Majestic** from the list of available media servers. The recently added media from your Drobo should be visible on the PS3 dashboard. Select the item you want to play or view. You are now streaming media from your Drobo to your PS3. Enjoy!



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