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**Mister Slyther** - February 4, 2018, 6:41 pm

Designed a web music-player app:

update

**The Piggy Bank** - February 4, 2018, 6:42 pm

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**Mister Slyther** - February 4, 2018, 6:46 pm

(Feb 4, 2018 07:42 PM)The Piggy Bank Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Looks good buddy! Kinda reminds me too Spotify, but hey. It's good man!

Hey thanks man, appreciate the feedback :) do you mind looking at the spotify web-app?

because I did my best to stay away from making it look spotify and i'm quite confident it's far off from spotify.

this is how spotify looks: <https://i.gyazo.com/372ff585f769a53d43fbd649d626796b.jpg>

I always do my best to design something unique and something that works ?

**N1l0c** - February 4, 2018, 10:19 pm

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**Mister Slyther** - February 5, 2018, 3:23 am

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Thanks man, it was just for fun.

**SkullTraill** - February 5, 2018, 10:17 am

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**Mister Slyther** - February 5, 2018, 10:28 am

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Hey, thanks for the feedback sir :)

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**.Pazuzu** - February 5, 2018, 10:33 am

Nice colours but there is just way too much going on in my opinion, everything seems a bit too distracting,

the images/UI itself is nice, but there is such a thing as too much gradient aha

Keep it up!

**SkullTraill** - February 5, 2018, 11:32 am

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yes absolutely, i would hate to design something that doesn't work for people.

User experience is also very important I'm aware.

**Admire** - February 6, 2018, 6:30 pm

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**Zippy™** - February 8, 2018, 11:27 am

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**Mister Slyther** - February 8, 2018, 11:29 am

(Feb 8, 2018 12:27 PM)Zippy™ Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Hey can I ask if you are? Ameer Ashhab.  
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Indeed I am haha, why?

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**Mister Slyther** - February 9, 2018, 3:20 am

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**AvessoVision** - February 9, 2018, 6:09 am

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Trending songs;

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More music from album;

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Thank you for taking the time to write all that, i appreciate it sir. ?

There are some things that I do agree with you on, and some things that I don't, e.g Searchbar placement. If searchbar is placed under songs playing it would make things out of place and cause a clutter (too much functionality in one area). Hmm guess that is how I see it atleast.

Those buttons are not actually fast forward, they are skip, i took them from iPhones, and if you google search Skip icon , you'll see it's the one I put.

Will do changes soon enough based on what you said ?

**Goku** - February 10, 2018, 10:06 am

(Feb 9, 2018 04:20 AM)Mister Slyther Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Thank you, i appreciate it :)

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<https://color.adobe.com/explore/?filter=most-popular&time=month>

**Rixmainn** - February 10, 2018, 2:21 pm

Very cool design ! keep it on

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Ah okey, I use adobe color cc too, I also can recommend <https://flatuicolors.com/> ? ?