

Book Trailers using Windows Movie Maker

Step by Step guide

Plan your project!

- What are the recurring images associated with your book?
- What is the mood and tone of the book?
- What words, phrases or quotes would make an impact?
- What kind of music would fit? *Think carefully about including songs that have lyrics...you don't want the lyrics to overshadow the message of the book.*

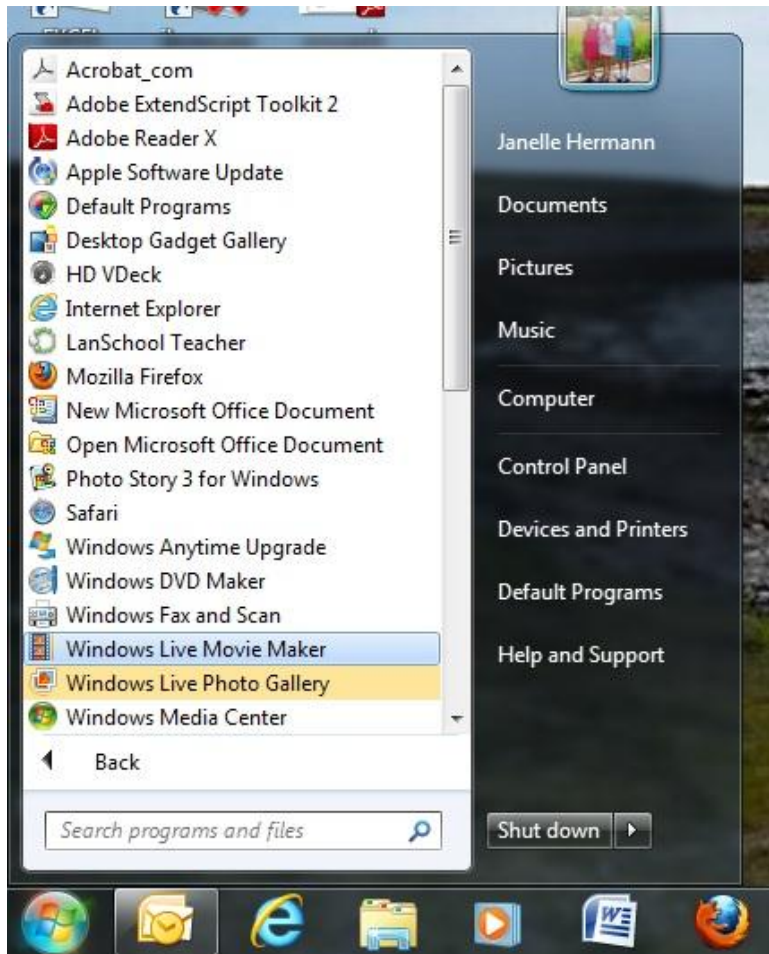
Gather your images!

- Find images that work for your project. Either take the photos yourself or use copyright free images. These websites will help!
- [Dreamstime](#)
- [Fotolia](#)
- [Microsoft Office](#)
- [Photobucket](#)
- [Clker](#)
- [Morgue File](#)

Music and Sound

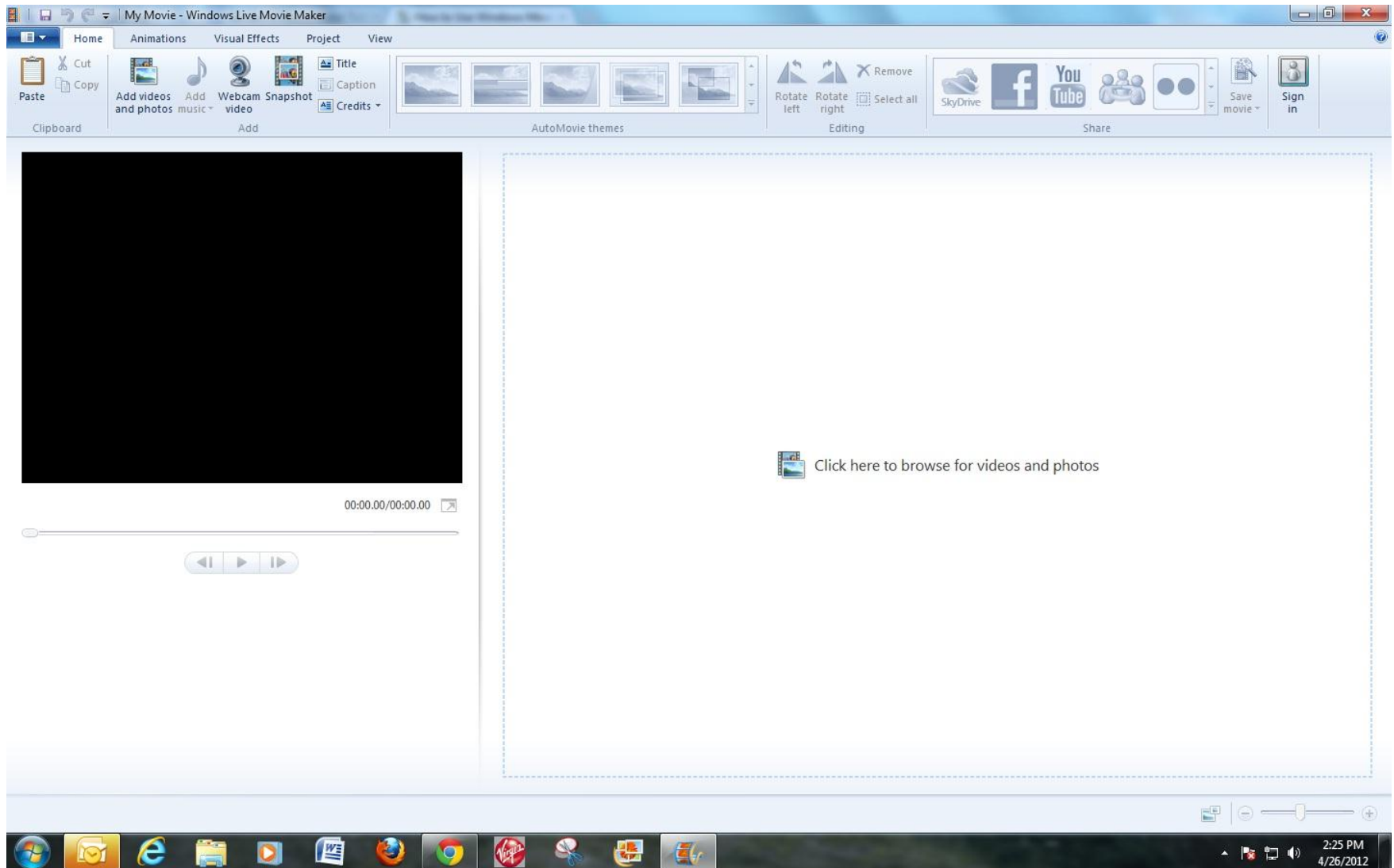
- Find music or sound effects that work for your project. Either take create the music yourself or use copyright free music/sound effects. These websites will help!
- [Soundsnap](#)
- [Find Sounds](#)
- [Partners in Rhyme](#)
- [Brainy Betty](#)
- [Open Music Archive](#)
- [Opsound](#)
- [ccMixer](#)
- [Neo Sounds](#)

Windows Movie Maker

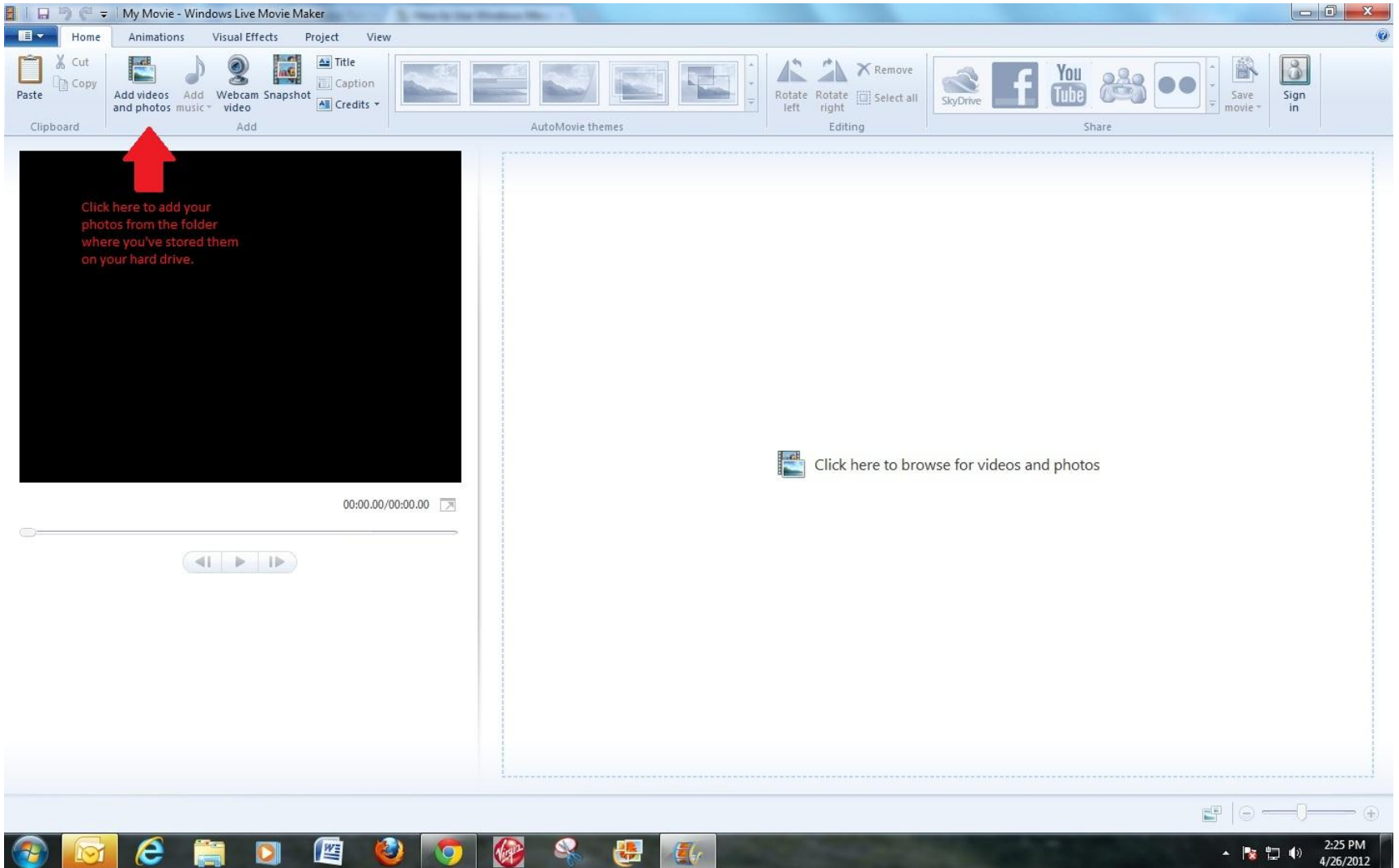


If Movie Maker isn't on your desktop, launch it from the programs menu.

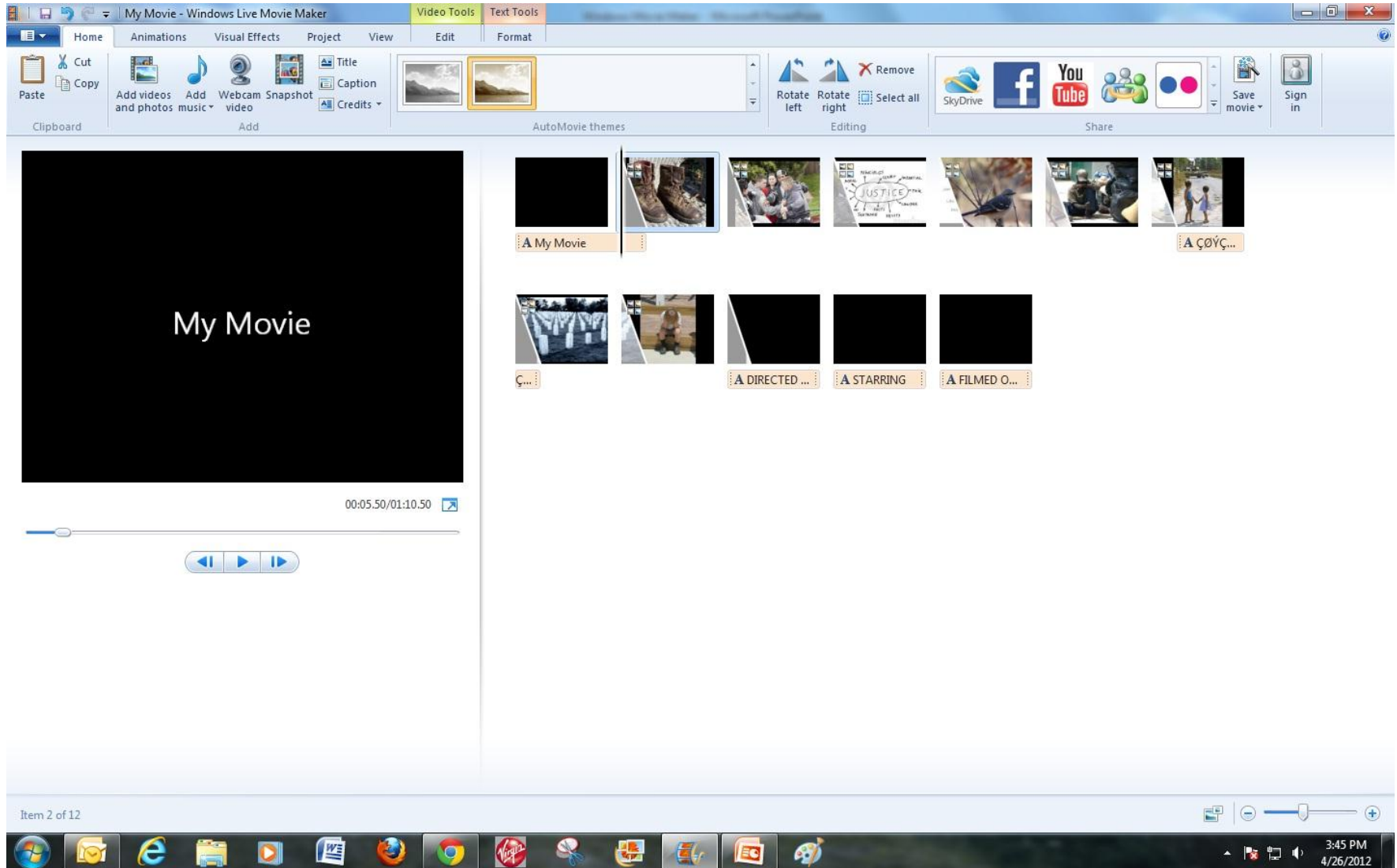
It will look like this:



Click “Add videos and photos”



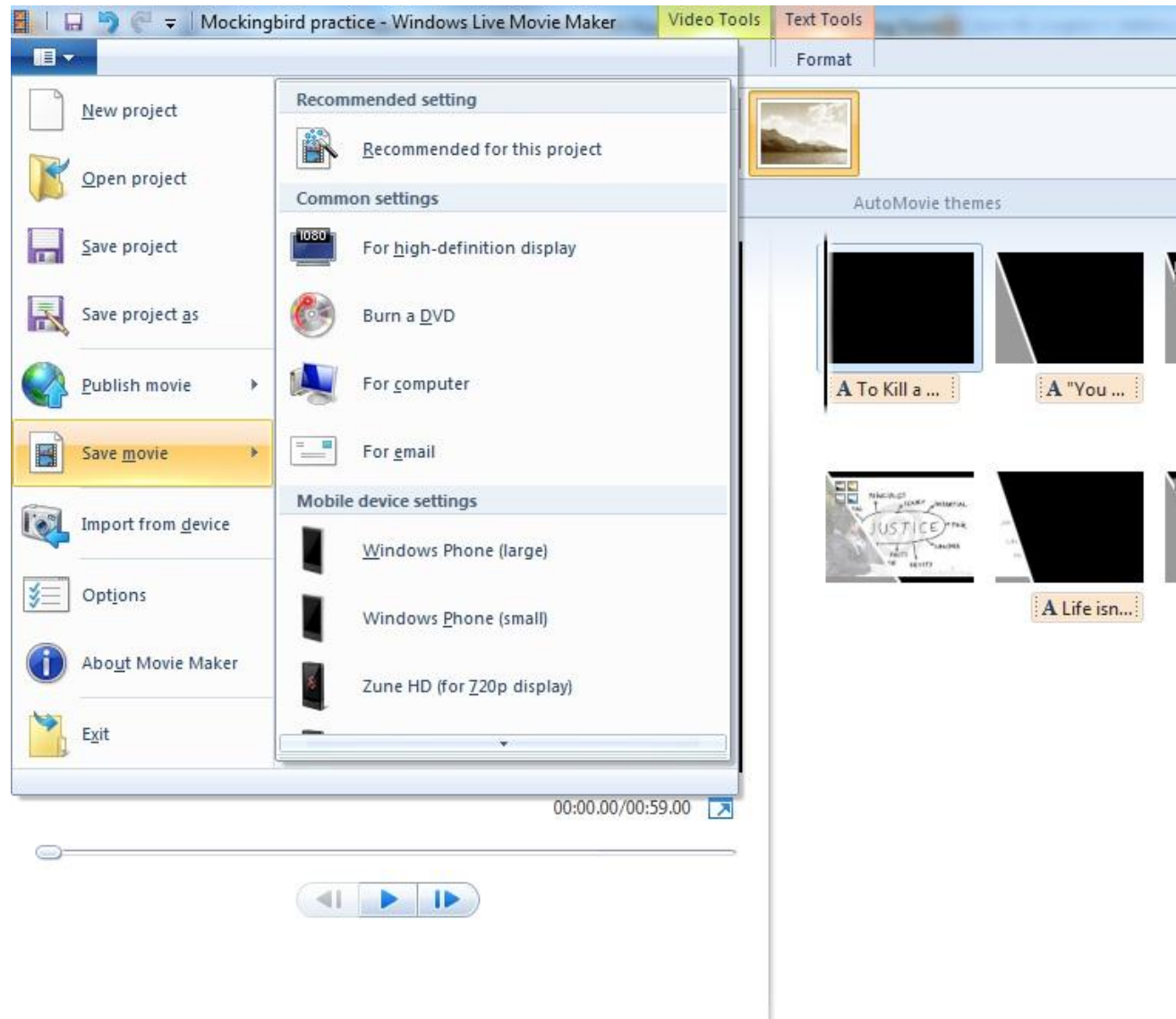
Play with the effects & order of photos



Save your movie!

If you used any images/music that were copyrighted –

Choose “For email” and make sure it ends up in your student server folder – not on the hard drive of this computer!



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If you are not a pirate/ copyright violator –

Publish movie and upload it to your YouTube Channel.

