

BOBBY MESSANO



Bobby Messano is a legendary guitarist and Contemporary Blues Artist who has released seven Solo CDs, placed songs in many TV and Cable shows and played on over 50 Major label and Indie albums. His playing has been heard on everything from MTV jingles to Benny Mardones' smash hit "Into The Night". The celebrated guitarist has played on records by Clarence Clemmons, Franke & The Knockouts, Joe Lynn Turner and STARZ, and produced the 60's hit act, "THE SHADOWS OF KNIGHT". Live he has played guitar and been the music director for Steve Winwood, Lou Gramm and Country artists Jimmy Wayne, Rodney Atkins and Steve Holy. Bobby has played or headlined BAMFEST, The Charleston Blues Festival, Smokin' In Steel, Summerfest, Charlotte Speed Street, Blues Brews & BBQ, Blues At The Beach, Bayfront Blues Festival, Deltaville Seafood Festival, Willow River Blues Fest, Ambassador Blues Fest, Colonial Beach Blues Festival, and Southern Maryland Blues Festival. The guitarist's last five CD's ("Holdin' Ground", "Bobby Messano Live In Madison", "that's why i don't sing the blues", "Welcome To Deltaville" and "Love & Money") have garnered 26 Grammy 1st Round ballots in 8 categories and airplay on over 275 Blues shows. "that's why i don't sing the blues" was on the American Blues Scene's Blues Top 5 Chart for 24 weeks and was named 2012 TOP BLUES/ROCK ALBUM (USA) by Blues Underground Network. Between 2012 and 2016, Bobby played over 400 shows in 32 states to over a ½ million people. On December 22nd 2012, the artist was inducted into the "BLUES HALL OF FAME". His CD's are heard daily on "Sirius/XM's B.B. King's Bluesville and "LOVE & MONEY" which was released in April 2015 was nominated for a prestigious Blues Blast Award for "Best Rock-Blues Album" in August 2015. It debuted on the Billboard Blues Chart at # 7, peaked at #1 and spent a total of nine weeks in the Top 10. It was also #7 on the Billboard Heat Seekers Chart and Top 40 on both the Billboard Rock and Indie Charts. "Love & Money" also ended 2015 at #44 on the Roots Music Report Chart.

Bobby's newest CD "BAD MOVIE" will be released on April 15, 2017. It is a collection of fifteen incredible songs written with major co-writers Jon Tiven, Larry Weiss and Steve Kalinich and features the amazing "Come To Your Senses" written by Queen founder Brian May and Jon Tiven and the haunting duet "Water Under The Bridge" with Bobby and Alecia Elliott (2001 AMA Nominee) "BAD MOVIE" offers a unique perspective of personal traumas and a country in a state of flux and the early reviews have been outstanding.

ENDORSEMENTS:

Delaney Guitars (Signature Model)
T-Rex Pedals
Elektra Guitars
MixWan Wireless
D & S Guitar Gear
Shubb Capos and Slides
InTune Guitar Picks

Seymour Duncan (30 Years)
Marshall Amplifiers
Direct Sound Headphones
Godin/Seagull Guitars
Gig-FX Wah Wah
Mahalo Amplifiers
Heil Microphones

Labella Strings (30 years)
Laney Amplifiers
Legator Guitars
Guitar Cable.com
ISP Technologies
Morley Pedals