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To the Club Owner and/or Music Acquisition Person viewing this site:

First, I do not make my living playing music. As such, my availability is from Friday late afternoon to early Sunday evening. On the plus side, there is none of the usual angst of the hand-to-mouth musician, which, I'd like to think, makes me easier to get along with compared to those still trying to 'make it' in the music business.

Second, I have played at many locations in the St Louis/St Charles area over the years. I have three CDs (on CDBaby and iTunes) with more coming. I've been an invited guest to many science fiction conventions as a featured music artist, once to San Francisco, and most recently Toronto. (Yes, science fiction conventions do have a music track.) I'm also the recipient of not a few awards. So, yes, I do know what I'm doing. (Of course, you can listen to some of the material here on the web site and determine that for yourself!)

Third, I play because I like to, I'm good enough at it to be able to do it in public, and if I don't play out every so often, my wife claims I get irritable. Plus, it's a great way to earn that little extra to keep me in music toys. As I said, I don't HAVE to play. I *like* to.

Although not exactly up to date, I do have a copy of my demo CD on this site. On it are 4 acoustic and 4 backing track songs. I can do an acoustic show with guitar or with guitar and piano, I can do a full sound show, or a mixture which can range from a show with an occasional song using backing tracks to a show with an occasional song NOT using backing tracks. (And please note I make the backing tracks myself. Everything you hear is actually me.)

I'm confident that, for most purposes, my musical expertise is adequate. The question is, at least in part, whether my repertoire and stage manner work with what you want in the way of entertainment for your establishment.

If you think I may be a fit for you, I'd like to talk with you about it. My contact info is:

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Thanks so much for supporting live music!