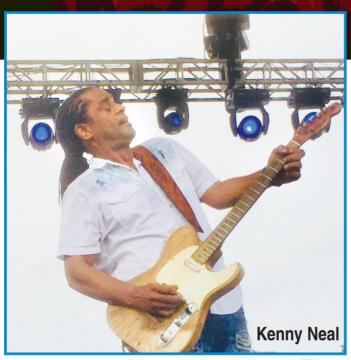




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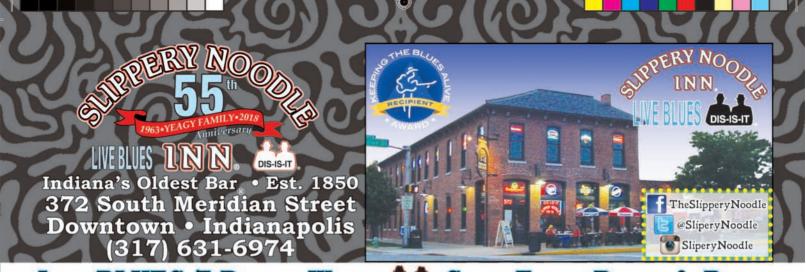


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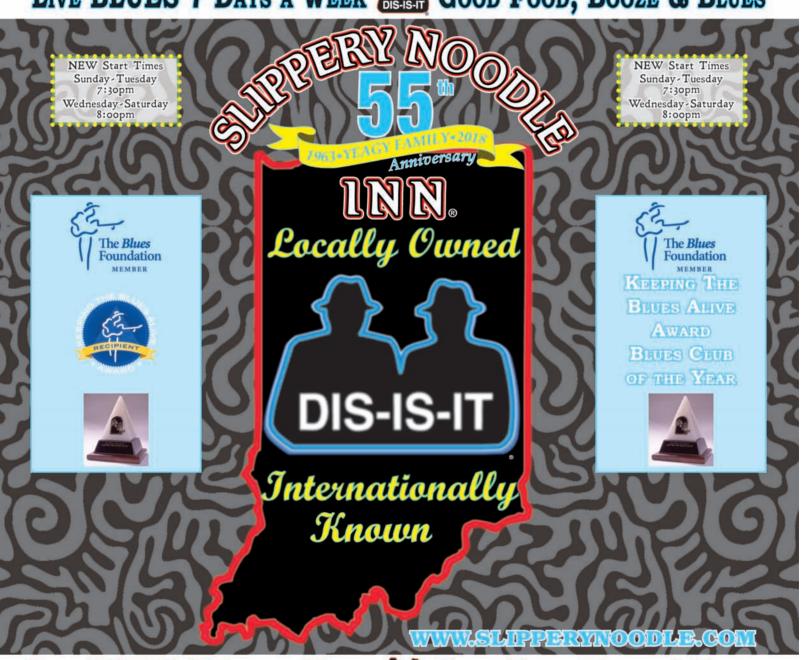
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I'm Not Complaining I'm Just Explaining! Nighttime In The Switching Yard

▼ighttime is the right time because of the heat! Sleep all day, work and play at night when it is cool! It used to be I was too young to do things, now I have reached a point I am too old to do some things. But I have been the same age my entire life. The voice in my head is the same and has never aged. Our spirits are eternal. Our souls are forever. I was reminded of this this morning when I saw YouTube videos of Miss Joni Mitchell

performing with Brandi Carlile at the George Wein celebration of life at the Newport Folk Festival. I always wanted to go but I can only do so much. The videos reminded me how cool festivals are. Festivals are magical. Enjoy the summer but be careful. "Just be kind," as Jimmy Johnson (R.I.P.) used

Kenny Wayne Shepherd

Brian Major presenting Jim McCarty with an 77th birthday cake before the Mystery Train show at Westwood Amphitheater June 2022



Three of my favorite peeps: Deacon John and his brother Charles Moore and Mizz Sugar, Blues tent NOJHF 2022.

has always had my attention since he was one of the first youngins. When we took

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the cover shot in Aurora. Illinois at the 2022 Blues on the Fox Festival at Riverside Park, we had a Big City Rhythm & Blues Magazine's booth where we could enjoy the music. We saw Kenny's full set and I enjoyed it immensely. Kenny can play (I knew that) but he can sing too! And his band with Joe Krown and Riley Osborn on keys, Noah Hunt on vocals and guitar, Troy Franklin on bass and Chris Layton on drums are allstars! The song that John Hahn, Shemekia Copeland and Kenny Wayne wrote, "Hit 'Em Back...With Love," is such a good story about how karma always wins. Shemekia knew that truth was taking a beating in the world and reached out to her old friend

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Joni Mitchell returns to Newport Folk Festival July 2022.

Survivors Joy Love, Hope and Truth Abide When Joni sings We cry — Allison Russell

KWS to do something about it and this song was the result! All proceeds from this single go to Music Maker Foundation – karma coming full circle! Keeping with KWS' love of the blues, he is embarking on a new adventure—a traveling blues festival—2022 Backroads Blues Festival featuring Buddy Guy, Kenny Wayne Shepherd and Kingfish. Get out there and support the blues.

Shemekia Copeland is a singer, composer, mother and an activist for human rights. We have known Shemekia since she was a teen and marvel at her development as a major blues singer. Her new CD, "Done Come Too Far" puts her front and center in the freedom movement along with Mavis Staples, telling it like it is. The recipient of seven Blues Music Awards, "Ain't Got Time For Hate" illustrates her passion for love and peace. I remember in August 2011 on Hunter Mountain at Bluestock we were hit by Hurricane Irene and all the bridges leading out of the mountains were washed out - we couldn't leave and we had no power. Shemekia invited us to her condo for dinner. She is a shining light in this sometime dark world. Love on you Mekia!

"Nighttime is the Right Time"

If you are a subscriber, you will have the new **Big City Rhythm & Blues Magazine's CD Sampler** #32 in your hands and in your Photo/Vnina

ears! With the help of Bobby Rush, Mizz Lowe, Delmark Records and the many talented musicians, we have produced I think it's our best sampler yet! The sampler highlights some of my personal picks that caught my attention and all together they make it swing. The sampler puts a spotlight on songwriting of the artists who have singles out. Our subscribers, radio air aces and blues cruisers on the 2022 October Legendary Rhythm & Blues Cruise will enjoy the music and help keep the blues alive. Thankyou for the support and subscribe at www.bigcitybluesmag.com.

The cherries and blueberries were award winning this year. Now we are waiting for the delicious white sweet corn and the tantalizing red haven peaches. Ah, the country life! Swimming is good

Cherry pickin' time, Junior at the Empire Cherry Farm.

Photo/Shirley Mae Owens



Top 11 Songs on Junior's Jukebox

- 1. Larry McCray, "Blues Without You"
- 2. Shemekia Copeland, "Done Come Too Far"
- 3. Kenny Wayne Shepherd, "Straight to You - Live"
- 4. Patty Tuite, "Hard Case of the Blues"
- 5. Mizz Lowe, "Take My Love"
- 6. Emma Wilson, "Wish Her Well"
- 7. Pat Smillie, "Last Chance"
- 8. Sandy Haley, "Feels Like Freedom"
- 9. Johnny Sansone, "Into Your Blues"
- 10. Kingfish, "662"
- 11. Big City Rhythm & Blues Magazine's CD Sampler #32, "Nighttime is the Right Time'

and the birds and the deer are very happy. We have been cutting down old trees and relocating raccoons. But no traffic, no people and good air and happy to have the blues!

We are looking forward to the fall on the West Coast and winter down in the Gulf of Mexico. And we plan on upcoming stories on Nashville and Texas. Yahoo! "Did you think Hank did it this way?" Waylon Jennings.

Thank-you to my team! **Shirley Mae** always has my back and my heart. **Charlie Auringer** who has brought his mighty talents to Big City Rhythm & Blues Magazine for over 27 years. **Guy Powell**—the quiet one who watches over our mistakes and entertains us with his interviews and stories. **Bob Monteleone** who writes, reviews, edits, produces our sampler and distributes the magazine while being the best guitar

reviews, edits, produces our sampler and distributes the magazine while being the best guitar teacher out there. Bob Krause brings Big City Rhythm & Blues Magazines on the road and represents us with grace and professionalism and can take photos with the best of them. And to all the contributing writers and photographers who bring the soul and love of the blues to this magazine: Salute!!

Be careful out there! See you down the road! If the Airstream is rockin' stop your knockin'! Right time at the right place! Take the high road! Surf's up! Don't forget to boogie! Aloha! Mahola!

Love, happiness and peace, Roll up the rugs and turn it up! Best!

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