



an evening of contemporary piano with jason farnham

rants and raves

"Whenever I need to book an act for one of my events, I always book Jason first." –Lindsey Rowe, Public Relations, Norm Marshall & Associates Inc, Entertainment Marketing

"Not only was Jason kind to give his time for the [First Star 2008] event, but he was so finely attuned to what was actually required musically that we were just totally lucky to have him grace us with his attention and presence."
– Peter Samuelson, Founder and President, First Star

"Jason really is a talented pianist! Very versatile, from prog. new age to solo almost classical piano."
-Rosalie Howarth, KFOG On-Air Music Personality and Host of the "Putumayo World Music Hour", San Francisco

"Be Thou My Vision" has appeared on quite a few piano CDs the past few years, and Farnham's arrangement is quite different from any I've heard. Its deep bass rhythm and having each verse become a variation on the theme are both effective and stirring!" – Kathy Parsons, mainlypiano.com

the show

Jason Farnham of Los Angeles, CA is truly *the* "International Entertainer of Contemporary Piano Music". His spectacular show "An Evening of Contemporary Piano" delights audiences around the U.S., again and again. Whether it's his ability to connect with the audience on a personal level, the way he creates a variety of emotions through his soul-soothing compositions, or the inclusion of occasional guest artists such as master percussionist Ian Dobson or vocalist Lorna Parks, Jason's true gift of captivating the audience and taking them along on his picturesque musical journey is unmatched by any other: Jason is known as the "chameleon artist" because he performs so many musical styles in one show! Your audience will enjoy a tour of seasons starting with the cool jazz classic "**Summertime**", followed by a truly original bossa nova / samba fusion arrangement of "**Autumn Leaves**". Add a great blend of his signature original compositions like the timeless hit "**When**", along with a novel arrangement of the Irish haunting melody "**Be Thou My Vision**". Top it off with Jason's upbeat personality, with comical, witty insights about playing the piano between the pieces, and your audience will have something to write home about! And during the Christmas season, Jason adds his signature arrangements of special holiday music from his brand new CD: "Christmas", truly making the show a joyful and memorable experience.

bio... "the guy who wrote the theme song for *The Dr. Oz Show*"

Raised in Canton, Ohio Jason Farnham began playing the piano at the age of four. A diverse composer and songwriter, his song "Rock Star", from the album "Barriers", was placed in the feature film, "American High School". "Morning Coffee", from the same album, was featured on the Filter Magazine Channel on all American Airlines flights for the month of January 2009. Jason has also appeared as a pianist in an episode of "Queen Bees", which aired Fall 2008 on Nickelodeon. Jason keeps strong ties to Northeast Ohio, and "Good Morning Cleveland" Channel 5 ABC did a story earlier this year about his world peace song and youtube video "Love Around The World".

Recent projects include composing for a BMW commercial and scoring the feature film, "Hiding in the Open". He composes for Harpo Productions, which is Oprah Winfrey's company. Jason wrote and produced the theme song for "The Dr. Oz Show". In addition, two of Jason's tracks were also selected and used for Oprah's recent "No Phone Zone" campaign.

past venues include...

Mountain Home Arts Council, Mountain Home, ID
Canton Cultural Center for the Arts, Canton, Ohio
Deepak Chopra's retreat, San Diego, CA

Wilshire Ebell Theatre, Los Angeles, CA
International Film & Wine Festival, Temecula, CA
Westward Ho Country Club, Sioux Falls, SD