



Pop Quiz? No! Folk Quiz!

Here are some of the folkies who have played in Madison over the last few years. Match the name with the tidbit. Info quoted from their web sites.

1. Andrew Calhoun
 2. Anne Hills
 3. Bill Staines
 4. Bob Franke
 5. Bryan Bowers
 6. Carrie Newcomer
 7. Christine Kane
 8. Christine Lavin
 9. Chulrua
 10. Claudia Schmidt
 11. David Francey
 12. Eliza Gilkyson
 13. Ellis Paul
 14. Enoch Kent
 15. Finest Kind
 16. Gina Forsyth
 17. Holly Near
 18. Jack Williams
 19. Joel Mabus
 20. John McCutcheon
 21. Karen Savoca
 22. Matt Watroba
 23. Michael Cooney
 24. Mustard's Retreat
 25. Peggy Seeger
 26. Prince Myshkins
 27. Sally Rogers
 28. Small Potatoes
 29. Sparky and Rhonda Rucker
 30. Steve Gillette and Cindy Mangsen
 31. Susan Werner
 32. Tim Grimm
 33. Tom Kastle
 34. Tom Paxton
 35. Tracy Jane Comer
 36. Vance Gilbert
- A) In the mid-1980s, she moved to New Orleans to study classical and jazz violin ... and quickly developed an irrevocable passion for Cajun music.
- B) Paying tribute to American agriculture and to her Iowa farm roots, she keeps her audiences guessing ...
- C) He is a singer, songwriter, tall ship captain, and teller of tales ...
- D) They worked to make their own material obsolete by appearing ... as KPBS San Diego's resident satirists ...

E) In 2009 and 2011 she traveled to India as a cultural ambassador, including musical performances organized by the US State Department.

F) In 1993, he was inducted into the Autoharp Hall of Fame to stand with Maybelle Carter, Kilby Snow, and Sara Carter.

G) The weekend of September 28th and 29th, 2013, [they] will host the Third Annual Bennington Songwriter's Weekend in their home town ...

H) In 2011, he portrayed IWW organizer and songwriter Joe Hill in Si Kahn's play, **Joe Hill's Last Will** ...

I) He then launched into a year and a half as support for George Carlin, leading up to the creation and recording of **Up On Rockfield** (2008).

J) The glowing reviews of [their] new album, **The Singing Kettle**, are steaming in.

K) He was born in 1943 in Carmel, California and grew up (mostly) in Tucson, Arizona. His parents divorced early and he spent much time in foster homes and the orphanage there and in California ...

L) She was born in Moradabad, India, the third daughter of educational missionaries.

M) He has toured and recorded with his friend, Ramblin' Jack Elliott, [and] appeared with Harrison Ford in the film **Clear and Present Danger** ...

N) That 1983 recording, **Water Street**, finally got him working in Chicago clubs and led to two more LPs during the 80's ... **The Gates of Love and Walk Me To The War**.

O) After graduating from Michigan in 1969 with a degree in English Lit., he moved to Cambridge, MA, to attend Episcopal Theological School.

P) From the south but now based in Madison, [she] has been called "North Carolina's gift to Wisconsin."

Q) In recent years she has been known to host knitting circles before her shows.

R) The title of [their] latest CD, **With Relish**, is more than a bad pun; it is how they feel about performing.

S) Scotland born and now Canada-based, [he] formed the traditional Scottish group, **The Reivers**, with [three others].

T) [Her] seventh solo release, **Promise**, was recorded in her 19th century church/studio nestled deep in the hills of upstate NY.

U) As she celebrates her first album in three years, **Peace Becomes You**, she's building on 40 creative years ...

V) **Firepink Music** was created by [this] singer-songwriter as her CD sales and visibility grew.

W) Formerly the radio host for **Folks Like Us**, a position he held for over 20 years on WDET-FM (Detroit) ...

X) The daughter of [a] songwriter ... whose songs were recorded by artists as diverse as Johnny Cash, the White Stripes, and Dean Martin ...

Y) After spending much of his life doing labour such as carpentry, he began a career in folk music ...

Z) Three of the finest voices in Canada singing about our past ...

AA) Born in 1935, [her] family connections are well-known in folk and classical music circles.

BB) He is left-handed and plays a right-handed guitar upside-down, with the bass strings on the bottom.

CC) They've called themselves eclectic-maniacs and described their music as "Celtic to Cowboy".

DD) When a knee injury in his junior year sidelined him from athletics, [he] picked up a ... guitar to pass the time.

EE) [She] had become obsessed with a small community in her native Michigan called Beaver Island. She moved there ... and opened a [B&B] ...

FF) Some of her songs are included in both the Unitarian and Quaker hymnals. Her residencies have included many school visits teaching students how to collect oral histories and transform them into songs.

GG) When [his] mother and father came of age in the Great Depression, they took their old-time farm-grown music on the road with other family members as "hillbilly" entertainers.

HH) Their new CD, **Let Freedom Ring**, is a testament to the ongoing struggle for liberty in the [U.S.]...

II) In 1962, he recorded a ... live album at the Gaslight entitled **I'm the Man That Built the Bridges**.

JJ) From 1958 through 1988, along with playing jazz (trumpet) and classical guitar, [he] was best known as an electric guitarist ...

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Solution: A=16, B=31, C=33, D=26, E=6, F=5, G=30, H=20, I=36, J=9, K=23, L=2, M=32, N=1, O=4, P=35, Q=8, R=24, S=14, T=21, U=17, V=7, W=22, X=12, Y=11, Z=15, AA=25, BB=3, CC=28, DD=13, EE=10, FF=27, GG=19, HH=29, II=34, JJ=18