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## BASC BLUEGRASS NIGHT AT VIVA

Tuesday, February 18th, 8:00 PM

Viva Cantina Mexican Restaurant  
900 Riverside Drive, Burbank CA



**The Get Down Boys**

The Get Down Boys are a Los Angeles based string band performing high energy traditional and original Bluegrass music, along with modern favorites infused with the sounds of Americana. Known for their carefully crafted songs, floor-shaking rhythms, and unmistakable harmonies, The GDBs bring an irresistible and infectious passion to their spin on American roots music.

They have mastered an organic, contemporary sound and cohesive high energy act, but most important to this group is their support for the new movements in bluegrass music. "The GDB's are blazing a new path with their spit-fire vocals, upbeat high-tempo picking, and a classic mix of instrumentation that sounds twangy and fresh" (The Groove Thief). The GDBs love to have a good time with their fans, music lovers, and each other, and are on a mission to grow the American bluegrass scene. "With a healthy repertoire of traditional and original material" (OFOAM) their infectious energy and passion for their craft gets an audience of any musical taste having "grand ole time" (The Examiner) and excited about the roots of American music.

**Next Bluegrass Night Performance at Viva**  
**March 18, 2014 - Murphy's Flaw**



Bluegrass Night is held at **Viva Cantina**. Conveniently located at 900 Riverside Drive in Burbank. Free parking across the street at the bowling alley. You can order off the menu which includes some of the best Mexican food in town. Beer and Margharitas are \$3.00 each.

For additional information, visit the [BASC Website](http://BASC Website)



# THE BLUEGRASS ASSOCIATION OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

Presents



## The Claire Lynch Band in Concert

at the Mission Theatre  
at Rancho Cordillera del Norte

9015 Wilbur Ave., Northridge, CA 91324

at 8PM on Friday Night, March 7, 2014.

Tickets in advance: \$20 (BASC members), \$22 (non-members); at Door: \$25

Ticket on sale at [www.socalbluegrass.org](http://www.socalbluegrass.org), at all BASC events,  
or from BASC-mail order:

c/o Ben Weinberg, 16799 Schoenborn St., North Hills, CA 91343.

*"One of my favorite singers in all acoustic, country and bluegrass music, She is a jewel."*

*~ Mary Chapin Carpenter ~*

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# A NEW CD FROM MIKE STEIN

ON AMAZON & ITUNES:  
SEARCH "THERE'S A PLACE THAT I PRAY"



(COVER ART BY AFRICAN-AMERICAN FOLK ARTIST, RICK HYMAN)

FIDDLE PLAYER FOR BILL EMERSON FOR 17 YEARS IN THE US NAVY BAND "COUNTRY CURRENT" MIKE STEIN IS PROUD TO RELEASE HIS NEW GOSPEL CD. MIKE TAKES THE ANCIENT TEXTS OF THE OLD TESTAMENT AND CREATES A GOSPEL BLUEGRASS SOUND THAT INSTANTLY BONDS THE LISTENER WITH THE POETIC GRACE OF GOD'S WORD. FEATURES BANJO GREATS PAT SAUBER AND PAT WHITE ALONG WITH JARED STEIN (FIDDLE); JUSTIN STEIN (BASS); FRED SOKOLOW (DOBRO/MANDOLIN); KELLEY AND JAMIE STEIN (HARMONY)

## JAMS IN TOWN

### The Soup Jam

2420 Gundry Ave.  
Signal Hill CA 90755  
Tuesdays 7:00 PM

### The New Westside Jam

Industry & Jazz Cafe  
6039 Washington Bl.  
Culver City, CA  
1st Monday, 7:30 PM

### The Altadena Jam

Coffee Gallery  
2029 N. Lake  
Altadena, CA  
2nd Sunday, 12:30 PM

### Orange County Archery

18792 Brookhurst St.  
Fountain Valley CA  
1st/3rd Thursday, 6 PM

### BASC Jam

**West Valley Music Center**  
24424 Vanowen St  
West Hills 91307  
4th Sunday, 1PM

# The Bluegrass Association of Southern California presents... The Bluegrass Jam

## The Fourth Sunday of Every Month

### 1:00 to 5:00 PM

### *West Valley Music Center*

### *24424 Vanowen Street*

### *West Hills, CA 91307*

### 818.992.4142

### Jeff Gold, Owner

### [westvalleymusic@sbcglobal.net](mailto:westvalleymusic@sbcglobal.net)



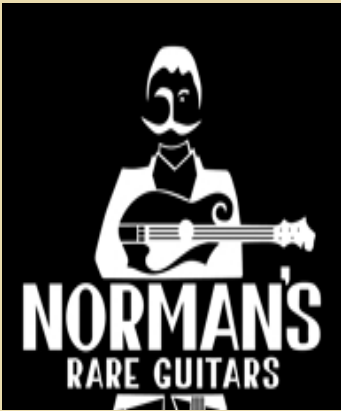
**Meets rain or shine on the fourth  
Sunday of every month. Pickers of all skills and experience  
are welcome.**

**Got a question? Call Jeff at 310-390-4391**





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# WE ARE BASC.

## The Bluegrass Association of Southern California.

### Here's what we do.

***The BASC Bluegrass Jam in the Park:*** On the fourth Sunday of every month, pickers from far and wide gather at one of Southern California's premier bluegrass events, the BASC Bluegrass Jam. This jam is for pickers of all skills and experience. Starting in January 2013, the new location of the Jam will be the West Valley Music Center, 24424 Vanowen Street, West Hills, CA 91307.

***Bluegrass Night at Viva Cantina:*** On the third Tuesday of every month, we provide a showcase for Southern California's best bluegrass bands (and an occasional traveling band) at this great Burbank restaurant. Admission is free and Viva Cantina serves up some of the best American and Mexican food around, and at reasonable prices.

***Bluegrass at the Ford:*** Since 1997, we have brought top national bluegrass bands to Los Angeles for this annual summer concert. Past artists have included J.D. Crowe, Michael Cleveland, Laurie Lewis, the Lonesome Riverband, and Illrd Tyme Out. This August we are presenting Laurie Lewis and the Right Hands & John Reischman and the Jaybirds.

***BASC eNewsletter:*** We keep track of Southern California bluegrass jams, gigs, and festivals with our unique eNewsletter. The eNewsletter goes out each month to all our members and friends via email and Facebook.

***BASC Web Site:*** Our web site at [www.socalbluegrass.org](http://www.socalbluegrass.org) is a valuable source of information about bluegrass going-ons in Southern California. It also has an interactive calendar where you can list your own Bluegrass events. Check it out.

***BASC Volunteers:*** We help people get involved in the bluegrass scene and meet a lot of nice folks, as well. Bring your talents, energy, and dreams, and help us make it happen.

***BASC Member Bands:*** We list all our member bands with links to their websites each month in our eNewsletter. Member bands also get a chance to show their stuff to an enthusiastic audience at BASC Bluegrass Night.

***To Join BASC or to renew your membership see the next page.***

# Member Bands

Click on the band name to check their website for upcoming gigs.

**The Brombies**

**Grasslands**

**Hazel Mountain**

**Jerusalem Stone Bluegrass Band**

**Keeping Fire**

**The Murphy Family Band**

**Murphy's Flaw**

**Rocky Neck Bluegrass Band**

**Salty Suites**

**David Volk and Friends**

**Western State of Mind**

**The Wimberley Bluegrass Band**

## Join BASC - The Bluegrass Association of Southern California It's easy!

Pay for your membership by check, by filling out this form and mailing it and your check made out to BASC to:

BASC c/o Ben Weinberg  
16799 Schoenborn St.  
North Hills, CA 91343

Choose one: [  ] New membership (or) [  ] Renewal

One year membership:

[  ] Individual \$20.00

[  ] Family \$25 for two people, plus \$5 for each additional voting member

[  ] Group \$30 (band/merchant/organization)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: State: \_\_\_\_\_

Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Your comments/suggestions: \_\_\_\_\_

[  ] I'm willing to be an event volunteer.

[  ] I have a guest room and would like to provide visiting bluegrass musicians with meals and/or housing.