

GENE WATSON FAN CLUB

WELCOME TO MY FIRST EVER EMAILED NEWSLETTER! THIS HAS BEEN A YEAR WITH A LOT OF "FIRSTS"!

I WAS FORTUNATE THIS YEAR TO SIGN WITH SHANACHIE RECORDS TO MAKE MY FIRST RECORD FOR THEM. ALSO WHAT A GREAT MOMENT IT WAS FOR ME TO SING FOR THE FIRST TIME WITH SIX OF MY FAVORITE COUNTRY ARTISTS FOR THE NEW ALBUM, IN A PERFECT WORLD. IT WAS A DREAM TO HAVE VINCE GILL, CONNIE SMITH, JOE NICHOLS, MARK CHESNUTT, RHONDA VINCENT AND LEE ANN WOMACK ON THIS ALBUM.



IT WAS DEFINITELY A FIRST FOR ME TO SIT BACK AND LET SOMEONE ELSE DO ALL THE PRODUCING ON THIS ALBUM. SO MANY TIMES I'VE HAD TO WORK AS THE PRODUCER/ARRANGER AS WELL AS THE ARTIST IN THE STUDIO BUT THIS TIME I WAS BLESSED TO HAVE ONE OF THE WORLD'S FINEST PRODUCERS, BRENT ROWAN TAKE OVER THOSE DUTIES AND WHAT AN AMAZING JOB HE DID. WE BOTH HAIL FROM TEXAS AND WE SHARE THE SAME SENSE OF WHAT MAKES GOOD COUNTRY MUSIC. BRENT, AS A PRODUCER FOR JOE NICHOLS AND BLAKE SHELTON, PLUS BEING A WORLD RENOWNED GUITAR PLAYER, HAS BEEN INVOLVED IN RECORDINGS THAT HAVE SOLD COLLECTIVELY IN EXCESS OF 100,000,000 COPIES

MAGAZINE FEATURES

NO DEPRESSION - OCTOBER/NOVEMBER
COUNTRY MUSIC PEOPLE (UK) - NOVEMBER
MAVERICK MAGAZINE (UK) - NOVEMBER

COMING SOON:
COUNTRY WEEKLY - DECEMBER 3RD

FOR THE FIRST TIME IN MY LIFE, I'M ABLE TO SELL MY CDs AND MERCHANDISE ONLINE.

WWW.GENEWATSONMUSIC.COM

HEAR SOME OF THE NEW MUSIC, PURCHASE CDs AND MERCHANDISE, AND COME POST ON THE NEW MESSAGE BOARD. I WILL OCCASIONALLY BE ON THERE MYSELF WHEN I HAVE ANY SPECIAL NEWS TO TELL YOU OR EVEN JUST TO CHECK IN AND SEE HOW YOU'RE DOING.

RADIO & INTERVIEWS

JEFF FOXWORTHY SHOW
THE FARM RADIO - WIVK, WIBP, KOKL,
WDXE, KTPK, KHVG, WMAF, WKDW,
WQAH, WKBL

CALL YOUR LOCAL STATION AND REQUEST
"I BURIED OUR LOVE"



RHONDA VINCENT AND GENE WATSON
AT THE OPRY

WE HOPE TO HAVE THIS NEWSLETTER SENT OUT QUARTERLY TO KEEP YOU POSTED ON MY CONCERT DATES, RADIO & TV APPEARANCES AND WHEN I HAVE NEW MERCHANDISE AVAILABLE. HERE YOU'LL BE INFORMED OF ALL THE NEWS ABOUT ME AND THE FAREWELL PARTY BAND.

SPEAKING OF THE BAND, WE'VE ADDED TWO NEW MEMBERS RECENTLY. WE NOW HAVE MY FORMER STEP ONE LABEL MATE, CLINTON GREGORY, ON ACOUSTIC GUITAR, FIDDLE AND BACKGROUND VOCALS. YOU'LL SEE CLINTON OPENING SOME OF THE CONCERTS TOO! ON ELECTRIC GUITAR WE'RE VERY PROUD TO WELCOME BACK WOODY WOODRUFF! OF COURSE WE STILL HAVE OUR GREAT BASS PLAYER, STALEY ROGERS, EXCELLENT DRUMMER, TODD HINES, MY LONGTIME FRIEND AND PIANO PLAYER, JOE EDDIE GOUGH AND ON PEDAL STEEL AND THE BAND LEADER, THE SOULFUL CORKY OWENS.

IRELAND TOUR

ROGER RYAN
AFTER A SHOW
IN IRELAND.
JOURNALIST FOR
PERSONALITIES
MAGAZINE.



I JUST GOT BACK FROM A THREE WEEK TOUR OF IRELAND WHICH STARTED OCTOBER 2. THE TOUR WAS SO SUCCESSFUL THAT THE PROMOTER, JAMES MCGARRITY OF JW PROMOS IS WORKING TOWARD A NEXT TOUR IN FEBRUARY/MARCH 2009. IT IS HOPED THAT THIS TOUR WILL ALSO INCLUDE DATES IN ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

WWW.JWPROMOS.COM

"ONE OF COUNTRY'S FINEST, AND MOST UNDERRATED SINGERS."

-USA TODAY.COM

"'IN A PERFECT WORLD' IS THE COUNTRY MUSIC SLEEPER OF 2007"

-BOSTON HERALD.COM

"WATSON CAN MAKE CONTEMPORARY SONGS SOUND LIKE TIMELESS CLASSICS. HE'S NEVER SOUNDED BETTER, WHICH IS SAYING SOMETHING!"

-ASSOCIATED PRESS

PLEASE VOTE GENE WATSON

GRAMMY NOMINATION BALLOT



FIELD #8, CATEGORY #37:
BEST MALE COUNTRY VOCAL
ENTRY #081

FIELD #8, CATEGORY #41:
BEST COUNTRY SONG
ENTRY #054

FIELD #8, CATEGORY #42:
BEST COUNTRY ALBUM
ENTRY #076



Gene Watson is widely considered the finest pure country singer of his generation. Here he is joined by an all-star cast as he delivers heartfelt interpretations of great new songs as well as some classics, all done in authentic country style!



1. Don't You Ever Get Tired Of Hurting Me
2. Let Me Be The First To Go
(w/ Vince Gill)
3. What Was I Thinking?
4. Today I Started Loving You Again
(w/ Lee Ann Womack)
5. In A Perfect World
(w/ Joe Nichols)
6. She's Already Gone
7. This Side Of The Door
(w/ Mark Chesnutt)
8. Together Again
(w/ Rhonda Vincent)
9. I Buried Our Love
10. A Good Place To Turn Around
(w/ Connie Smith)
11. Like I Wasn't Even There

Produced by Brent Rowan

MAINE COUNTRY MUSIC ASSOCIATION - "FAREWELL PARTY" 2007 SONG OF THE YEAR
COUNTRY MUSIC PEOPLE MAGAZINE - CD OF THE MONTH WITH A 5-STAR REVIEW

"...TURN YOUR ATTENTION TO THIS MIGHTY, FLAWLESS PIECE OF WORK THAT IS
 'IN A PERFECT WORLD.' PROBABLY THE BEST ALBUM I HAVE HEARD IN 2007."

- JOHN PHILBERT

UPCOMING TOUR DATES

NOVEMBER

17 - MIDDLE CREEK OPRY
 LOUISBURG, KS

24 - STAGECOACH BALLROOM
 FORT WORTH, TX

DECEMBER

8 - MUSIC CITY TEXAS
 LINDEN, TX

15 - EXECUTIVE INN
 OWENSBORO, KY

12 - LLANO OPRY
 LLANO, TX

19 - PEPE'S ON THE RIVER
 MISSION, TX

JANURAY

22 - 24
 COUNTRY FAMILY
 REUNION TAPING
 NASHVILLE, TN

MARCH

7 - STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL
 PLANT CITY, FL
 22 - LITTLE NASHVILLE OPRY
 NASHVILLE, IN

**PLEASE EMAIL US YOUR PHOTOS WITH GENE.
 IT MAY JUST END UP ON THE SITE, OR EVEN THE
 NEXT NEWSLETTER!**

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A NOTE TO MY LONG TIME FAN CLUB

MEMBERS:

WE ARE MOVING THE FAN CLUB INTO A NEW ERA SO THIS IS THE LAST MAILED NEWSLETTER YOU WILL RECEIVE. HOWEVER, WE WANT TO STAY IN TOUCH SO PLEASE SIGN UP FOR OUR FREE NEWSLETTER AT THIS ONLINE ADDRESS: WWW.GENEWATSONMUSIC.COM. THE NEW EMAILED VERSION WILL HOPEFULLY BE OUT QUARTERLY. THERE IS ALSO A 'FAN CLUB' SECTION ON THE SITE AS WELL. YOU **DO NOT** NEED TO SIGN UP THERE ALSO. THAT IS FOR OTHER VARIOUS ITEMS SUCH AS: CONTESTS, PROMOTIONS, TOUR DATES, ETC... IF YOU ARE SIGNED UP FOR THE FAN CLUB THIS AUTOMATICALLY SIGNS YOU UP FOR THE NEWSLETTER.

PLEASE FEEL FREE TO EMAIL YOUR COMMENTS AND SUGGESTIONS TO NEWSLETTER@GENEWATSONMUSIC.COM.

THANK YOU FOR BEING MY LONGTIME FRIENDS AND SUPPORTERS.



CONTEST

WHAT WAS GENE'S FIRST SINGLE RELEASE ON A MAJOR RECORD LABEL?

**PLEASE EMAIL ALL ANSWERS TO NEWSLETTER@GENEWATSONMUSIC.COM
THE WINNER WILL RECEIVE A FREE AUTOGRAPHED PHOTO OF GENE.
THE DRAWING WILL BE ON JANUARY 7.**

WINNER SELECTED BY RANDOM DRAWING
OF CORRECT ENTRIES.

SPECIAL THANKS

I PERSONALLY WANT TO THANK MY FRIEND AND LONG TIME FAN CLUB PRESIDENT, LESLIE ANN ELLIOTT (PICTURE BELOW), FOR HER MANY YEARS OF SERVICE. WE ALL KNOW WHAT A WONDERFUL JOB SHE HAS DONE IN THE PAST AND I APPRECIATE HER DEDICATION TO ME, MY MUSIC AND TO ALL OF THE FANS. MANY THANKS!



I HOPE YOU HAVE A WONDERFUL HOLIDAY FILLED WITH THE LOVE OF FAMILY AND FRIENDS. I WILL BE THINKING OF ALL OF YOU DURING THIS TIME AND WISHING YOU THE VERY BEST.

I HOPE YOU ENJOY THIS NEWSLETTER AND KEEP COMING BACK TO THE CONCERTS. EVERY SHOW IS SPECIAL TO ME AND I COULDN'T DO THIS WITHOUT YOU. YOU ARE WITHOUT A DOUBT THE GREATEST FANS IN THE WORLD.

THANKS FOR ALL YOU DO FOR ME,