



Brother Ray Lemelin & The Matinee Kings



BROTHER RAY LEMELIN

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ABOUT RAY LEMELIN

GENRE: Blues/Roots

Ray Lemelin was born and raised in Quebec and now lives in Calgary, Alberta. Ray was inspired early on by musicians such as Willie Dixon and Clarence Gatemouth Brown to pick up a Stratocaster and play the blues. Over the decades, Ray has performed with Jimmy Payne, Tim Williams, Ron Casat, Amos Garrett, Rusty Reed, Back-alley John, Johnny V, Harp Dog Brown and now plays with The Matinee Kings. Ray's most recent album, THANGS is now available on all streaming services. Dark/Out of Phase released in 2023, was nominated for best Blues Album of the Year and Ray was granted guitar player of the year by the CBMA Blues Awards in 2013. Brother Ray Lemelin and The Matinee Kings currently host a weekly Sunday night Jam at The Blues Can in Calgary, Alberta Canada.

Awards and Nominations

- Dark/Out of Phase -Best Blues Album of the Year nomination, 2023 YYC Music Awards
- Guitar Player of the Year 2013
- CBMA Blues Awards
- Hills and Lemelin - Neither Here Nor There - Named album of the year from the Acoustic Underground Blues Network.

LATEST RELEASE

THANGS

- Ain't To Late - Raymond Lemelin
- Big Legged Woman - Leon Russell & Charles Blackwell
- Etta Jean - Raymond Lemelin
- Lonesome Whistle - Alan Moore, Elson Teat, Rudy Toombs
- Mon 'N' Piti - Raymond Lemelin
- Outside Help - BB King & Dave Clark
- Sun-Ho-Zay - Freddie King & Sonny Thompson
- Tell Me Papa - Raymond Lemelin
- The Monkey - Dave Bartholomew
- Why Not - Raymond Lemelin



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