



Pianist/Composer

Jim Clayton

Top 10 at Canadian jazz radio;
Top 30 in the USA!

"Warm and happy... tender & soulful."

DOWNBEAT
Jazz, Blues & Beyond Since 1934

Great original music mixed with cool arrangements of classics...polished, tight performances...an entertaining performer with a terrific band!

About Jim's performances...

"Jim's group captured the audience's attention with a polished, interactive performance. Jim and his band are of extremely high calibre; the music was great, and they were a blast to hear and watch. We will definitely be inviting Jim back!"

**Jana Gordon, Artistic Director
Uptown Waterloo Jazz Festival**

"Jim Clayton's performance at our concert series was one of the highlights. Clever arrangements, excellent musicianship, a very professional presentation... and a standing ovation!"

**Sandy MacKay, Producer
Jazz for the People (London, ON)**

About Jim's albums..

Awarded 3½ stars in Downbeat

Featured in Jazziz Magazine and on their Sampler CD

Heard internationally on radio (including NPR, CBC, Jazz FM) and on television (Dateline NBC, The Kardashians, MTV)

Awarded Best Jazz Recording (Canadian Urban Music Awards)

"Clayton and his band created beautiful music here."

**OffBeat Magazine
Louisiana Music & Culture**

"...enormous skip and swing..."

Marc Myers, JazzWax.com

"Ingenious...his formidable 4tet bring melody back from the jazz witness protection program."

CriticalJazz.com

"Jim is the new Vince Guaraldi!"

**Bill Summers,
Herbie Hancock's Headhunters**



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