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35th District Agricultural Association

James Garner's Tribute to Johnny Cash

The Table Mountain FREE Concert Series Presented by Coors Light

On Wednesday, June 5 we are excited to bring James Garner's Tribute to Johnny Cash to the Merced County Fair. This show is part of the Table Mountain Free Concert Series presented by Coors Light. The show on the Outdoor Theatre Stage starts at 8:30 p.m. and is free with your paid Fair admission.

For more than a decade, Garner and his band have faithfully recreated Cash's biggest hits with stunning accuracy in this not-to-be-missed musical event. From special concert airings on PBS stations to shows at Folsom and San Quentin prisons, it's easy to see why this is the premier tribute to the "Man in Black." The show is a fun, toe-tapping trip down memory lane honoring Johnny Cash's life and music, and the boom-chicka-boom sound of his longtime backing band, the Tennessee Three.

In addition to performing across the United States, Garner's group has released three full-length albums; making them the most recorded and published Johnny Cash tribute show in the nation.

For Garner, his love and appreciation of Johnny Cash music began at an early age.

"I started listening to Johnny Cash music when I was about 12 years old," said Garner. "The first song I heard by him was 'Don't Take Your Guns to Town' and I was hooked. A few years later, I saw the Man in Black in concert and got to meet him backstage following the show. Shaking hands with Johnny Cash is still the coolest experience I've ever had."

James Garner's Tribute to Johnny Cash highlights

- Show members are James Garner, lead vocals & rhythm guitar; Denny Colleret, lead guitar & vocals; Rick Duncan, bass & vocals; and Nick Auriummo, drums.
- Garner and his band have performed more than 500 professional shows, including a special concert at Folsom State Prison in 2008 to commemorate the 40th anniversary of Cash's infamous live album recorded behind prison walls.
- On the 50th anniversary of Cash's historic performance, Garner's show – with special guest Tara Cash (Cash's youngest daughter) – returned to the city of Folsom for two sold out concert events at the Harris Center for the Arts.



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www.CashTribute.net