

Guitarist, composer, and arranger **Bob DeVos** is hailed as “a brilliant, knowing bebop player, a master with a sound to die for-- rich, full, deep, positive, round and warm.” With long, blues-drenched melodic lines and a horn-like approach, Bob has a signature style of groove and sophistication. With his long time organ group, critics and fans dig his “infectious, funky groove.” A modern player with strong traditional roots, Bob is at home with straight-ahead jazz, blues, Rhythm & Blues, funk, Latin and more. Bob’s current CD *Shadow Box* catapulted to the Top Ten Airplay Charts and is enjoying widespread critical acclaim; his earlier CDs as a leader for HighNote/Savant were also Top Ten plays and on many Top Jazz CDs lists. DeVos enjoys a strong following for his innovative work with a who’s who of jazz greats both in and outside of the Hammond B3 organ genre: As a sideman he has played on over 100 studio recordings. He came up in jazz playing/recording with legends Richard “Groove” Holmes & Sonny Stitt, Jimmy McGriff & Hank Crawford and especially Charles “The Mighty Burner” Earland.s