



Introduction & Background

Steeped in American music traditions such as bluegrass, folk, ragtime, rock and country, Grass It Up has shaped a unique brand of Americana that expresses the feeling of life in today's American West. Their stories translate to timeless songs that touch the heart of their listeners, and their melodic instrumentation bends rules. Grass It Up has been producing their own original music since 2005 and is celebrating their 6th full-length album, *Borrowed Time*, recorded live at the Western Jubilee Recording Company. Grass It Up brings a headline performance and has warmed up the stage for classic performers like the Nitty Gritty Dirt Band and the Oak Ridge Boys, and bluegrass bands including Crooked Still, Front Country, the Ragin' Cajun Doug Kershaw and the Yonder Mountain String Band.

Grass It Up is renowned for their thought-provoking songwriting, high energy and engaging live performances. You can find them at iconic venues like Colorado Chautauqua, the Governor's Mansion, and the Broadmoor Resort. Festival season brings public showcases including the world renowned Walnut Valley Festival, Keystone Bluegrass & Brews, High Mountain Hay Fever, Meadowgrass Music Festival, and Bluegrass on the Arkansas.

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Awards and Press

Grass It Up was voted "Best Country/Bluegrass Band" by readers of the *Colorado Springs Independent* each year from 2011-2016 and their album *Borrowed Time* was named "Best Original Album" by the Colorado Springs Gazette

Testimonial

"Two performances in two months for the Black Rose Acoustic Society, standing room only. Wow! Featuring at the Open Stage, they had multiple Black Rose Stomps, two encores and a standing ovation. Amazing!" — Moira Theriault - The Black Rose Acoustic Society

"Live (new album) is entertaining and satisfying, and I got an "aw shucks it's over" feeling as I drove back over the pass. But, this CD will go along with me on my next road trip—miles and miles of Montana. Keep them coming, boys!" — Cathleen Norman of Pow'r Pickin' Magazine

"Inspired songwriting, spot on harmonies, and brilliant pickin' make "Live" a 'must have' for fans of Americana and indie grass – twelve original songs that amply showcase the musical chops and high-altitude energy that Grass It Up brings to every live performance."

— Steve Harris, 107.3 FM Mountain Country & Meadowgrass Music Festival, Executive Director