

Rural Route

Rural Route 3 is an all-original, blusey, funky, somewhat trashy, three-piece rock n' roll band hailing from the ever envious City of Destiny, Tacoma, WA. Our individual stylistic influences (which range from Buddy Guy, to the Black Crowes, to Primus, to Green Day) come together to form an edgy, energetic, and curiously danceable brand of music. We've amassed quite a respectable following over the past two years, playing various venues around the area, and we expect that to continue to grow as we find new and exciting live performance opportunities throughout the Olympia, Tacoma, and Seattle areas.

Our second CD, "The Honey Pot Blues" (Independent, 2007) demonstrates the power of our original songwriting, diversity of our musical influences, and energy of our overall live performance capabilities. While we do focus on original material, we have been known to mangle a cover or two at our shows, to the astonishment and delight of our fans.

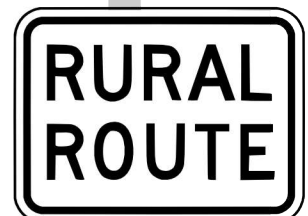
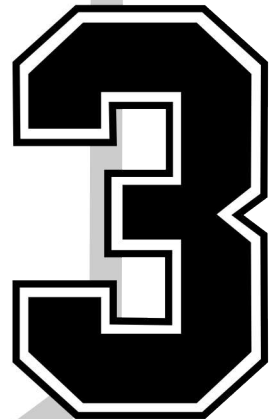
The Band

Monk: Slide Guitar, Vocals, Harmonica, Optional Shirt

Pinky: Drums, Vocals, General Smart-Assedness

Pope: Bass, Cello, and More Bass

Look, there's more!

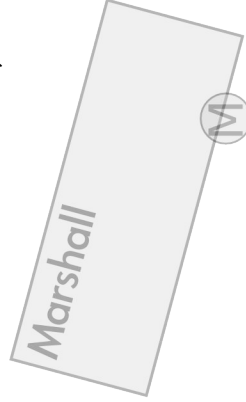
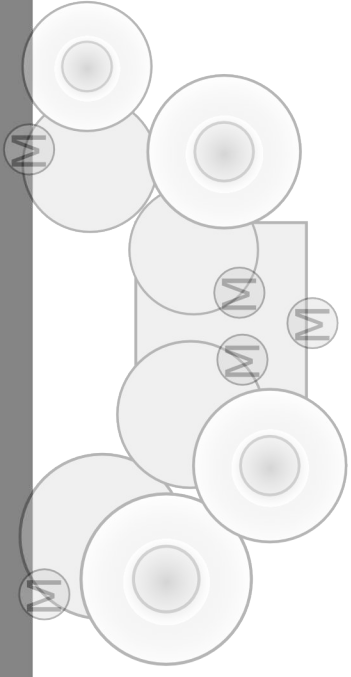
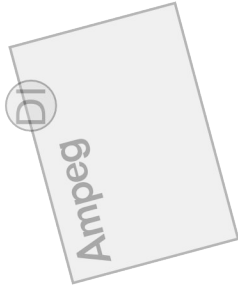




☆ St. Paul
 ☆ Baptist Harmon
 ☆ Honey Pot Blues
 ☆ Be My Angel
 ☆ Nothing Like Regret
 ☆ Jesus Girl
 ☆ My Baby Got Wheels
 ☆ Sleamed
 ☆ I Don't # Sin
 ☆ Family Tradition
 ☆ Jesus, Son
 ☆ Do or Die
 ☆ Las Vegas



Sincere thanks for sampling our music and considering our band. We hope you'll find our brand of rock n' roll to your liking, and we look forward to working with you in the near future!



Pinky, Monk, and Pope

Rural Route 3 makes few demands of the venues hosting our live performances. In addition to our own high-end instruments and amplification, we are able to provide our own lighting, PA, speakers, monitors, and mixer; suited to easily handle nearly any sized room.

We have an extensive catalog of material, originals and covers, enough to fill more than three hours of continuous music. Some of the artists that we cover include the Rolling Stones, Social Distortion, Hank Williams Jr. Black Crowes, Stevie Ray Vaughan, and Green Day (to name a few).

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