



analogjazz

**Analog:** a compound with a molecular structure closely similar to that of another.

**Jazz:** a type of music of American origin characterized by improvisation, syncopation, and usually a regular or forceful rhythm.

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## Everything you need to know...

Analog Jazz has been a Northern California favorite for more than decade delighting crowds with some of the best contemporary jazz around. They mix things up with an up tempo to smooth variety of the jazz classics and standards to a smooth, easy-listening experience with a pinch of rhythm & blues. Whatever the occasion, Analog Jazz will deliver the goods. With a wide variety of experience and musicianship, Analog Jazz has been hailed as a personal favorite to thousands of fans from Northern California to Washington D.C. and reaching as far as Australia, England, Japan, Spain, Brazil, and France.



## But, what are others saying?

*"What a pleasure working with Analog Jazz - A real crowd pleaser and a bunch of real pros."*

**Boney James - Jazz Musician**

*"I've work with a lot of bands through the years and Analog Jazz is by far one of the best."*

**Norman Brown - Jazz Musician**

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*" Analog Jazz are a wonderful group of fellow musicians that was a kick to perform with."*

**Doug Ellington - Jazz Musician**

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*"Analog Jazz is a group of very professional musicians that gave the 30,000 people attending this year's Christmas services a very good time."*

**Bob S. - Bayside**

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*"Analog Jazz is one of our Summer Series' favorite bands. They've been with us for five years!"*

**Tom Huskins - Husky Shows**



## Meet the boys in the band



### **Matt Braswell** | Saxophone/Vocals

Matt has been playing saxophones for 30 years and his playing style is highly influenced by the in-your-face sounds of R&B funk sax players like Jr. Walker, Lenny Pickett, and David Sanborn but can also slip into a mellow groove ala Grover Washington Jr. or Gerald Albright. Matt has played with many bands over the years and has one album credit with Mic Martin's What is it About You on the One Foot in Front of the Other album which was a great success in Europe in 2005. As a member of Analog Jazz, Matt has opened for Boney James in concert. Matt cut his vocal chops in contemporary worship groups and through hosting karaoke and can cut a lead or find a harmony. Matt prefers the connection with a live audience but is also at home in the studio with his Analog Jazz bandmates.



### **Leonard Carillo** | Upright Bass/Electric Bass

Leonard has been playing since the young age of twelve. He was given the opportunity to take the place of a neighbor in a local band performing in the local scene at weddings and grand openings etc. In his teens, Leonard progressed to touring the US and Europe with a number of recording artists supporting their recordings and broadening his musical reach. His passion is to explore a variety of styles of music from rock, pop, funk, R&B & Jazz. Leonard loves the challenges that the styles bring. His influences are Paul McCartney, Brian Bromberg, to John Clayton.



### **Chris Jackson** | Keyboards / Vocals

Chris has always been a lover a music. Some of his earliest memories include listening to Gospel music in the back of his mom's car on the way to school or spending weekend afternoons listening to The Winans and The O'Jays from his dad's vinyl and 8-track collection . His love of piano started with classical music as a young child and eventually led him to serving as a music director for the Cadet Gospel Choir during his time at the Air Force Academy. Chris' eclectic taste in music expresses itself in his ability to remix and mash-up various styles of music into something new and beautiful and he feels like he's in heaven when he's playing live music with his friends.



### **Russ Merritt** | Drums / Percussion

Russ brings to Analog Jazz a lifetime of musical experience as a professional percussionist for numerous local and national artists. He gravitated toward drums and percussion as a natural expression of his personal artistry and love for music. His sense of classic and modern styles makes him an A-list musician who brings impeccable beat and rhythm to the band. He is essentially a groove machine.

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## *Analog Jazz*

*performs a wide variety of musical styles including Jazz Standards, Smooth Jazz, Swing, R&B Soul, and Blues. Featured are the smooth vocals of Dave Eaton & Matt Braswell with background support from Peter Martin, Jeff Jannsen and Leonard Carillo. Here is a list of just some of the material that Analog Jazz performs (subject to change, of course).*

## **playlist/ever evolving repertoire**

Watermelon Man	Ain't No Sunshine
Summertime	Kansas City
Sway	Cold Duck Time
Just The Two of Us	When a Man Loves a Woman
Sweet Love	Soulful Strut
Moondance	Put It Where You Want it
My Girl	Mr. Magic
Pacific Coast Highway	Walkin' in Rhythm
Soul Serenade	Song For My Father
You Are So Beautiful/ Revelation Song	Sleepwalk
Drive My Car	How Sweet It Is (to Be Loved By You)
At Last	Lady Wants to Know
Mercy Mercy Mercy	Change the World
I Can't Tell You Why	Minute By Minute
Breezin'	You Make Me Smile
Best of My Love	Tequila Moon

## **SEASONAL FAVORITES**

Silver Bells	Please Come Home For Christmas
What Child is This	Feliz Navidad
Have Yourself a Merry Little Christmas	I'll Be Home For Christmas
White Christmas	Run Rudolph Run
Silent Night	Rockin' Around the Christmas Tree
Jingle Bell Rock	What Christmas Means to Me
Winter Wonderland	



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## recordings



### ***TIMING IS EVERYTHING***

Walkin' in Rhythm  
Sleepwalk  
Rocketeer  
Sweet Love  
Moondance  
Windows & Doors  
Pick up the Pieces  
When a Man  
Loves a Woman  
Song For My Father  
Cold Duck Time



### ***CHRISTMAS DELUXE***

Silver Bells  
What Child is This  
Have Yourself a  
Merry Little Christmas  
Feliz Navidad  
Sleigh Ride  
Winter Wonderland  
Santa Baby  
White Christmas  
Silent Night  
What Christmas Means to Me

**AnalogJazz CD music is available at:**





## CONTACT INFORMATION | BOOKING

Analog Jazz has performed at a variety of venues throughout the years and welcomes opportunities to work with you and your organization to add that special touch only live music can provide. We have a number of very flexible plans to fit most every occasion, and we look forward to working with you to turn your event into a grand success!

*For more information, please email us directly or visit our website and discover Analog Jazz.*

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