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## BIG POPPY w/ Special Guest Jes Richmond

Written by Gary on August, 13 2012

Jes Richmond is one of Indiana's most accomplished folk rock singer/songwriters, with more than 30 years' experience entertaining audiences across the United States and Japan under his belt. Originally from Shelbyville, IN, Jes migrated west during the folkie boom of the 1970s and eventually made his home among the Southern California singer/songwriter elite, sharing band mates and stages with the likes of Jackson Browne, Emmylou Harris, Jann Browne, Lowen & Navarro, and many others.

After nearly two decades in Los Angeles (and a two-year private engagement at a supper club in Japan), Jes and his wife Vicky returned to their Midwestern roots, re-joining the Indianapolis music scene as performers, venue operators, radio show hosts and music promoters. Recent years have seen Jes become a mainstay of the regional live music landscape and release two critically acclaimed records, Full Circle and LIVE At The Richmonds'.

Richmond's plaintive tenor and stalwart guitar stylings tread the same emotional ground as pre-'Footloose' Kenny Loggins, but what most defines his musicality is his gift for a jazz-inspired harmonic complexity reminiscent of James Taylor and Lyle Lovett.

'(Richmond) brings to the stage such warmth, talent, and diversity to his music, that it's hard to call this anything but an adult contemporary sound, that doesn't pound or pulsate, but resonates with real life! Penned with substance and performed with passion.'

- Tom Provenzano, L.A.Weekly Magazine.

'I've been listening to Jes Richmond's 'Full Circle' CD -the first time because it's my job, the dozen or so times after that because it's that enjoyable.'

- David Bradford, The Bloomington Voice  
For more information on Jes Richmond, visit  
<http://www.attherichmonds.com>

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Jes Richmond

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