# EARTHOTERIC

#### Music | Space | Education

#### **Events**

Coming soon

• NASA Star Party

#### **Featured Artists**

- .....
- Nathan East
- Denny Jiosa

#### **Showtimes**

WCCB Charlotte

- Saturday
  - + 1am-2am
  - + 4:30am-6am

WXII 12 Triad CW

Coming Soon

Netflix

Hulu

Amazon Tv



## **Animal Tracks on Mars?**

Some researchers think there may be evidence of animal tracks on Mars, however, NASA has documented the same formations as crystals that formed in water many, many years ago. When observed much closer NASA says that the crystals are linear, but not tubular, they're angular. When cut at a cross section they form a parallelogram with angels and they show crystalline growth.

The formation most likely did not include liquid water. When sedimentary rock layers formed together pressure created a mld that was filled in with materials later. These crystal structures are similar to the features that form around drying lakes earth, and they can form when salts are concentrated in water. NASA is still



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#### **Star Jokes**

What did the alien say to the garden?

A: Take me to your weeder!

Why don't aliens eat clowns?

A: Because they taste funny!

What do you get if you cross a student and an alien ?

A: Something from another universe -ity !

trying to definitively determine when the crystals formed in relation to the sediment forming, and whether they formed above or below ground.

It's still unclear whether life exists on Mars but more and more evidence of water is coming to light. missions are still being conducted to find out if there is, or ever was, life on Mars.

## **Denny Jiosa**

Denny Jiosa is one of the featured artists on Earthoteric! below is an interview so that you can see a little into the life of a touring musician.

#### How old where you when you started playing music?

I wanted to put a band together at age 6! I started playing guitar at age 7 and was writing instrumental music by age 12, performing live with my band at 14.

## What was your journey like to get where you are today?

A lot of hard work...I was playing professionally by age 16. After attending college for two years I took off and toured the USA several times playing shows along with The Coasters, The Belmonts, Bo Diddly, and BB King to name a few. I then moved to Los Angeles and attended the Musicians Institute of Technology.After staying in LA for a couple of years I decided to move to Nashville, TN. Even though the style of music in

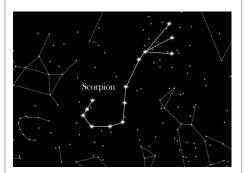
Nashville was not what I was pursuing, I felt Nashville was a good choice as I was closer to my family in Indiana. As soon as I moved I was hired to play for a touring group and also managed and engineered at a major studio on Music Row. It was there I met a radio promoter for jazz and let him hear some of my demos. He loved them and contacted a few labels of which two of them offered me a deal. I ended up signing a 5 album deal on DA Music out of New



York. I had 3 top 10 records, a top 20, and a top 5. "Lights of

#### Scorpion

To find it you'll look south around 10pm during the summer months.



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#### **NEXT MONTH:**

Letter from our creator

10 Things you didn't know about space the City" from my second release,"Inner Voices" became jazz single of the year for SESAC and my Top five hit. It is still being played today! I have two new projects completed. I am currently mixing a project for a trio record by JVM Collective. It is a very "world" sounding jazz rock project that will be out late 2018. Very fine musicianship and compositions on it. It will be perfect for Earthoteric!

My 8th release, which I am so excited about, will be coming Spring of 2018! It's a Latin influenced rock, pop, jazz record called "Mueve Tu Cuerpo". It has a horn section, full band including keys, bass, drums, 2 percussionist and vocals. I have a very special guest on on cut with me, Mr. Phil Keaggy! I just signed a deal with SONY for this! It's going to do great things....watch for it!!

#### What was your coolest performance so far?

I loved playing the prestigious Clearwater Jazz Holiday in Clearwater Florida. We opened for Herbie Hancock to a standing ovation!

#### Who, if anyone, do you model your sound after?

I am told people hear influences in my music but it sounds like me! High compliments like Jazztimes Magazine..." if Eric Clapton played jazz, he'd be Denny Jiosa"! Reviewers comparisons includeto Wes Montgomery, Jeff Beck, Eric Clapton, and Santana. All of whom I am a huge fan of.

#### Who inspired you as you pursued your dreams?

My mother... .she was my rock! You always have people (sometimes family and friends) who tell you it can't be done, she never told me that! For the skeptics, I refused to listen. It CAN be done....someone has to do, it might as well be me. GOD put this on me when I was 6 years old. I'm not going to argue with him! Not saying it's been easy, it hasn't, but the drive is overwhelming to play and create.



## What about Earthoteric interests you the most?

Space is so intriguing and fascinating! The match up of great music with other worldly images thrills me. I do some music for TV and Film and having my music featured on Earthoteric with space images is awesome...in fact it's out of this world!

## What's your most pressing question about space?

How far does it go?

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Stay tuned as we launch off into the world of the unknown!



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#### **March Space Events:**

March 9: An Arianespace Soyuz rocket will launch from the Guiana Space Center in South America Scheduled at 11:37am

March 11: Daylight Saving Time begins at 2 a.m.

March 15: A Chinese Long March 3B rocket will launch the Apstar 6C communications satellite from Xichang, China. March 16: Expedition 55 crew members will host a live, inflight discussion with the National Science Teachers Association in Atlanta from the International Space Station starting at 10:40 a.m

**March 20**: Spring equinox. This is the first day of spring in the northern hemisphere. In the southern hemisphere, it is the first day of fall.

**March 21**: A Russian Soyuz rocket will launch the crewed Soyuz spacecraft to the International Space Station scheduled for 1:44 p.m.

**March 23**: Expedition 56/57 crew members will arrive at the International Space Station after a two-day flight. Their spacecraft will dock at the ISS at 3:41 p.m.

**March 24**: India's Geosynchronous Satellite Launch Vehicle will launch the GSAT 6A satellite from the Satish Dhawan Space Center in Sriharikota, India.

**March 29**: A SpaceX Falcon 9 rocket will launch the Iridium Next 41-50 satellites from Vandenberg Air Force Base in California at 10:19 a.m.

