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TROPICAL ISLAND FLAVORED POP MUSIC!

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KWT'S "2003 BEACH PARTY" KICKS OFF WITH PATS PEAK NEW YEAR'S EVE CONCERT

KWT PERFORMANCES START WITH DECEMBER 31 PARTY AT PATS PEAK SKI RESORT

Last year's release of KWT's second CD, a live version: "We're On Island Time," (KWT Records) featured originals "I'm On Island Time" and the fans' favorite, "Back on Block Island" as well as other favorites. A new live CD will debut in Summer 2003 tentatively titled "Island Footprints - Live at the Pinewood Theatre" -- stay tuned!



It was a very busy 2002 (over 80 dates!) and still busier Fall with a performance in the Sherry-Netherlands Hotel in NYC. Parrotheads have flocked to public appearances by KEY WEST TRIO ending with a New Year's Eve 2002 concert at Pats Peak Ski Resort, Henniker, New Hampshire.

This May, KWT kicked off the season with a concert at Conn. Food Bank's "Walk Against Hunger" to raise awareness (and \$90,000) for Margaritaville's fight against hunger. This year will keep them busy with many gigs at private yacht, beach & country clubs across New England, a Viking Yacht Rendezvous on Nantucket Island, a concert in Acton MA, weddings on Block Island, a

"four-peat" at the Lowell (MA) Spinners baseball game, and the Old Statehouse in Hartford (CT). Check the "Dates" page on the Web site for additions, as dozens of dates

are in the process of being booked. KWT has holds on many dates for fairs, festivals and town concerts, as well as dozens of private parties. Our 5th year at the Alzheimer's Assn. Walk for a Cure, Bushnell Park, Hartford is set for October 2003, for whom we raise funds at every performance. KWT "auctions" off Margaritaville Tequila shirts,

hats and collectibles at every performance to benefit the Alzheimer's Association. Check our Web site to order KWT CDs and other stuff. Call KWT TODAY (203-466-7286) to reserve your next "Pirate Looks At ?# Party" before all the dates are gone!!



Parrotheads on Block Island

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PARROTHEADS, UNITE!!



HELLO PARROTHEADS!

When Jimmy Buffett isn't available, the next best thing can only be a live performance by KEY WEST TRIO! KWT, a power trio that on occasion adds a guest guitarist 4th member, is best described as "three guys that sound like a 12-piece band" by Brad Davis, noted Hartford, Conn. radio and TV show personality. With their trademark "Tropical Island Flavored Pop Music," KWT performs the music of Jimmy Buffett including Margaritaville, Cheeseburger in Paradise and Coconut Telegraph, and hits by The Beach Boys including California Girls, Kokomo and Sail On Sailor, as well as selected danceable Oldies. Their own hits include I'm On Island Time, Back on Block Island, BOHICA and Blue Sky.



They have entertained thousands at clubs on Block Island and Nantucket; at boating rendezvous for Viking Yachts, Sea Ray, Silverton, Luhrs and Mainship; at corporate events for Raytheon, Subway, RAM Technologies, Ivy Biomedical, World Gym, the GHO golf tournament and McPhee Electric and more; at "Jimmy Buffett



Night" at the Beast of New Haven (CT) hockey team, the New Haven (CT) Ravens baseball team, the Lowell (MA) Lock Monsters hockey team and the Lowell (MA) Spinners baseball team, and the Bridgeport (CT) Bluefish All-Star Game; at yacht, beach and country clubs throughout the Northeast; and at numerous town concerts throughout New England. They also endorse several charities for which they raise



money, including the Alzheimer's Association, the Connecticut Food Bank, Make-A-Wish Foundation and Hackers for Hope Against Cancer. They have enjoyed sponsorship in part from Margaritaville



Tequila and Nantucket Nectars. KWT has entertained loyal parrotheads in the Parrot Head Club Tent pre-show party at Jimmy Buffett's Meadows concerts in Hartford. They also opened for Loretta Lynn at the Durham Fair. During their musical careers, they've also opened for Dion, Gene Pitney, Gary Lewis and the Playboys, Byrds, Lovin' Spoonful, Rascals, Paul Revere and the Raiders, Chad and Jeremy, Chubby Checker, Peter and Gordon, Leslie Gore, The Righteous Brothers, Simon and Garfunkel and The Critters in venues throughout the Northeast. Tom Violante (lead vocals, keyboard), Ed Gerosa (vocals, guitar) and Joe

Zukowski (vocals, percussion) have been in the biz since the bad ol' days, playing rock and roll music and including Caribbean stuff and some reggae. KWT includes founding members of The Shags and The Roadrunners, the former of whom were honored with a plaque commemorating their contributions to rock and roll by St. Bernadette Church Music Hall of Fame (for you post-Baby Boomers, that's where The Five Satins recorded the No. 1 favorite Oldie "In The Still of the Nite"). Sitting in many times on guitar and vocals as the 4th "trio" member is Joe "Cigars" Salvati, formerly of Nothing But Trouble. Wherever they entertain, KWT creates an authentic island-style atmosphere - a "Beach Party All



Year Long" reminiscent of a Jimmy Buffett concert or a Beach Boys performance. Whether it's a corporate event, a boat rendezvous, a college spring break, a festival, a fair or a nightclub, KEY WEST TRIO will have the audience up on their feet dancing in a Conga line or partying right up to the end of the show, with a demand from the crowd for more. KWT is also famous for covering their favorite artists including Roy Orbison, Elvis, Harry Belafonte, Bob Marley, The Beatles, Del Shannon, Freddie Cannon, Paul Anka, The Four Seasons, Billy Joel, Neil Diamond, James Taylor and The Righteous Brothers. However, they pay a great tribute to Jimmy Buffett by genuinely recreating his sound and atmosphere, complete with the sounds of his fabulous Coral Reefer Band, horns, steel drums and vibes. They accomplish this by painstakingly creating their original digital sequences that are seamlessly interfaced within their performance, using all



sorts of exotic gear, instruments and gadgets to yield a realistic Caribbean-American sound that brings joy to the heart. Their prized Aloha shirts (Tom has over 250 of them!) are their trademarks. Their performance in concert will entertain young and old, no matter what their musical preferences. Once you've seen KWT in person, you'll agree (as do their loyal fans!!) that they're the next best thing to a live concert with Jimmy Buffett or the Beach Boys. No other band even comes close!



Keep up the "Beach Party All Year Long!"

Bring your noisemakers, maracas and tambourines and join the KEY WEST TRIO Conga Line at their next gig!

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