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Okay, well we are living in a different time folks - in uncharted territory for sure. Personally, I think we should be paying close attention as the planet, as well as the universe, always rights itself and is always perfect. That's why it's been here for millions of years, long before us and long after we're all gone. I feel like we are receiving lessons from the universe, maybe messages to change course. Have you noticed now that we are all quarantined the environment is thriving? The air is cleaner and the planet is reviving. We should certainly be paying attention to that. At any rate, I still have gigs booked in May in Florida. I don't know that they will happen, we'll see. I do hope everyone stays safe and healthy so we can celebrate life and living soon in real time and in each other's presence. May is still a beautiful spring month that I absolutely love. Life is springing up everywhere and certainly in my pots and in my garden. I have everything growing from onions, broccoli, Brussel sprouts, cauliflower, lettuce, cucumbers, radishes, tabasco peppers, jalapeno peppers, habanero peppers, cayenne peppers, tomatoes, dill and many other things. Gonna be some good eatin' in the late summer and fall. Be well and hope to see y'all down the road .....

*Glenn*

**THE JUKES:** Well, we lost one of the pillars, the main pillar of the Jukes in April. The one and only Hood has left the stadium to go hang with the great rock and roll legends of yesteryear. Hood was an extraordinary human being with a heart of gold. He would do anything for you and he was one of my biggest supporters in what I was doing musically both in and outside of the Jukes. It simply will not be the same trying to move forward without Hood there. The entire Jukes organization is devastated and he will be sorely missed. RIP Hood, we love you .....

**L.A.X.:** L.A.X. has launched a brand new [website](#) that we are very excited about. We hope you check it out - there's tour dates, our new video, the new album and plenty of pics. As I said, we have dates booked in Florida in May and dates in New Jersey and Pennsylvania in June that we hope will stand, as well as some more dates in July. The band - with Dave LaRue (on bass and vocals) and Van Romaine (drums) - is badass, if I do say so myself. The album, LaRue/Alexander - L.A.X. is available at all of the usual download spots ([Apple Music](#), [Amazon](#), [Spotify](#), etc), as well as on my [website](#) in CD form. We would be honored if you check it out .....

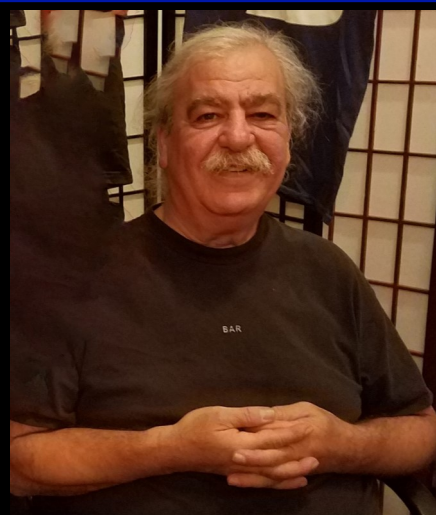


*Me and Oria before one of our Quarantunes*

**ORIA ASPEN:** As you know, Oria had a new single release in April, "Wannabe," which immediately got tons of great press, reviews and feedback. David Scott (London) wrote an amazing review and interview for American Blues Scene. If you haven't checked it out, you can read the article [here](#). Also, if you haven't listened to the song, I encourage you to do so, as it is amazing and available at all of the usual spots: [Amazon](#), [Apple Music](#), [Spotify](#), [Deezer](#), etc. Also, please check out her website - [oriamusic.net](#) - for info and updates .....

**SHADOWLAND:** Shadowland has been dark for a bit, but we do have a gig booked on May 24th at [The Supper Club](#) in Asbury Park, as of right now - I'm not sure if that will happen. We also have dates booked in June, July, August and September, so please stay tuned and check the Shadowland [website](#) for news and updates. ....

**ETC:** In light of all canceled gigs, Oria and I have been doing weekly live broadcasts from home and having a blast!!! The first week we brought in bassist extraordinaire Greg Novick and then the next three it was just the two of us, me and Oria. It has been so much fun, exploring all kinds of music, Shadowland songs, Oria Aspen songs, L.A.X. songs, jazz and blues standards and fun covers. We want to thank everyone for sharing their time and feedback with us - the response and "attendance" has been tremendous! We plan to continue these weekly Friday performances through May and/or until we are back up to performing live. Please join us Friday nights at 8pm on my [Facebook](#) page - we'd love to see y'all! .....



*The one and only Hood*

## UPCOMING LIVE DATES

Thursday, May 21st — with LaRue / Alexander - L.A.X.

Safety Harbor Art & Music Center, 706 2nd Street N, Safety Harbor, Florida / 727-424-2576 — [www.shamc.com](#)

Friday, May 22nd — with LaRue / Alexander - L.A.X.

Shovelhead Lounge, 900 US-17, Longwood, Florida / 407-332-9199 — [www.facebook.com/shovelheadlounge](#)

Saturday, May 23rd — with LaRue / Alexander - L.A.X.

The Music Ranch, 1920 Banana Road, Lakeland, Florida / 863-815-2293 — [www.musicranch.org](#)

Sunday, May 24th — with Glenn Alexander & Shadowland

Tim McLoone's Supper Club, 1200 Ocean Avenue, Asbury Park, New Jersey / 732-774-1421 — [www.timmclooneessupperclub.com](#)