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Folks - it's December, the final month of frickin' 2020. Holy jumpin' horseshit. Some of us are still here, hanging on and trying to scrape and claw our way into 2021. We lost a lot of people, loved ones, heroes, friends, colleagues and co-workers, but we must, and we will, carry on. As hard as it may seem at times, we have to try and make the absolute most out of each day, and live each and every moment as though it is our last. I hope everyone has a fantastic holiday, whether it is Christmas, Hanukkah, Kwanzaa or whatever you are celebrating. Make the most of it, spread good cheer and lots of love. Be safe out there and I look forward to seeing all of you in the Nude Year of 2021 *Glenn*

BLUE AMERICANA: Oria and I continue to roll along as Blue Americana, performing every week on Quarantunes and continuing to write, record and collaborate together. We love doing the Quarantunes shows - it has really made us up our game, exploring new and different music and expanding our repertoire. We have been interactive on a few of the shows lately and love hearing all of the comments and questions, so keep 'em coming! As I said above, we've started recording and all the new stuff we're workin' on is absolutely killin'! We've also recruited some of our good friends - Van Romaine (drums), Dave Anthony (percussion) - and although I'm playing bass on most tracks, we have a couple of guest world-renowned bassists - Mark Egan and Greg Novick. We are very excited and blown away with the mixes and how good some of these new songs sound. We are really trying to become more of a presence on social media, so please check out our [website](#), [Twitter](#) and [Facebook](#)

pages and follow and like us!



Greg Novick's Karma pedals

SHADOWLAND: Well, if you were tuned in to our most recent weekly Quarantunes, you heard the news that Shadowland will be at your service to entertain you on New Year's Eve! That's right, while the raging pandemic has made in-person celebrating impossible, Shadowland is going to do our best to ring in the new year with joy and music - without you having to leave the house! I think we will all be very happy to see 2020 in our rear view mirrors, so please make plans to join



Me and Ian Reddick's remarkable creation!

us on my [Facebook](#) page at 11pm on December 31st to toast 2021 ... Even though it was released four years ago, our song "Common Ground" has been released as a single and is getting significant airplay in both the U.S. and Europe - we love it! So happy the message is resonating with listeners

ETC.: My good friend LaBamba has arranged some new music that we are now recording. He has recruited the usual cast of badass suspects for the project - Mark "Love Man" Pender, Scott Healy, James Wormworth, Mike Merritt and too many others to list. This is gonna be a good one! ... Guitar maker Ian Reddick sent me one of his new guitars and it's the most revolutionary thing in guitar innovation in decades, at least I am aware of. You really have to see it and hear it to believe it, as it is a work of art, with absolutely beautiful woodworking, it sounds incredible and you can swap pickups in and out in a matter of two or three seconds. Check out Ian's [website](#) to learn more about this remarkable guitar ... I also want to give a shout out to my good friend and bassist extraordinaire Greg Novick, who also builds some of the most interesting and great sounding effects pedals you will find anywhere on the planet. He can make literally anything and has made numerous different sounding overdrive, distortion, compression, EQ, delay, phase, arpeggiator, ring modulator and reverb pedals for me that I absolutely love. It is like being a painter and having every possible color available to you. You can contact Greg through his [Facebook](#) page as well as his email: greg5672000@yahoo.com ... Just in time for the holidays, my [website store](#) is having a sale!!! We have Shadowland ladies t-shirts on sale, as well as men's Shadowland security/crew shirts (in limited sizes), as well as some other goodies. And with any purchase in the store, we'll send you a FREE Quarantunes face mask, while supplies last, so check out the store and get something for your favorite music lover!

UPCOMING LIVE DATES

Friday, December 11th — with Blue Americana
Quarantunes LIVE on Facebook — www.facebook.com/glennalexandermusic

Friday, December 18th — with Blue Americana
Quarantunes LIVE on Facebook — www.facebook.com/glennalexandermusic

Thursday, December 31st — with Glenn Alexander & Shadowland ***SPECIAL TIME - 11pm!!!***
Quarantunes LIVE on Facebook — www.facebook.com/glennalexandermusic