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With April here, we know that spring has definitely sprung - oh yeah, baby!!! Hallelujah people!!! I am lovin' the warmer temperatures, longer days with sunshine and the energy of spring!!! Got my first Covid-19 Vaccine at the very end of March, with the second one scheduled in April, and I'm so happy to be in a better position to avoid all this shit. Gonna be leaving music for a while to go into space and get higher and higher - me, Willie and Snoop Dogg - please read details below!!! Gonna keep doin' what we been doin' for another couple of months and then - hopefully - we'll then be able move to a more normal existence. Be cool and be safe out there! *Glenn*



My official portrait

TO INFINITY AND BEYOND!: Well, a little known fact about me is that I am fascinated by the universe and space. I always look up in the sky and see the stars and the planets and I think - who else is out there? Are there other civilizations that are wondering the same thing about us? I was never much of a science student, so joining NASA in a conventional sense was never an option. So, you can imagine how thrilled I was when my good friend Elon Musk called and asked if I wanted to participate in a joint NASA/SpaceX project of sending musicians into space! Of course I jumped at the chance! As you can see, I've already had my official astronaut photo taken and I've packed my geetars and am ready to go! I am so looking forward to channeling my inner Buzz Lightyear and bringing great music to everyone, both on Earth and elsewhere. I am hoping the folks from different planets will dig my music and like and follow me on their version of social media - **Spacebook**. Oh, and in case you haven't caught on by now - APRIL FOOLS! The only real vast space that I'm aware of is



On a benefit live stream with Southside

between my ears and I am definitely buzzed! We took a short break from our prank last year, because we were uncertain about the pandemic, and life in general, but now that we are emerging on the other side, we think it's important to have a laugh and get buzzed in our own space...heeheehee! Thanks, as always, for the love and support - keep it comin'!

SHADOWLAND: After a great early March show - thank you, thank you, thank you to all of the kind folks who helped keep food on our tables and donated to our virtual tip jar, we appreciate it more than you'll ever know! - we plan to be back at it on April 2nd, with another Shadowland show from the basement studio! I think we may enjoy these shows even more than you guys! We love hangin' out together and playin' music and these monthly sessions are the only chance we get. I also have to give a special shout-out to our good friend Sherry Cronin - for our March show, Sherry sent over some wonderful wraps and empanadas. It was an amazing, unexpected surprise and everyone in Shadowland thanks you profusely! Keep checkin' my **Facebook** page, my **website**, the Shadowland **website** and **Twitter** feed for any and all updates

BLUE AMERICANA: Oria and I keep crankin' out the Quarantunes and we love doin' it! Please tune in, comment and be part of our insanity. We love the feedback ... We are thrilled to have another gig this month at **Hailey's Harp & Pub** in Metuchen. Please check out the gig dates for info

ETC: Southside Johnny asked me to be part of a virtual benefit he was doing for the wonderful Tarrytown Music Hall, and, of course, I jumped at the chance! It was part of a Chris Difford (of Squeeze fame) live stream and although it was technically very challenging (thank you Zack Sandler for the help!), it was easy to jump back into music with Southside. We had a blast, made a great dinner afterward and there may have been some drinking involved. I miss makin' music with Johnny!

UPCOMING LIVE DATES

Friday, April 2nd — with Glenn Alexander & Shadowland

Quarantunes LIVE on Facebook — www.facebook.com/glennalexandermusic

Friday, April 9th — with Blue Americana

Quarantunes LIVE on Facebook — www.facebook.com/glennalexandermusic

Friday, April 23rd — with Blue Americana

Quarantunes LIVE on Facebook — www.facebook.com/glennalexandermusic

Saturday, April 24th — with Blue Americana

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