

Sinatra Big Band

A Tribute To Frank Sinatra

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About

As the lead singer of the popular Southern California rock band "The Tijuana Dogs", Matt Mauser has been entertaining audiences with his unique style since the late 90's. As the Tijuana Dogs grew in popularity, the band was often asked to perform at weddings, corporate parties, and events that required a more sophisticated style of music. It was during that time when Matt fell in love with the music of Frank Sinatra. Mesmerized by Sinatra's smooth voice and unequaled phrasing, Matt memorized the subtleties in each song Frank sang.

Pete Jacobs was born in Claremont, California. He was a music major at Azusa Pacific University and then went on to a highly successful career as a producer and music arranger. In 1997, he formed a 16-piece big band called "Wartime Radio Revue". This band has performed across The United States and Europe, and includes performances at New York's Lincoln Center, Disneyland, and The Hollywood Bowl.

In 2005, Matt and Pete were introduced by "The Tijuana Dogs" guitar player Dave Murdy. Dave was performing double duty playing in Pete's big band "Wartime Radio Revue" and with "The Tijuana

Dogs". In 2011, Matt approached Pete with the idea of starting a Frank Sinatra tribute band. Pete, without hesitation said, "Let's do it!". They immediately went to work charting music, recording vocals, and rehearsing with the big band. Their collaboration captures Sinatra at the height of his career when singing with The Count Basie Orchestra at The Sands hotel in Las Vegas. Matt's vocal style and Pete's genius as a conductor are a tribute to the two greats coming together.

Short bio

Matt Mauser and Pete Jacobs created a Frank Sinatra tribute band rooted in Sinatra's music with The Count Basie Orchestra at The Sands. Matt brings his distinctive vocal style, while Pete conducts the big band. Available for weddings, corporate parties, and events.

Full press bio

Matt Mauser's Frank Sinatra tribute grew from his work as lead singer of Southern California rock band The Tijuana Dogs, where weddings, corporate parties, and other events led him toward Sinatra's music. Matt and producer, arranger, and conductor Pete Jacobs formed the tribute band in 2011, charting music, recording vocals, and rehearsing with the big band. The collaboration captures Sinatra's sound during his performances with The Count Basie Orchestra at The Sands in Las Vegas. Matt brings a distinctive vocal style, while Pete's arranging and conducting shape the band's presentation for events seeking a sophisticated style of music.

Tagline

A Frank Sinatra tribute shaped by Matt Mauser's vocals and Pete Jacobs' big-band arrangements

Photos





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