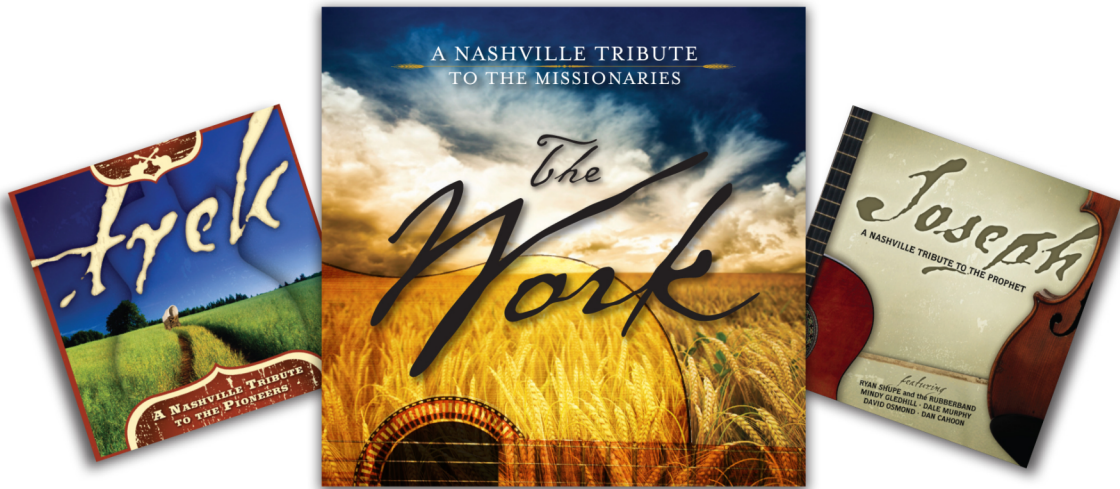


About the Nashville Tribute Band ®

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Albums

In 2003, hit Nashville songwriter and record producer Jason Deere began teaching the Old and New Testament in an early morning seminary class for high school students in Franklin, Tennessee. His research and teaching inspired him to write an album of songs about LDS church history from 1820 to 1844. The album *Joseph: A Nashville Tribute To The Prophet* was co-produced with Deere's longtime friend Dan Truman, of the Grammy Award winning country group Diamond Rio. Dan Truman also wrote one of the songs on the album. The album was released by Deseret Books' Highway Records in 2005 and it became one of Deseret Books' best selling albums, winning Pearl Awards for *Contemporary Album Of The Year*, *Inspirational Recording Of The Year* (Emma), *Contemporary Instrumental Recorded Song Of The Year* (Say Uncle), *Songwriter Of The Year* (Jason Deere). The LDS Booksellers Association also awarded the album a 2006 Listener's Choice Award for *Album Of The Year* and awarded Deere a 2006 Listener's Choice Award for *Best New Artist*.

Deere and Truman co-produced a second Nashville Tribute album released in 2007 called *Trek: A Nashville Tribute To The Pioneers*. The album covers LDS history from June 1844 through the many years of the

great pioneer trek by thousands of Mormons as they made their way to the Salt Lake Valley. The album won the 2007 Pearl Award for *Group Recording Artist Of The Year* (Jason Deere, The Nashville Tribute Band) as well as the 2008 Pearl Award for *Inspirational Instrumental Recording Of The Year* (My People/Come, Come Ye Saints).

Years of touring the world with the Nashville Tribute Band ®, along with Deere and Truman's own experience serving two-year missions for The Church Of Jesus Christ Of Latter-day Saints, led to the writing and production of the album *THE WORK: A Nashville Tribute To The Missionaries*. The album pays tribute to the unique culture of sending thousands of missionaries into the world every year and all of the experiences associated with the elders, sisters and their families and friends as they serve.

On Tour

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Nashville Tribute Band ® Links:

Website

www.nashvilletributeband.com

Biographies

<http://nashvilletributeband.com/about-ntb/>

Videos

NTB Background:

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-Y_MxlgpfqE&list=UUxCWFmwussaq8VMknH9K3YA&index=3&feature=plcp

NTB Live Show:

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IxdU51kc8iw&list=UUxCWFmwussaq8VMknH9K3YA&index=1&feature=plcp>

The Making Of THE WORK:

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LsIs5tOq6gE&list=UUxCWFmwussaq8VMknH9K3YA&index=1&feature=plcp>

NTB in China:

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZZfU_bNwSBg&feature=relmfu

Media

<http://nashvilletributeband.com/media/>

Jason Deere's interview "Perspectives On the Prophet Joseph" on the Mormon Channel

<http://mormonchannel.org/perspectives/2>

NTB FaceBook Page

<https://www.facebook.com/nashvilletributeband>

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