

» Terry Shaw

BAND STORY

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Terry R. Shaw was born in Mankato, Minnesota, USA on April 23, 1945, but he grew up in Litchfield, Minnesota from the age of two and on. He had a Bachelor of Arts degree from the Minneapolis College of Art and Design and a Bachelor of Science degree from St. Cloud State. Terry was an art teacher in Glencoe, Minnesota and Willmar, Minnesota for thirty-one years before retiring. He estimated that he taught between 15,000 to 20,000 students. His artwork won him many awards over the years. Copies of some of his work is on display on the Internet and in the Lyndon Johnson Library in Austin, Texas.

Terry played drums in rock and roll bands steadily since 1963, except for his two-year stint in the U.S. Army, and he wrote over one hundred songs. He played in a band named the Defiants in the early 60s and recorded a single with them. Then he played in the popular Shaw-Allen-Shaw band in the early 70s, recording two albums with them. That band was inducted into the Minnesota Rock and Country Hall of Fame in May of 2006. Terry also played in The Country Ramblers, MacArthur Park, SKY, and TASZ along with the New Horizon Band of Calvary Lutheran Church.

Besides his two semi-biographical books, Terry Tales and Terry Tales 2, about growing up in the fifties in his hometown of Litchfield, Terry wrote three other books. They are about the Beatles, Buddy Holly and Elvis. He also wrote several articles about his hometown for a couple of national magazines.



Terry retired from teaching and from rock drumming, but he still performed. Beginning in April of 2004



STATS

VISITS	PLAYS
3,005	303
STREAMS	DOWNLOADS
232	71

FEATURED SONGS

1		COME AND GET IT	Classic Rock
2		EVERYDAY*WELL...ALL RIGHT	Classic Rock

performed. Beginning in April of 2007, he sang and played guitar in nursing homes, homes for the retarded, for Alzheimer patients, senior citizen centers and senior dining centers for charity. He performed almost daily along with playing drums and guitar for his church, Calvary Lutheran Church of Willmar, Minnesota, every Sunday. He has three children, Christine, Andrea and Adrian, from his first marriage to Linnet Johnson and two stepchildren, Jenise and Peter, from his second marriage to Lois Mc Broom Johnson. He has two grandchildren, Ethan and Karra.

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