

# Lloyd Akroyd Bio

Lloyd C Akroyd a singer song writer/ Musician from Rotorua New Zealand. Wow!... Amazing...Beautiful..."His voice sounds like melting" these are the kind of comments made about his sound; his voice is reminiscent of Bill Withers/Aloe Blacc while having his own very distinct sound.

His music is a mix of styles Blues/Rock/Soul/folk & more, with stories about the beauty of Life: Love, loss, heartbreak & hope.

Live performance is where he shines with his smoldering yet powerful vocals over beautiful melodies & grooves that draw you in and hook you.

Lloyd is an uncompromising performer weather he is playing to an audience of 5 or 5000 you'll get 110%

Being the third child of 4 in a musical family it was inevitable that he would pick up an instrument & did so shortly before his 17th birthday, at 18 he was cutting his teeth on the local pub scene and by 21 was well established as a freelance bassist.

## History with BOP Blues

I'm not too sure when I got involved with the club? I do remember the early days when the club first started; I'd just come to listen as I was mostly playing heavy rock, funk or whatever was popular at the time. It was The Belgium Bar jam nights that motivated me to learn a couple of blue's song and the rest is history