



Tenor Guitar Foundation

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## Here is our video production of TGG!

Our event was recorded and we're producing a video thanks to the generous grant from **Clatsop County Cultural Coalition and Giving Tuesday donations**. Michael Alderman, 2002 Productions, who did such a fine job on our video production last year, recorded and produced this year's live event.

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## Marcy Marxer inducted to Hall of Fame

**MARCY MARXER** is a multi-instrumentalist, studio musician, performer, songwriter and producer with 40 years of experience and a shelf of impressive awards. Her GRAMMY Awards say “Artist, Engineer, Producer” and she is top notch at all three of those roles. Her studio engineering has graced GRAMMY award winning projects and countless indie recordings through the years.

Marcy’s love of tenor guitar began with Jimmy Dodd from the Mickey Mouse Club, proof that positive musical experiences in childhood can influence the rest of your life. She loved the sound of Tenor Guitar in the Kingston Trio and in the playing of country music’s Delmore Brothers. Marcy’s versatile tenor guitar approach includes jazz standards, old time fiddle tunes, swing backup, Celtic and blues. She plays in multiple tunings, most often DGBA and CGDA. Much of her Tenor Guitar playing can be heard on her solo album, [THINGS ARE COMING MY WAY](#).

She has played acoustic music on Emmy Award winning National Geographic specials, platinum shipping Eva Cassidy CD’s and on over 50 recordings and instructional materials created with her partner, Cathy Fink. Marcy is a **two-time GRAMMY Award winner** and

fourteen-time GRAMMY nominee whose guitar playing spans a variety of styles- swing

rhythm and lead, bluegrass, old time, Celtic fingerpicking, folk fingerpicking and some of the most tasteful backup you can hear. She plays signature a Martin guitar, a Marcy Marxer Custom Martin Guitar (size 5), signature National Steel Tenor guitar and signature KALA tenor ukulele. She is a well-loved instructor at many camps including Steve Kaufman's Acoustic Camp and she teaches online via Truefire, Homespun Tapes and Peghead Nation.

*"It is the power of her playing that keeps listeners coming back."*

T-shirts for the event --- even if you could not come, you will want a t-shirt! They are turquoise and feature the guitar designed by Donna Josephs. They are short sleeved and come in medium, large, extra large, and XXL. \$30 plus \$5 for shipping ---how many years have you collected the tee shirt?

*Next year's event will be June 2 and 3 -- Save the date!*

We will again hold it at our loved Larson Center for Performing Arts and Astoria Riverwalk Inn will be our host hotel and the site of some awesome post-concert jam sessions!

## *Tenor Guitar Foundation adds new board members*

We welcome Grant Flick, Pete Helzer and John Halovanic to the board. They join Harriott Balmer, president; Kenneth Heikkila, secretary; Debra Hazelett, treasurer; Ken Richards, Donna Josephs and Mary Ann Ylipelto, board members at large.

## Astoria Tenor Guitar Orchestra

Calling all Astoria area tenor guitar players! DeLores and Ken Richards are going to start a Tenor Guitar Orchestra ("or something!" and are looking for interested four stringed instrument players who would like to get together for practicing a couple of times a month. **Interested? Call them at (DeLores) at 503-791-7792 or (Ken) at 503-791-3131.**

*Thank you to all the sponsors!*

*The raffle was a huge success!*

*A special thank you to KD Properties for their continued support!*

*As you can imagine, the TGG is expensive to produce!*

*Workshop fees and \$20 concert tickets do not cover our expenses --- please consider a tax deductible donation. ([Click Here](#))*

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[2021 Virtual Tenor Guitar Gathering](#)

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