

# NOT SO LOUD

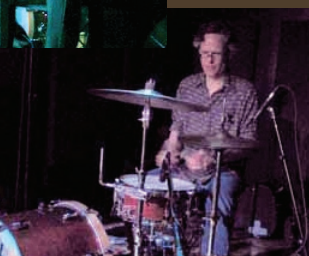
AN ACOUSTIC EVENING WITH

## Bottle Rockets

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1. **EARLY IN THE MORNING** (Brian Henneman)
2. **GRAVITY FAILS** (Scott Taylor / Brian Henneman)
3. **LUCKY BREAK** (Scott Taylor / Brian Henneman)
4. **PERFECT FAR AWAY** (Brian Henneman)
5. **ONE OF YOU** (Mark Ortmann)
6. **I DON'T WANT TO GO HOME** (Doug Sahn)
7. **1000 DOLLAR CAR** (Brian Henneman)
8. **KIT KAT CLOCK** (Brian Henneman)
9. **SMOKIN' 100'S ALONE** (Brian Henneman)
10. **TURN FOR THE WORSE** (Brian Henneman)
11. **RURAL ROUTE** (Robert Parr)
12. **KEROSENE** (Scott Taylor / Brian Henneman)
13. **MOM & DAD** (Brian Henneman)

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# Although it may not be obvious, most Bottle Rockets songs are written on acoustic guitar.

In contrast to being identified as a loud rock band, we enjoy the opportunities to perform without amplifiers and electric instruments. Songwriting is distinctly showcased under those stripped down conditions and requires the songs to sink or swim on their own. And on such occasions, we are always amused by the tangle of cords, plugs, and wires that are still involved with supposedly "unplugged" music.



Choosing the right venue is important to the success of any show, and the Lucas School House in St. Louis was our correct choice for two sold out shows. Located on the edge of the historic Soulard neighborhood, the venue was formerly a one-room school built in 1898. The small, second floor gymnasium had been renovated into a concert hall with a beautiful wooden interior, stained glass, plush leather seating and state-of-the-art sound system. Serving as an ideal listening room during its short life, any performance in that space was an intimate music experience.

Recordings from those shows provide the material for this live album and the songs selected here include a mix of favorites, rarities, reinventions, and performances in-the-moment. Although the Lucas School House has since closed, this album preserves the essence of those two special nights. We are proud to share with you **Not So Loud: An Acoustic Evening with the Bottle Rockets.**

Brian Mark John Keith

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Brian Henneman – vocals, acoustic guitar, banjo  
Mark Ortmann – kick, snare, hi-hat, shaky things  
John Horton – acoustic guitar, lap steel, mandolin  
Keith Voegelé – electric bass, upright bass, harmonica, vocals

Kip Loui – additional acoustic guitar and vocals on *Turn For The Worse* and *Rural Route*

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