

Interview with Aaron from Jacob's Loc
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1. Since you moved to Nashville we haven't heard so much from you. Have you settled in by now? Does it feel like home?

Sorry about not being more vocal online about our progress. We are moving forward with JL one step at a time... We are settled in here. Nashville feels like a great home away from home. We've made a lot of really good friends out here inside the industry and outside.

2. When did you make the decision to move to Tennessee and what did you expect?

The idea to move to Nashville came up around August of 2006. We expected to move to a city that revolves around music, to find songwriters, producers, musicians, and others in the industry to work with. People that can help us share our music with more people.

3. Have you found what you were looking for?

Absolutely. In this town it is very easy to meet people that are willing to help out. We've been working with people who share our vision.

5. What are you doing (music wise) at the moment?

We've been writing and recording. That's our main focus right now. Other than that we have done some acoustic gigs and will probably do some more soon.

6. During the history of JL, musicians came and left. Will this (Janie, Jacob and Aaron) be "the band" eventually?

Me and Jacob have been working together for four years now. Others have come and go. We would like to have a consistent lineup of musicians but when it comes down to it me and Jacob are the band for now.

7. Your style has become very country orientated. Thinking about a potential career overseas, don't you believe there is a much smaller market for that kinda music than for other styles like rock?

We're a rock band that has a little country influence. As well as funk, blues, and many other styles. Our sound is really a mix of all the different bands and music we listen to. I think if you put out a good product then there's an audience for it in any country.

8. Looking at your songs, a lot of them deal with drinking. Honestly, don't you fear to be labeled barflies or even alcoholics?

I am a barfly! Everyone knows that! haha

10. This is a question from Elisabeth. She wants to know if you are in touch with your former colleagues and what you think about their musical projects.

Like I said before. I will try and get Jacob to answer some of these questions for you. But I do know he talks to the other guys from time to time and is hoping to get some time to visit Ashley in New York sometime soon.

12. These days many bands get away from the normal artist routine that is releasing records and rather focus on reaching (new) fans via the internet. Do you think this is a better alternative in times of iTunes and Myspace?

I think the internet is a great way to reach people and gain new fans. It's changed the industry forever. It gives the musicians more ability to reach people around the world without the help of the music business.

13. (I know this gets boring but you know we need to ask) When are you gonna put out some new songs? Can we expect any shows outside of Nashville sometime soon?

I wish I could say soon but the truth is I don't know. I can't wait to get out there and play the new stuff. We've had a lot of changes and personal issues in our lives but we've managed to keep moving forward slowly but surely. Now that we've gotten comfortable in Nashville and have formed a team of people that share our vision hopefully that means that this time next year we will be on the road rockin' out!