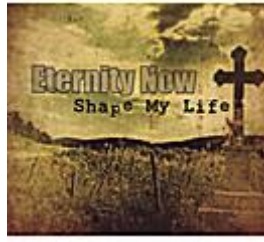


# Mp3 Eternity Now - Shape My Life



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A unique and innovative approach to spreading the word through music 15 MP3 Songs GOSPEL: Contemporary Gospel, ROCK: Progressive Rock Details: FROM SONGWRITER BILL ROAM -I came to Christ three years ago and He has delivered me from a hard life of addiction to drugs and alcohol and anything else that took me out of me. The Lord has filled the emptiness in my heart. He sent the Holy Spirit down to me to guide me to write these songs to spread the word and message of Total Grace. I guess you could say this is His ministry. The CD Shape My Life features 15 songs released on April 1, 2007. We appreciate everyone's patience as this project took longer than expected. I love my new life in Christ. Three years ago I worked three jobs, stole, cheated, and lied to stay high. Now I spend my money to fund my dream and my ministry. What an amazing God I serve. ABOUT LEAD SINGER KEITH GARNER Keith Garner started his formal musical training at the age of 4 with Susan Spataro and studied with her until 1998. Susan learned early on that she had her hands full with Garner as she realized that he was not reading musical notes but playing pieces by ear. Not only that, he rearranged most of the assigned music to fit his own style. Rather than battle the inevitable, they had an agreement that Keith would play the piece properly and was then allowed to rearrange the music to fit his whims. Sue also taught Keith how to use the synthesizer and record and arrange music with multiple instruments. In 1998 Keith studied with Brian Hinkleman learning to formally write music and compose. Garner was inspired to write and play by a close family friend, Theresa Ganter, who encouraged him to "brighten her day". Garner's first opportunity to play piano solo for an audience other than recitals was for his 6th grade graduation from elementary school. He was successful with the event and this encouraged Keith to participate in stage band during his middle school years. In 9th grade Garner was elected president of Unami Middle School. In lieu of a farewell speech, he composed and performed a solo piano

arrangement for his class which brought a standing ovation. As president of his class for all three years in high school, Garner continued to perform vocally and instrumentally to much acclaim and praise culminating with an original composition for the senior class graduation. During the summer of 2001 Garner recorded his 2nd CD. Keith attended James Madison University for one semester as a music major before being recruited to tour with the band "Georgia Avenue" as keyboard player and backup vocalist. During the time that Garner toured with Georgia Avenue he also helped record and compose for the band. Towards the end of summer of 2002, Garner returned home for a weekend and found his grandmother weak and ill. With his family far away, Keith alone stayed by her side as she passed away. During that fall, Garner returned home after the tragedy and worked as a waiter while attending Bucks County Community College for the next year but continued to play for local events. On October 25th, while still enrolled in school, Garner was involved in a serious car accident and was rushed to the trauma unit of Abington Memorial Hospital as a level 1 with a crushed skull. Upon arrival, Garner unexpectedly survived surgery and was placed on a ventilator. The prognosis was not good and the Garner family waited. All through those long days and nights in ICU the staff of Abington ICU constantly played Billy Joel CDs and Garner's own CD encouraging him to respond. One of his first actions was when he hummed to the music. After 1 month in intensive care, Garner was sent to Moss Rehabilitation Center. He had suffered loss of sight in his right eye, hearing in the right ear and was told that due to the area of the brain injury, he would probably never again regain his ability to sing, play by ear or especially to compose music again. At Moss, Garner started the long road to regain all that he had lost. He would re-learn balance, coordination, thought processes and eventually be able to walk, focus with one eye, and become self-sufficient again. Even though the doctors were skeptical, Garner started to work at the piano whenever he had the opportunity. Through an endless support group of dedicated doctors, hospital staff, friends and family, Garner battled back and shared his experience by writing the song Miracle. Garner returned to school in 2005 but is presently working full time to fund the completion of his third CD.

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