Mp3 Jeff Posey - Pocketful



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It's Texas music before Texas music went rock-n-roll, country music before Nashville went pop. A Country Americana blend of Coffee House and Cowboy. 10 MP3 Songs COUNTRY: Country Folk, ROCK: Americana Details: Earlier this year Jeff Posey's debut album POCKETFUIL was honored with two nominations for the 2006 Texas Music Awards including ALBUM OF THE YEAR!! And in the end a very deserving John M. Greenberg took home the Producer of the Year award for POCKETFUL!! Not a bad start for a debut album and for a songwriter making the move to singer/songwriter. As a writer Posey's honest, poignant lyrics and vivid storytelling have already inspired some lofty comparisons and earned high praise from peers and critics. He is a three-time finalist in the Kerrville Folk Festival "New Folk Competition" and has quietly produced an impressive collection of songs recorded and performed by other talented, independent artists. Posey has co-written and had songs featured on three independent, critically praised CDs by John M. Greenberg (Johnny Gringo), two albums by Oklahoma "red dirt" favorite The Panhandlers and the latest CDs by Texas singer/songwriter Thomas Michael Riley and singer/songwriter/novelist Mike Blakely. With his debut CD Posey has finally given a new voice to his songs. One that is expectedly honest and real...his own. The album is certainly worthy of its accolades as it moves deftly from the rousing snare drum that kicks off the album with the toe-tappin', steel and fiddle laden, radio-friendly (in a good way) "Cross the Colorado" to the pure, acoustic campfire closer "Why Cowboys Pray". As a vocalist, Posey offers an authentic, subtle rasp and not a hint of trumped-up-twang. The production and arrangements show a keen sense of his talents and his limitations. But more importantly, the whole of the project shows a deep understanding that each song has something to say...and every word counts. If you like stories. If you're one of those that listens to the words. If you appreciate the craft of songwriting and prefer lyrics that make you think, lyrics that aren't clich, this album

is for you. Pocketful is an acoustic blend of traditional country, folk and Americana best described as Texas Music, but Posey's style is all his own.

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