

The Jazz. Session

with Jason Crane



Jason's Notes: Nov. 14, 2011

Hello friends!

Programming Note: Last week got away from me and I made only one show, so I'm putting a bonus show on the schedule this week: Andrea Wolper (11/14), Tim Hagans (11/16) and Joan Stiles (11/18). Back to the regular Monday & Thursday schedule next week.

Special Membership Offer: *The Jazz Session* is member-supported, so if you like what you hear, please join. The next two people who join at the middle or top level (yearly or monthly) will receive guitarist Anthony Wilson's new DVD/CD set *Seasons*. This set captures a unique live performance by Wilson along with Steve Cardenas, Julian Lage and Chico Pinheiro, performing on a quartet of custom guitars built by John Monteleone. <http://thejazzsession.com/join>

Concert Note: Andrea Wolper, my guest on Monday's show, is playing two CD release gigs. The first is on Wednesday, 11/16 at 7 p.m. at Zinc Bar in NYC. Then she's at Trumpets in Montclair, NJ, on Sunday, 11/20 at 7:30 p.m.

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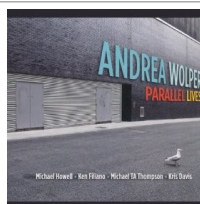
Twitter: Earlier this year I was named by the *LA Times* as one of 25 arts & culture people to follow on Twitter. Think they're nuts? Judge for yourself: <http://twitter.com/jasondcrane>

Next Week: Mike Baggetta (Monday, 11/21) & Amir ElSaffar (Thursday, 11/24).

Peace, love and jazz,

Jason

This week on *The Jazz Session*:



TJS #323: Andrea Wolper.

Vocalist Andrea Wolper's new CD is *Parallel Lives* (Jazzed Media, 2011). In this interview, Wolper talks about her unfettered and very personal approach to song choice and performance; how poetry influences her work; and her parallel life as an

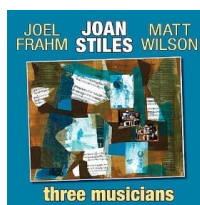
activist for social justice. **SHOW AVAILABLE NOW.**



TJS #324: Tim Hagans.

Trumpeter Tim Hagans' new CD is *The Moon Is Waiting*. In this interview, Hagans talks about his special relationship with his drummer of choice; how he worked with a choreographer to write some of the music on the new album; and

how he's evolved over the years as a composer for large and small ensembles. **SHOW AVAILABLE 11/16/11.**



TJS #325: Joan Stiles.

Pianist Joan Stiles' new CD is *Three Musicians* (2011), a trio session featuring drummer Matt Wilson and saxophonist Joel Frahm. In this interview, Stiles talks about playing without a bassist; why she wanted to make a trio record; and how her

visual art informs her music and vice versa. **SHOW AVAILABLE 11/18/11.**

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