

# THE DEAD POET

#### Bio

Spencer Lee Wilson, AKA The Dead Poet, is from Huddersfield, England. The live vocals on his original acoustic tracks, are said to have tones of Joe Cocker, Guy Garvey, Johnny Cash and Rod Stewart, as well as "having a voice for movies or shows like Yellowstone."

In May 2023, he was the opening act at the Woodstock Music Festival (Alabama), by special invitation of the Mayor of Woodstock, playing to a crowd of over 2,000 people.

His song writing is influenced by Bob Dylan, Nick Cave, Noel Gallagher, The Band and many more.

### Releases



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# All My Ghosts (album)

"All My Ghosts" is The Dead Poet's most personal and successful album to date. The songs are stories of love, loss, hurt, nostalgia. Several tracks have in excess of 1,500 streams, which isn't bad for an unknown artist. All sales of the CD and accompanying book were to raise money for a men's mental health charity.

### Woodstock Music Festival (live)

The Dead Poet was the opening act at the Woodstock Music Festival (Alabama), performing to a crowd of over 2,000 people. He was invited by the Mayor of Woodstock, and although not a traditional country music artist, was welcomed with open arms and kindness by the 'Bammers. Watch the live performance on YouTube.

## **Looking Ahead**

There are two new EP's on the horizon for The Dead Poet. "Only HUMAN" is in the early stages of recording and due to be released in late 2023 or early 2024. This includes 3 new tracks (Starlight, In Your Arms, Sally the Nurse), plus a reworking of House of the Rising Sun. There's a definite shift in live performances of these songs, to a more Americana and blues vibe.

Songs for the following EP are currently at the writing stage. This will be called "American Fog", and currently includes tracks called, 'The Last Waltz', 'Goddess of the Winter' and 'All Coming Back to Me'.

Over the coming year The Dead Poet will be looking for further opportunities to play small intimate gigs along with folk and country festivals.

### Fan quotes

"When you sing 'Let it Rain', it gets me right here in the heart. It's beautiful." "I sometimes hear Rod Stewart in your voice, other times Joe Cocker. Keep going lad."

"You've got a real story telling voice in your vocals, a gravelly resonance like Guy Garvey" "This guy's voice and songs should be in movies or on tv shows like Yellowstone. It just fits.



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