

PRESENTING CLINTON FEARON

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BIOGRAPHY

Clinton Fearon is a composer, songwriter, singer and player of instruments since his early teens.

Born in Jamaica, Clinton became the bassist, vocalist and lyricist of the mythic Gladiators at the age of 19. He spent 18 years with the band and signed several songs for The Gladiators, hits and classics like *Chatty Chatty Mouth*, *Richman Poorman*, *On The Other Side*, *Can You Imagine How I Feel*, *Let Jah Be Praised*, *One Love*, *Untrue Girl*, and more.

Clinton Fearon was also a session musician for different studio in Jamaica, including with producers Coxson Dodd at Studio One and Lee 'Scratch' Perry's at Black Ark, but also at Chanel One, Aquarius, Harry J, Randy's, etc. In these studios, Clinton Fearon composed some everlasting bass lines for well-known artists like Yabby You, Jimmy Riley, Max Romeo, Junior Byles and many others.

After leaving Jamaica in 1987, Clinton Fearon started a new career in Seattle. Him and some of the musicians of The Gladiators took advantage of the extra time remaining on their visa, at the end of the US tour, to started a band in the Northwest: The Defenders. The band built a nice following in the area until they split after five years. And finally Clinton Fearon formed his own band in the mid 90s with local musicians in Seattle: Clinton Fearon and Boogie Brown Band.

Clinton Fearon recorded 12 albums under his own name since then and he is touring the world with this impressive repertoire, accompanied by a band or in solo acoustic. He performed in major festivals in each continents, and regularly in the United States (Sierra Nevada World Music Festival, Reggae On The River, National Folk Festival, Festival International de Louisiane, Houston International Festival, Salmonstock, Ithaca Reggae Festival, etc.), Canada (Latin Caribbean Festival, Victoria Ska Reggae Festival, World Beat Festival, etc.), Europe (WOMAD, Rototom Sunsplash, Garance Reggae Festival, Printemps de Bourges, Stimmen festival, Celtic Connection etc.), Brazil (Virada Cultural, Republica Do Reggae, World Music Festival, Feira de Santana, etc.), Africa (Kenya and Ivory Coast), and more countries occasionally (Peru, Honduras, New Caledonia, Hong Kong, etc.).

Each song of Clinton Fearon is a strong message coming from the heart of a man who is dedicating his life to help a better world to come. With chiselled music and poetic lyrics, he opens reggae to a wider audience who simply loves his beautiful songs.

Discography

<i>Disturb The Devil</i> (1995)	<i>Faculty of Dub</i> (2008)
<i>Mystic Whisper</i> (1997)	<i>Mi Deh Yah</i> (2010)
<i>What A System</i> (1999)	<i>Heart And Soul</i> (2012)
<i>Soon Come</i> (2002, compilation)	<i>Goodness</i> (2014)
<i>Give And Take</i> (2004)	<i>This Morning</i> (2016)
<i>Mi An' Mi Guitar</i> (2005)	<i>History Say</i> (2019)
<i>Vision</i> (2006)	New album (June 2022)

" My music is roots reggae from the island of Jamaica. I grew up deep in the hills, up in St. Catherine, surrounded by nature, beauty and hard work. Even as a child, I knew I wanted to be a musician and began my career singing in church and at school, and eventually built my own guitar! As a teenager, my journeys took me to Kingston where I met many musicians and began writing and recording music. The Skatalites, Motown artists and Jamaican musicians who came before me all influenced my music.

I write from my heart. The world is full of inspirations... nature, people, politics, love. I write about them all. My music is good for the soul - always with a message of hope and betterment for tomorrow. It's good for dancing, good for listening and I think it's good for all." **Clinton Fearon**

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LIVE VIDEO (selection)

Reggae On The River, California 2011	https://youtu.be/5TQY5IMcn0U
Sierra Nevada World Music Festival, California 2014	https://youtu.be/zxAqF1D4_Nk
Babel Med Fest, France 2014	https://youtu.be/V_jlteQcDvk
Rototom Sunsplash, Spain 2015	https://youtu.be/XGx4UF3rKWs
Ithaca Reggae Festival, New York 2018	https://youtu.be/llyoHzArLgA
Republica Do Reggae, Brazil 2019	https://youtu.be/g7hCq4xPiTY
L'Astrolabe, France 2019	https://youtu.be/-k2GpWsfInk
Goa Sunsplash, India 2021	https://youtu.be/qSyBjFnJkzs
Festival de Neoules, France 2021	https://youtu.be/n-bhYPpeJYw

OFFICIAL MUSIC VIDEO (selection)

Long Time No See (Manjul featuring Clinton Fearon), 2021	https://youtu.be/a1sAKuW8q2k
Sleeping Lion (Live at Baco studio), 2021	https://youtu.be/pbsKDxCsZx4
On The Other Side (Live at Baco studio), 2021	https://youtu.be/s0sOHofliw0
Fix It (single), 2020	https://youtu.be/dlrKeGBGbkM
Together Again (Clinton Fearon feat. Alpha Blondy), 2019	https://youtu.be/0d8wflnVBQo
Why Worry (History Say album), 2019	https://youtu.be/Lr8abFANyCI
Time (History Say album), 2019	https://youtu.be/V2msWZx5t58
Waiting (This Morning album), 2016	https://youtu.be/L5DYnOcQ8So
Poor Nana (Goodness album), 2014	https://youtu.be/jYJEZLc2QKQ
Let Jah Be Praised (Heart And Soul album), 2012	https://youtu.be/zCMAHlxHiLM