

Mississippi

As birthplace of...

Waters, Howlin' Wolf, John Lee Hooker, and B.B. King, it is no wonder that Mississippi is known as home of the blues. But the state, where music remains a proud tradition, has also produced breakout stars in other genres, including Elvis Presley, Faith Hill, and Jimmy Buffett.

Music Venues & Festivals

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| Deep Blues Festival | Mississippi Coliseum |
| Duling Hall | New Roxy |
| Hattiesburg Saenger Theater | Proud Larry's |
| Landers Center | Rick's Cafe |
| Martins Downtown | The Lyric Oxford |
| Mississippi Coast Coliseum | |

Notable Musicians

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| 3 Doors Down | Jimmy Buffett |
| B.B. King | LeAnn Rimes |
| Elvis Presley | Rick Ross |
| Faith Hill | Robert Johnson |

\$108M
Music industry contribution to state GDP
(Economists Inc.)

1,737
Jobs Supported
(Economists Inc.)

265
Music Establishments
(A2IM/Economists Inc./NIVA)

1,527
Royalty Recipients
(SAG-AFTRA/SoundExchange)

13,940
Songwriters
(ASCAP/BMI/GMR/SESAC)

