

Aloha Plenty Artists – Doug & Sandy McMaster

Doug & Sandy McMaster live on the **island of Kauai** in Hawaii. Playing slack key since he was 6 years old, **Doug** learned through the years that along with this gift comes a responsibility (kuleana) to continue the tradition (ho'omau). He and Sandy have been playing music together since the late 1970's, dedicating their energy and talents to preserving, promoting, and perpetuating the beautiful artform of **traditional Hawaiian slack key (ki ho'alu) guitar**.

"Hanalei Tradition" is their 2007 CD release. It won the **2008 Hawaii Music Foundation Award for Best Slack Key Album of the Year**. These 'People's Choice' awards are voted on by people all over the world. Hanalei Tradition is also a **finalist** in the coveted **Na Hoku Hanohano Awards** for Best Slack Key Album of the Year sponsored by the Hawaii Academy of Recording Artists.

Sunset Diary – "Secret Life of the Slack Key Guitar" is their 2005 DVD release. A film documentary chronicling 10 years of nightly sunset serenades and the secret life of the slack key guitar. A film for everyone who loves Hawaiian sunsets, slack key guitar, family, kids, dogs, stories of aloha and magical moments!

Doug & Sandy McMaster have released 9 CDs in the traditional Hawaiian slack key style including

- "Hanalei Tradition"
- "Green Flash Slack Key"
- "Hawaiian Slack Key Guitar & Ukulele" Sampler CD
- "Feel Better Music" Relaxation CD
- "Island of Peace" CD Enhanced with sunset 'ohana video, photo gallery, and screensaver
- "In A Land Called Hanalei" CD
- "Kauai Homecoming" CD
- "Hanalei Sunset" CD
- "Slack Key Story" Documentary CD

In addition to her contributions on ukulele, guitar, and ipu, **Sandy** brings her storytelling, artistic, video production, and computer engineering talents to support their work.

Known worldwide for their sunset serenades, **Doug & Sandy McMaster** also provide visitors to Kauai with two concerts each week set with the magnificent Hanalei's emerald mountains, waterfalls, taro patches, warm tradewinds, and exquisite rainbows. Through their performances, people enjoy a little taste of life in old Hawaii before ranching, plantations, and modern life.

With their prolific composing and dedication, fans look forward to many new and unique works from this team.

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