



## Variety

*Avenue A* performs swing, jazz and Latin standards from the thirties, forties and beyond, oldies from the fifties, classic rock from the sixties and seventies, and the best of today's adult contemporary. With over fifteen years of experience playing together, the band has developed a large and varied repertoire that allows us to perform as either a background ensemble or a high-energy dance band for an assortment of age groups. We are continually adding to our play list and carry enough music with us to satisfy most of the requests that we receive.

## Versatile Musicians

*Avenue A* combines the best of modern technology with good old-fashioned musicianship. Start with a rich foundation of keyboards — a full 88-key Kurzweil that features the best of sampled and synthesized sounds, from concert grands and electric pianos to horn and string sections, with all sorts of stops in between. Drums and additional percussion keep the beat while guitar, tenor saxophone, trumpet, flute and harmonica provide texture and color. Add male and female lead vocals along with vocal harmonies and you have a lot of music coming from four people. Put it all through a compact state-of-the-art sound system and there's enough sound to fill a ballroom. Small room? Don't worry — we're flexible and rely on musicianship, not volume, to make us sound good.

## Experience

*Avenue A* has been playing for functions since 1984. We know how to work with establishments and groups of people. We take requests so that we can play the music that you and your guests want to hear. Whether you are planning a party, a fundraiser, or a formal wedding, we can help make your event run smoothly and provide the variety of great music that will make your gathering memorable.

*"Where do we begin to thank you for making our special day even more wonderful! You were outstanding! All of our guests were extremely impressed with our choice."*

*"Avenue A gave a truly professional, exceptional and unique performance. We danced the night away with friends who stayed 'til the end. You made our special celebration a hit."*

*"Absolutely terrific! I can't thank you enough for adding so much life and such a fun atmosphere to our event."*

*"Wonderful. You set the tone for the party and the compliments are still coming."*

## Satisfied Clients

*Avenue A* has performed at functions and in concert throughout the state and is proud to be recommended by many fine facilities. Regular clients include various community, civic and church organizations as well as several human service agencies and educational institutions. We receive much of our work through the recommendations of satisfied customers and others who have heard us play. We will do our best to add you to that group.

## Personal Attention

*Avenue A* is an independent and self-managed band. When you call *Avenue A*, you talk to a member of the band who will be at your party. We will help you arrange the musical aspect of your function and we will be there to make sure everything goes as you intended. No substitutes, no surprises.

## Additional Services

If you need additional musical services, we'll be glad to help out. Keyboards, classical guitar or trumpet are available for wedding ceremonies and/or cocktail hours. If you have a tight budget, the band can also perform as a three-piece group. And if you want even more sound, we can add additional musicians, all of whom have worked with *Avenue A* previously. We can also recommend classical ensembles for ceremonies or cocktail hours.

## AVENUE A

Diane Gaultieri — Keyboards & Vocals

Karen Mellor — Drums & Vocals

Philip Mullen — Guitar, Sax, Flute  
& Vocals

Dick Parent — Trumpet & Trombone

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