

## **Wildwood Jack Biography**

Wildwood Jack are a unique acoustic guitar and ukulele duo from Kent in the UK. Their melodic songs blend the acoustic guitar and ukulele with outstanding fingerstyle playing drawing influences from folk, americana and world music. They embrace the troubadour lifestyle and spend large parts of the year touring across the UK, Europe and New Zealand.

'Wildwood Jack' is their name for the independent spirit of music that knows no boundaries. Their wide repertoire draws from an eclectic songbook as well as instrumentals and heart warming original songs.

Wildwood Jack are Adam Piggott and Jayne Freeman, a husband and wife duo brought together by a love of music when they first met in 1991 at Hull University and they've been travelling on musical journeys ever since. Settling in Hastings in East Sussex in 2002 they played in various musical projects including samba bands, ukulele sextets and a cabaret trio all the while gathering and writing songs.

Music took them further and further afield and as they began to experience travels and adventures they longed to hit the road fulltime. In June 2013 they took the big step and sold up to begin an inspirational journey that's taken them all over Europe, the UK and New Zealand. Playing at acoustic clubs, folk clubs, cafes, bars, house concerts, festivals and even busking they've brought people from all over the world to their timeless style of acoustic folk music.

They released their first album 'Anytime Now' in 2011 under their own names. R2 Magazine described it as *"Quality songwriting, engaging, uplifting and filled with memorable melodies"* as well as *"a perfect summer soundtrack"*.

Their second album "The Firefly and the Half Diamond" followed a year later, FATEA Showcase said *"This is an album of great songs"*, SHIRE FOLK said *"Melodic and sophisticated"* NENTRYTHMS described it as *"genuinely uplifting"* with *"intensely adept acoustic guitar stylings"*.

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