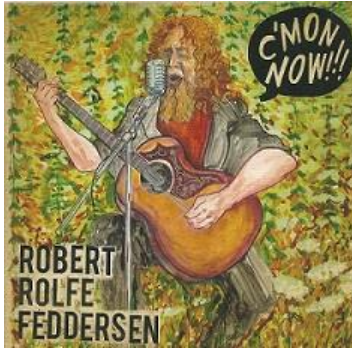


# Music by Robert Rolfe Feddersen



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## **Robert Rolfe Feddersen to celebrate release of new CD with Boatyard Brewing Company's third anniversary**

KALAMAZOO, MICHIGAN - Singer/songwriter Robert Rolfe Feddersen (RRF) is sailing into the Summer of 2017 launching his highly anticipated compilation CD, "C'MON NOW!!!" with a release party happening together with the third anniversary celebration of the Boatyard Brewing Company at the Kalamazoo brewery on Friday, June 23.

Officially coming out on June 20, this is the eighth solo release for the Crown Point, Ind. based musician. The 18 tracks appearing on the CD are drawn from his previous seven releases with some of the tunes being used on television, movies, and receiving air play locally, nationally, and around the world.

The seven previous recordings include "Graves of Soldiers" (2007), "Leaving Indiana" (2008), "I Wanna be on TV" (2009), "Milkman: (2010), "Get a Rope" (2011), "American Loser" (2013), and "My Terri Ann" (2016). The last two releases were recorded in Chicago by renown audio engineer and producer, Steve Albini.

"I am putting out this compilation because I have been touring heavily (157 shows in 2016) and want people to hear my old material," Feddersen said. "Instead of releasing each CD

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again individually, I thought a compilation would be the best idea. Sort of like, dare I say, a greatest hits or best of collection. I picked the songs that are appearing on “C’MON NOW!!!” from those I enjoy listening to most.”

Feddersen’s musical career dates back to September of 1982 when he first performed at a Catholic school on his native South Side of Chicago. Musical stops along the way include fronting the rock band Loudmouth in the mid-90’s generating the platinum selling song “Fly” that appeared on the soundtrack of the movie Varsity Blues. For the past few years RRF has been co-hosting “Left of Center” on the Valparaiso, Ind. community radio station WVLP-LP 103.1 FM.

Spanning many genres of music, Feddersen’s sound most closely leans toward the folk side of music with a very open, honest, reflective, humorous, and topical approach. His songwriting has been compared to early Bruce Springsteen, Steve Earle, and Woody Guthrie. RRF’s live shows are always entertaining, engaging, and heavily audience-inclusive. He was named one of Chicago’s 93XRT/Local Anesthetic’s Best of 2016 by host, Richard Milne.

“Music is always something that made me feel alive,” Feddersen said. “Not only was listening an amazing experience, but discovering I could play music was very special too. That hooked me even more.”

The “C’MON NOW!!!” release and the Boatyard Brewing Company’s third anniversary party will be from 7-10pm (EST) at the brewery (432 E. Paterson St., Kalamazoo, Mich.).

“The timing could not have been better to celebrate the third anniversary of this great brewery and the release of my new CD,” Feddersen said. “This part of Michigan has been so supportive of me and my music that I am thrilled to share in all of this.”

Copies of “C’MON NOW!!!” can be purchased at the release party, RRF shows, his website ([www.robertrolfefeddersen.com](http://www.robertrolfefeddersen.com)), [cdbaby.com](http://cdbaby.com), iTunes, and Amazon beginning on June 20.