

# SPENCER LEE WILSON THE DEAD POET

#### Bio

Spencer Lee Wilson (aka The Dead Poet), is a Huddersfield-based singer-songwriter. His original acoustic tracks and lyrical storytelling cover themes of love and loss, hope and nostalgia. Using the genres of folk, country, indie rock and americana, these heartfelt vocal performances are a product of his current album 'All My Ghosts' and new tracks from his upcoming EP's 'Only Human' and 'American Fog'.

His song writing is influenced by Bob Dylan, Nick Cave, Noel Gallagher, The Band and many more.

#### Releases



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## All My Ghosts (album)

"All My Ghosts" is The Dead Poet's most personal and successful album to date. The songs are stories of love, loss, hurt, nostalgia. In excess of 25,000 streams on Spotify. £1,000 in CD sales and accompanying book, to raise money for a men's mental health charity. Live performance of this album, new and old tracks, takes on an Americana, Indie rock, country, folk vibe - a bit more up tempo than the studio recording.

## **Woodstock Music Festival (live)**

The Dead Poet was the opening act at the Woodstock Music Festival (Alabama), performing to a crowd of over 2,000 people. He was invited by the Mayor of Woodstock, and although not a traditional country music artist, was welcomed with open arms and kindness by the 'Bammers. Watch the live performance on YouTube.

## **Looking Ahead**

There are two new EP's on the horizon for The Dead Poet. "Only HUMAN" is in the early stages of recording and due to be released in 2024. This includes 3 new tracks (Starlight, In Your Arms, Sally the Nurse), plus a reworking of House of the Rising Sun. There's a definite shift in live performances of these songs, to a more Americana and country blues vibe.

Songs for the following EP are currently at the writing stage. This will be called "American Fog", and currently includes tracks called, 'The Last Waltz', 'Goddess in Mourning' and 'All Coming Back to Me'.

In 2024 The Dead Poet will be playing small intimate gigs, has performed a live show of songs and short stories at the Huddersfield Literature Festival, and played at a range of HMV stores for their Live and Local sessions. He will be the opening act at 'Packfest', a new music festival in Huddersfield.

## Fan quotes

"When you sing 'Let it Rain', it gets me right here in the heart. It's beautiful." "I sometimes hear Rod Stewart in your voice, other times Joe Cocker. Keep going lad."

"You've got a real story telling voice in your vocals, a gravelly resonance like Guy Garvey"

"This guy's voice and songs should be in movies or on tv shows like Yellowstone. It just fits."



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