

SKIP GRIPARIS ROCK STAR IMPERSONATOR



IMPRESSIVE IMPRESSIONS

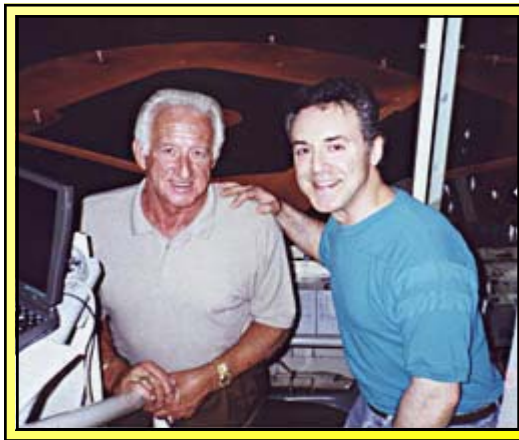
Skip Griparis presents an extraordinary comedic and musical one-man stage show, featuring satirical impressions of more than 45 stars of song, TV, and the silver screen from the 50's to the present. Rick Kogan, Chicago Tribune Critic, called it a *"spectacularly amusing, remarkable, can't miss show. A unique comedy-music-theater brew."*

IMPRESSIVE VOCALS

Skip's remarkable, high energy tour de force showcases a unique blend of precise, sidesplitting impressions; clean, insightful satire; virtuoso guitar picking; and an astonishingly versatile 3 1/2 octave vocal range. Your guests will go home buzzing, "What a voice! And he even *looks* like everyone he impersonates!" Perhaps this is what inspired Rick Reger, of the *Chicago Tribune* to remark, "Griparis has a host of *uncanny facial and vocal impressions.*"



Musical Impersonator Skip Griparis has been a fixture at Chicago's premier comedy club, Zanies, for over a decade.



Skip with co-star Bob Uecker at Wrigley Field after the filming of Major League II.

IMPRESSIVE CREDENTIALS

Skip's credits are extensive. In the '70s, he joined MCA recording artists New Colony Six, where he wrote and performed his first jazz compositions. Then he toured for two years with Olivia Newton-John before creating his own musical-comedy act which has since headlined at major comedy clubs across the country - from

Dangerfield's in New York to the Ice House in Los Angeles. In Chicago, he once headlined the city's premier club, Zanies, for four consecutive weeks - an unmatched achievement. Kimberly Link, of *Star Newspapers* wrote *"This writer went home with sore facial muscles from laughing so hard. Griparis is one of the best up-and-coming comedians anywhere."*

It's true. He's very, very funny. As a matter of fact, his bent for comedy landed him a featured role in the films *Major League* and *Major League II* where he played Monte the Colorman opposite Bob Uecker. Siskel and Ebert critique included, *"The best thing about Major League II is the relationship between Bob Uecker and Skip Griparis."*

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IMPRESSIVE TESTIMONIALS

"A STANDOUT GUITARIST."
· Hanford Searl, *Billboard Magazine*

"A MIRACLE OF DELICACY."
· Richard Chistiansen, *Chicago Tribune*

"A GIFTED SINGER AND A GREAT PICKER."
· Josh Dunson, *Chicago Magazine*

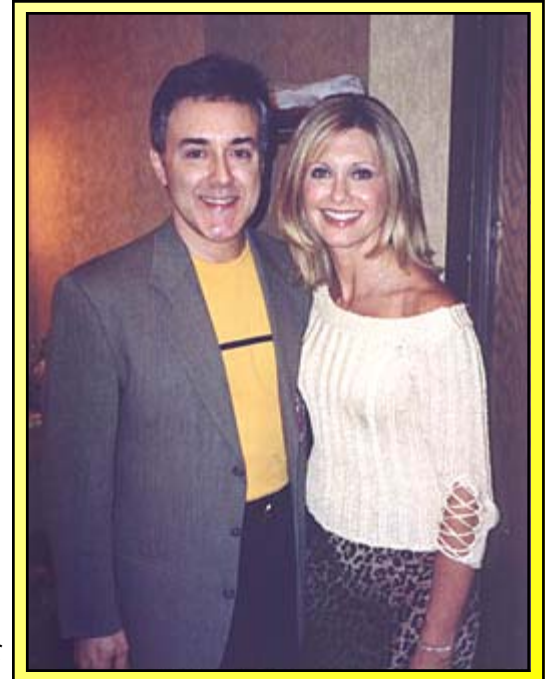
"FASCINATING, WONDERFUL, HAUNTING, LOVELY
MUSIC... CONSIDERABLE WRITING TALENT."
· Rick Kogan, WGN Radio, Chicago

"STRONG WRITING TALENT... MUSICAL MAGIC."
· Greg Bailey, *Nashville Banner*

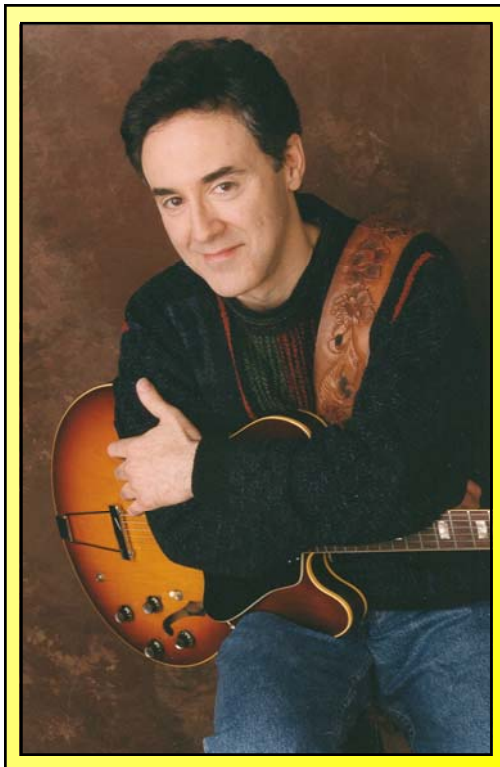
"THE SONGS ARE LOVELY... I WAS VERY TOUCHED."
· Hayley Mills, Oscar-Winning Actress

"FINELY POLISHED SATIRE... A MAGICAL MIX OF MUSIC
AND MIRTH."
· Greg Bailey, *Nashville Banner*

"ZIZZLES WITH ELECTRICITY... ZIP'S WITH ENERGY."
· Sherrie Miller, *Chicago Life*



Skip reuniting with Olivia Newton-John backstage at the Holiday Star Theater in 2002.



Skip Griparis - More musical fun than you ever thought possible from one guy and a guitar.

IMPRESSIVE MUSICAL FUN

So when Skip Griparis appears at your event, you're being entertained by a genuine master of classic rock, pop, soul, jazz and country. Team those talents with his special brand of comedy and you get an unforgettable evening.

IMPRESSIVE EVENT

So what do you get when you get Skip Griparis at your corporate event? No prerecorded tapes and no electronic tricks - that's for sure! You get a man who loves his work, appreciates his audiences and delivers more musical fun than you ever thought possible from one guy and a guitar.