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Haji draws comparisons to such memorable acts as Richie Havens, Jack Johnson, and John Legend, with the vocal quality of Sting and Seal. His past bills include Mieka Pauley and Ray Lamontagne. Haji Basim's creative music is authentic in every way, and from his walk of life, a beautiful gift of song flows and touches the soul.

## Selected Past Appearances:

- -Northwest Folk Festival, Seattle, WA
- -Eddie's Attic, Decatur, GA
- -The Catalyst, Santa Cruz, CA
- -The Greenwich, Cincinnati, OH
- -Double Door Inn, Charlotte, NC
- -Adelaide Fringe Festival SA, AUS
- -The Treehouse, Byron Bay, AUS
- -The singing Gallery, SA, AUS
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- -Wesley Anne, Melbourne, AUS
- -The Waterhole, Amsterdam, NL
- -Grand Lebowski, Utrecht, NL
- -Tree Organic, BC, CA
- -Medissage Center, Tonsberg, Norway
- -The Chandelier Room, Vic, AUS
- -St. Kilda Festival, Melbourne, AUS



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