

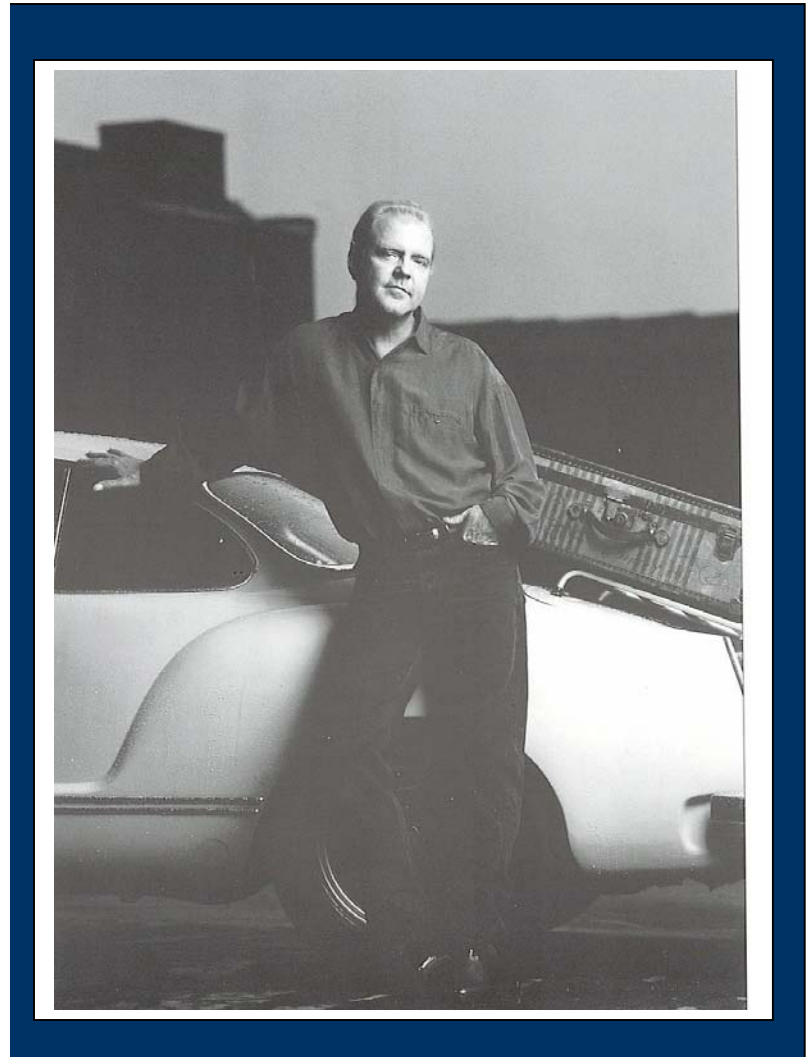
Minnesota Music Hall of Fame Inductee



Michael Johnson (1944 -) Inducted in 1994

Michael Johnson's music has the kind of diversity, depth and sophistication that takes years of wide-ranging experience to develop. From teaching himself to play guitar at thirteen to win a contest sponsored by CBS while in college and studying classical guitar in Spain, Michael has continuously worked to refine his guitar playing. And from touring with the Chad Mitchell Trio which then included aspiring song-writer John Denver, to recording many albums with such major hits as "Bluer Than Blue" and "Give Me Wings", Michael has worked to produce music of quality and depth. Having experienced great

success in the top 40-Market, Michael crossed over to the country-western field and again experienced great success with the 1986 album entitled WINGS. Michael followed WINGS with the very successful album THAT'S THAT featuring the hit of the same title, which scored big in country western, Top 40, Adult Contemporary and R & B charts. Michael has recently toured with country music giants Alabama and Eddie Rabbit, and is working on a new album



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