



Acoustic guitarist maestros **Billy Watman & Jon Hart** team up for a spectacular double headed UK Tour this spring and summer sponsored by Ortega guitars. In April, they will head South to Buckinghamshire (The Drawing Room, Chesham), Hampshire (The Art House, Southampton), Oxfordshire (Thame Players Theatre, Thame) and South London (The Front Room, Croydon) where they will showcase new material from their upcoming releases along with gems from their old material. The Northern leg of the tour will kick off at the prestigious Manchester Guitar night in July, with further dates to be added soon. With a mix of fingerstyle, classical, folk, rock and singer-songwriter all attendees will be blown away with not only two distinctive solo sets, but they will witness a short duo set with these two great guitarists.

Billy Watman is an award winning 17 year old Anglo-Brazilian classical / fingerstyle guitarist. In 2016, he reached the grand final of 'Guitar Star' for Sky Arts TV, broadcast in Europe, Australia and South America. His audition for the show, performing 'Bohemian Rhapsody' at London's Royal Festival Hall was an internet sensation, altogether his videos have been seen by over 60 million people. In 2018 he successfully auditioned for, and was offered a scholarship at, the world renowned 'Royal College of Music' in London, where he will study with classical virtuoso Gary Ryan. For more info visit <https://billywatman.com>.

"A special guy!" – **George Benson**
"Extremely talented" – "a little genius" – **Tony Visconti**
"We liked it, oh yes we did – play on Billy, play on!" – **QUEEN**

UK Fingerstyle Singer-songwriter **Jon Hart** has received critical acclaim from across the acoustic guitar world for his debut album 'Reborn' (co-produced by Chris Woods Groove), folk-fingerstyle album 'Set Adrift' with Daryl Kellie and three EPs 'Defuse', 'Sticks & Stones' and 'Momento' (the latter produced by Declan Zapala). He has toured throughout the UK (recently with Maneli Jamal) and Europe, with performances at Isle of Wight Festival, London Acoustic Guitar Show, The Turner Sims Concert Hall, and Ullapool Guitar Festival where he co-headlined with fingerstyle legend Preston Reed. For more info visit <https://jonhartmusic.com>

"A masterful guitar player" **Guitar World**
"Stand out performances dripping with atmosphere" **Acoustic Magazine**
"Raises the bar to impressive heights" **David Sinclair – Rock & Pop Critic for The Times**

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