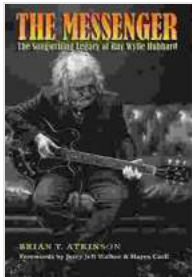


# The Songwriting Legacy of Ray Wylie Hubbard, John and Robin Dickson in Texas



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Hubbard, Dickson, and Dickson are all from Texas, and their music reflects the state's rich musical heritage. Their songs are often about the people and places of Texas, and they capture the state's unique spirit of independence and individuality.

Hubbard is a prolific songwriter, and he has written some of the most iconic songs in Texas music history. His songs are known for their wit, humor, and wisdom, and they often tell stories of the human condition. Some of his most famous songs include "Up Against the Wall, Redneck Mother," "Snake Farm," and "Screw You, We're from Texas."

Dickson and Dickson are a songwriting duo, and they have written some of the most beautiful and moving songs in Texas music history. Their songs are often about love, loss, and redemption, and they have a timeless quality that has resonated with listeners for decades. Some of their most famous songs include "Lullaby," "One More Time," and "The Last Thing on My Mind."

Hubbard, Dickson, and Dickson have all made significant contributions to the Texas music scene. Their songs have helped to define the sound of Texas music, and they have inspired generations of musicians. They are all true masters of their craft, and their music will continue to be enjoyed for years to come.

## **Ray Wylie Hubbard**

Ray Wylie Hubbard was born in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, in 1946. He moved to Texas in the early 1970s, and he quickly became one of the most popular and respected songwriters in the state. Hubbard's songs are often about the people and places of Texas, and they capture the state's unique spirit of independence and individuality.

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Hubbard has also released a number of critically acclaimed albums, including "Stone Crazy" (1975), "Loco Gringo's Lament" (1978), and "The Messenger" (1984). He has toured extensively throughout the United States and Europe, and he has performed with some of the biggest names in the music industry.

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## **John Dickson**

John Dickson was born in Fort Worth, Texas, in 1949. He began playing guitar and writing songs at a young age, and he formed his first band while still in high school. Dickson moved to Austin in the early 1970s, and he quickly became a fixture on the city's vibrant music scene.

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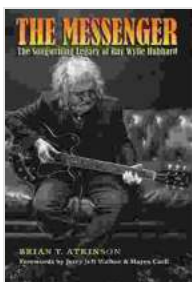
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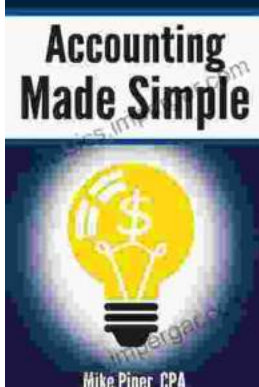


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