



# **Cory Ryan**

Cory Ryan's music speaks to the soul. Raised in Northeast Ohio, Cory has been lead by music from his first high school band to Nashville's prestigious Belmont University. His fate was sealed as a singer, songwriter, and electrifying performer. His break-out CD "Blank Slate" has been met with adulation and success. Great reviews coupled with a great live show, Cory is a hit with audiences across the country. Cory has put together an energetic live performance that further enhances "Blank Slate".

Cory's music infuses rock-n-roll with a lyrical depth, whose original sound cannot be easily categorized. He's noted for his live performances. Audiences love his high energy shows and just plain fun style of delivering music. Cory is on his first national tour adding to the numbers of an already sizable following.

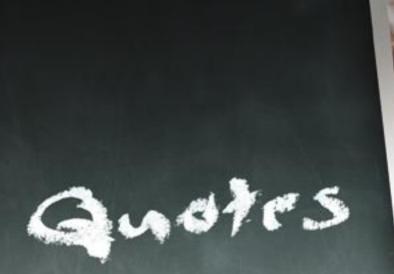
Cory resides in Kansas City, Missouri, but feels at home on the road having moved nine times before he left elementary school. "The road is my home, I love it."

See Cory at www.coryryanmusic.com



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#### **Beth Nielsen Chapman - singer, songwriter** "Cory Ryan is a multi-talented artist and writer ... one to watch!"

### **Discoveringartists.com** Reviewed by Kristen Pasculli

"He's got that acoustic rhythm I adore in Edwin McCain, with a voice strikingly similar to Matt Nathanson. In 'Changed', he sings, 'With a word and a smile you say every thing's all right, but whose head will you be holding when you sleep tonight?' Ryan's tunes are written in a witty tone that exudes his caution about love, while a few of them let the softer side through. I have to say the album impressed me. Favorite Tracks: 'Everything', 'Changed'."

## Pucknation.com

#### Puckett Music Review

"Cory Ryan's Blank Slate is a rarity. At times it sounds as robust as early U2, at other times it takes cues from vaudeville sound, and at other times sounds like the better end of singer/ songwriter fare... The single-bound 'Lauren' is catchy as anything on the radio today."

## Pluginmusic.com

Music Review

"Good Now That You're Gone', a raunchy roadhouse jump-n-jiver that the Stray Cats wouldn't be ashamed to cover."

## Q104 Radio, Cleveland

John Connor "Cory is a great singer songwriter. When he plays it's magical."

# Moonlight Groove Radio, Syndicated

### Ravenna Miceli

"Cory is a phenomenal singer/songwriter/guitarist and he's got hooks, hooks, hooks! He makes you want to sing along. 'Lauren', 'Good Now That You're Gone', and 'Make Contact' are my favorites. Blank Slate is filled with hits."

# WJCU 88.7 FM, Cleveland

Bill lammarino, John Carroll University "What can I say, but AWESOME!!!! This guy rocks!!!!"



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## DATES PLAYED:

2006 March, Kansas City, MO 2006 February, Kansas City, MO 2006 February, Cleveland, OH 2006 February, Cleveland, OH 2006 January, Kansas City, MO 2006 January, Lawrence, KS 2005 December, Kansas City, MO 2005 November, Lawrence, KS 2005 November, Kansas City, MO 2005 November, Kansas City, KS 2005 November, Kansas City, MO 2005 November, Mission, KS 2005 November, Kansas City, MO 2005 October, Kansas City, MO 2005 October, Overland Park, MO 2005 September, Kansas City, MO 2005 September, Kansas City, MO 2005 August, Kansas City, MO 2005 August, Washington, DC 2005 August, Washington, DC 2005 July, Cleveland, OH 2005 July, Cleveland, OH 2005 July, Cleveland, OH 2005 July, Akron, OH 2005 June, Cleveland, OH 2005 June, Cleveland, OH 2005 May, Battle Creek, MI 2005 January, Cleveland, OH 2005 January, Akron, OH

The Grand Emporium Beaumont Club-Battlerusa on the Road to Wakarusa Words and Music, TV interview & show Crooked River Groove, TV special performance The Grand Emporium Border's Bookstore - CD signing The Grand Emporium Border's Bookstore – CD signing Time Warner Cable, KC on Demand/Taped show The Beaumont Club – Winner Bands Across Kansas City 2005 Fox 4, Fox 4 in the Morning/Live TV BAKC TV- Cory featured - pics, music, talk Border's Bookstore – CD signing Blayney's Lucky Brewgrill Davey's Uptown The Grand Emporium Danny's 97.3 The Planet – Special Event Blayney's Blayney's Voice of America, World of Music/Live special Voice of America, Border Crossings/Live 1 hr. special **Beachland Ballroom** Channel 3, Studio 3/Live TV Fox 8, Fox 8 in the Morning/Live TV WAPS/One hour special Beachland Ballroom, CMJ Rock Week **Barking Spider** Beth Nielsen Chapman Concert **Barking Spider** Walsh University



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