

Monty Sweet is an independent *SOUL BLUES AMERICANA* artist based out of Virginia Beach, VA. Strumming his first blues guitar chord at the age of 17, **Monty** was a founding member of the popular South Florida band **Stone House**. As the lead vocalist, rhythm guitarist and primary songwriter in **Stone House**, he helped to pioneer the jam band movement in the early 90's.

A gospel-soul vocalist and multi-instrumentalist, **Monty** has shared stages with **Albert Collins**, **The Fabulous Thunderbirds**, **Jack Johnson**, **Coco Taylor**, **War**, and **The Allman Brothers**, to name just a few. He has also been featured in **Relix Magazine** and listed on **national** blues harmonica "*Best New Player*" lists, comparing him to the late, great **Carey Bell**.

After many years of performing professionally, family became his focus, and **Monty** took a hiatus for nearly two decades. However, during the COVID isolation, his passion for music was reignited in full force and he began diving into new musical ideas.

Currently, **Monty** is completing his debut solo album, which will showcase his own unique spin on soul blues. Look to add his upcoming releases to your playlist this Summer 2023

