

Biography

Danny Godinez is a guitarist, singer, songwriter, and composer, and has been a mainstay in the Seattle music scene for over a decade. He spent his formative years in Virginia, and started playing guitar at the age of nine. By thirteen he was averaging eight to nine hours per day with his beloved dark brown '79 strat, practicing in his bedroom, playing for his high school jazz band, and jamming with local Newport News musicians. At seventeen he self-released his first album entitled "The Onion Cellar" with his good friend Chris Buchanan on keyboards. Shortly thereafter, he founded his first gigging band called "Cold Globe". He has been playing guitar professionally ever since.

After a four-year stint at Old Dominion University, he traveled to Seattle in 1996 and relocated to the Great Northwest. Since his arrival, he has performed with the likes of Kenny Wayne Shepherd, ZZ Top, Jason Mraz, Big Head Todd, Rodrigo y Gabriella, Carlos Santana, and Johnny Lang. He toured for several years with his own band, the Danny Godinez Band, throughout Alaska and across the lower 48. His catalog includes several EP's and two live albums. Danny has worked for the Music Maker Label producing, writing, and touring overseas supporting their roster of artists.

In recent years, Danny has been collaborating and performing with Micheal Shrieve in the all-star band 'Michael Shrieve's Spellbinder' in addition to his solo performances in Seattle and throughout the Northwest.