CHRIS BRASHEAR & PETER McLAUGHLIN



When National Flatpicking Guitar Champion Peter McLaughlin and multi-instrumentalist Chris Brashear joined forces in 1992, heads turned. Sibling-like harmonies and stunning instrumental virtuosity were to be expected. But their singing and songwriting put them in a class all by themselves. Drawing from the unique stories and landscapes of the Southwest, as well as from their own life experiences, these two kindred musicians have carved a unique place for themselves in the grand tradition of duet singers and in the larger world of acoustic music. Their second duet recording, **So Long Arizona**, was released in 2008 on Dog Boy Records. In addition to their years of playing together, they have both have been noteworthy sidemen for some of acoustic music's best known groups, including Laurie Lewis & Grant Street and Robin and Linda Williams and Their Fine Group. In addition, they founded the bluegrass super group *Perfect* **Strangers**, with Jody Stecher, Forrest Rose and Bob Black.

"This is amazing musicianship that demands repeated listening!" ~ Flatpicking Guitar Magazine

"With a voice both plaintive and lyrical, and with a keen ear for language, Chris Brashear continues to be one of the finest writers and exponents of the sentimental song. ~ Bluegrass Unlimited





So Long Arizona TRACK LIST

Where the City Ends
So Long Arizona
The Jam on Gerry's Rock
Louisville Suite
The Great Western Dance
Come in Stranger

Bright New Morning Powell's Journey A Few Broken Pieces of Route 66 That Old Train Sockdolager

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