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Skidders' debut album *Skidderslectric*, released 4th May 2015. Composed, produced and recorded by Skidders (aka Steve Skidmore) in Royal Leamington Spa, UK.

Of the eleven rock/blues/jazz tracks, ten are instrumental, with one track *Just Boozin'* featuring Skidders' wife, Terryann, on vocals as well as himself. The album on CD format also features a video of *Just Boozin'* and a Digital Booklet.

"I've been working on *Skidderslectric* since we [*Bukechi*] completed our debut album in 2009 – so around 6 years! I've written, produced, recorded and played all instruments on the new album – it's been a labour of love, but I am very pleased when I listen to the finished product." said Skidders.

Skidderslectric was Mastered by Force 8 Records' Paul 'the Ox' Hogg and can be purchased on all major digital streaming platforms as well as on CD from Skidders' website.

Free Promo Pack

This free Promo Pack, includes all tracks, some photos from the albums photoshoot and this updated Press Release. Also a non-vocals version of *Just Boozin'* for any Sync requirements is included. Please email skiddersmusic@me.com with any queries or alternatively, select the Contact link on Skidders' home page www.skiddersmusic.com

Bio

Guitarist, songwriter, producer & session musician - Skidders (real name Steve Skidmore) - was born in Smethwick in the Black Country at what was the heart of industrial England. As a solo artist, he has performed sets of self-penned acoustic instrumental songs; through to electric blues & rock tributes to Clapton, Robert Johnson and Seasick Steve.

In bands, Skidders has played alongside Dexy's Midnight Runners' Kevin Rowland; supported the likes of Family's Roger Chapman, Midge Ure, the La's John Power and Ellie Goulding; and has played at venues such as the Forum and

the world famous Cavern Club. As a session musician, he has collaborated with various artists and bands such as Anatasha, Beneva and Andrew James - both on stage and in the recording studio. He is also half of musical duo Bukechi, where he writes and performs alongside singer Sammi Roberts (née Houston). Bukechi were BBC Coventry's Band of the Month in 2009, after the release of their debut album, 'Welcome to Suburbia'.

Skidderslectric was Skidders' debut album and is followed by 'Friends & Family', released exactly 6 years following *Skiddersectric*, due for release 4th May 2021.

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