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Damian is known for his ability to fit into any musical situation, his extraordinary reading and improvising skills as well as being an educator and columnist. He has played in the studio or on the stage with the likes of Peter Erskine • The Jaco Pastorius Big Band • Les McCann & Javon Jackson • Gino Vannelli • Jeff Lorber • George Colligan • Sveti w/ Marko Djordjevic • Vardan Ovsepien • Charmaine Neville • Tony Furtado and many others as well as being featured on the GospelChops.com "Shed Sessionz Vol. 1" DVD.

Damian is an adjunct professor at **Portland State University** in Portland, Oregon and has also appeared as an instructor at **Gerald Veasley's Bass Bootcamp**, the **National Guitar Workshop** as well as the **Berklee College of Music's Guitar Week**.

Damian has also written for **Bass Player Magazine**, **NoTreble.com**, **Bass Musician Magazine** as well as authoring his own book, "**Right Hand Drive**".

Bass Player Magazine:

"Damian's significant facility and harmonic awareness are what happens when talent and hard work collide."

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