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### WHO?

#### **MEL COLLINS & THE D. BEN-JAMIN BAND**

Are a 7-piece ensemble consisting of trumpet, trombone, tenor saxophone, baritone sax, keyboardist/pianist, bassist, drums, and vocalist. (optional 8 with guitar).

### WHAT?

# JAZZ STANDARDS AND POP RE-INVENTED AS JAZZ STANDARDS

Jerome Kern, Hoagy Carmichael, Miles Davis, Van Morrison, Prince, Cyndi Lauper, and John Legend are just some of the artists whose tunes have inspired us! From Big Band to Swing, to Smooth Jazz, we create and make our own sound to appreciate jazz in all forms.

### WHY?

Because it's FUN! As the only true American art form, jazz should be celebrated! Born in the early part of the 20<sup>th</sup> century, jazz spent the next 100 years blossoming into numerous styles. We honor its journey and want to continue to inspire audiences with its magic in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century. The responses to our performances have shown us over and over again how much people enjoy our fresh take on this beautiful music. We can't wait to share it with you!

