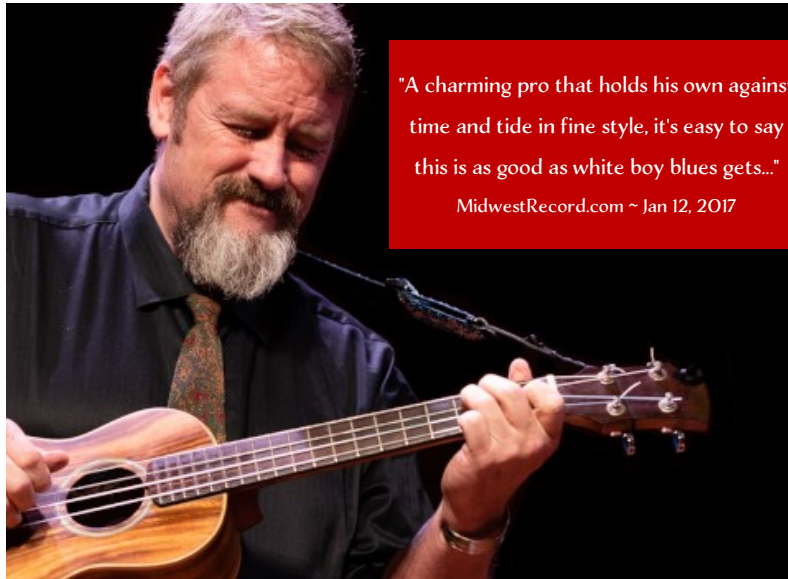


# MANITOBA HAL

Canada's Ukulele Bluesman



"A charming pro that holds his own against time and tide in fine style, it's easy to say this is as good as white boy blues gets..."

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"Many musicians play the blues...  
Many musicians play the Ukulele...  
Nobody does both the way that  
Manitoba Hal Brolund does,  
and he's also one of the most  
genuine and nicest human beings..."

~ John Henderson  
SPRUIKE Festival Australia



1. ALLIGATOR (3:21)
2. MY DYIN' DAY (3:12)
3. PAPA GÂTEAU (MADE OF MONEY) (2:59)
4. PEEL MYSELF AWAY (3:13)
5. PAUL WALKED ON (2:42)
6. PLENTY OF FISH (2:47)
7. SAINT PETER (3:03)
8. THE HOPE OF A BRIGHTER DAY (3:29)
9. WHEN LEADBELLY WALKED THE RIVER (3:02)
10. BLESSED BY LOVE (3:37)

**Alligator** The blues began in 50 square mile region of the Mississippi Delta. Robert Johnson became a "walking musician" after his first wife died in Alligator Mississippi. We take a walk through this historic Mississippi town.

**My Dyin' Day** Oh brothers and sisters let's go down to the water and be baptized in the living water of the blues. Come the ruination I'll be playing my guitar as I'm washed away. Blues is in the water and it will clean me.

**Papa Gâteau (Made Of Money)** Tongue-in-cheek swagger and groove sashay bragging about status and cash. Bilingual rich, baby.

**Blessed By Love** I am not special, I am ordinary but I am blessed by love. It is what makes me special. It is what makes me extraordinary.

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