Sam Arlen ~ Biography

Sam Arlen is a music publisher and Saxophonist. As the son of the legendary American composer Harold Arlen, Sam promotes his father's over 500 compositions through his publishing company, S.A. Music LLC.

Although Sam has particular interest in the Harold Arlen catalog and songs from the American Songbook, he performs all styles of music. He has performed at Lincoln Center, Carnegie Hall and many Performing Arts Centers in the United States and throughout the world.

Sam has been playing the saxophone for over forty years and has performed with his own bands as well as being a guest artist for many popular performers and bands, combining the musical styles of the past with classic modern sounds.

In 2005, for his fathers Centennial Celebration Sam recorded a tribute CD to his father entitled "Arlen Plays Arlen" which is available in wide release.

Sam started his first music publishing company in 1986 to promote and license the music of his father. He handles licensing for recordings, movies, television, Broadway musicals and is the co-creator of the long running Off- Broadway musical; "The Wonderful Wizard of Song, The Music of Harold Arlen". Sam has taught various music and music history classes from grade school level through advanced PhD programs.

For more information, please go to <u>www.haroldarlen.com</u> And <u>www.samarlen.com</u>.

