



Former Saturday Night Live Band Leader G.E.

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Galloway Township , NJ- One of the most in demand blues/rock g
mysterious character who goes by the name of G.E. Smith. Millions
face- and the shock of an unruly blond ponytail that was always fall
fronting the Saturday Night Live Band. G.E. Smith will rock the hous
College of New Jersey's Performing Arts Center on Saturday, Feb.

by calling the Box Office at (609) 652-9000. The Box Office is open Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. and 90 minutes before the performance. For group sales, call (609) 652-4786 or

Show time is 7:30 p.m. Tickets are \$32 and may be ordered online

For G.E. (George Edward) Smith, a soulful guitarist, composer, singer, and bandleader, it all began in rural Stroudsburg, PA, where he was just about born with a guitar in his hand.

"I started playing around the age of 4, and started getting good at 7," Smith says. "Eventually, the girlfriend of one of my uncles bought me a Martin, a real good guitar, in 1959."

On his 11th birthday, Smith's mother bought him his first electric guitar, a Fender Telecaster, a model that to dated his birth year- 1952.

"I still have that guitar, and there's no sound that I can't find in it," Smith said.

By then he was supporting himself as a musician.

Smith was hired to play lead guitar for Hall and Oates, racking up hit after hit with songs like "Private Eyes," "Man Eater," "Kiss on My List," and others.

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Smith led the SNL band for 10 years (1985 – 1995).