

# Abraham Jam Offerings

**Abraham Jam is a collaborative concert with Dawud Wharnsby, Billy Jonas and David Lamotte blending original music of heart and spirit and traditional music from the three Abrahamic faiths.** The concert employs music to build resonance and bridge the gap between current conflicts and the spirit it takes to find harmony together.

**Jonas, LaMotte and Wharnsby have performed extensively over the last few decades in their individual careers.** [Dawud Wharnsby](#) is a Canadian-born poet, songwriter and artist, singing beautifully crafted original songs on guitar and mandolin. Wharnsby's career includes fifteen solo albums, numerous soundtrack credits and collaborations, and five poetry anthologies. [Billy Jonas](#) is an accomplished percussionist, guitar player, pianist, and songwriter, with infectiously whimsical songs and a knack for inspiring audiences to join in. Jonas' touring career has covered numerous countries with concerts and award-winning recordings for both adult and family audiences. [David LaMotte](#) is a well-loved songwriter, with over 3000 concerts on five continents to his credit, his guitars and drums in tow. Together, they make up Abraham Jam, a band of brothers.

**In addition to family friendly community concerts and adult concerts, Abraham Jam offers a middle/high school concert with q&a. Each artist has original educational performances for elementary through high school students. They are also available to perform solo school outreach while in your community.**

## **Workshops, Residencies, and Master Classes:**

**Abrahamic Faiths 101** – can be offered as a question and answer or panel discussion.

**Worldchanging 101** - a residency exploring intersections between personal gifts and the needs of the world, based on David LaMotte's book, *World Changing 101: Challenging the Myth of Powerlessness*.

**Songwriting and Stagecraft** – each artist brings his unique style and tool bag to the art of songwriting and performance.

**RePercussion** – repurposing objects we find and recycle, exploring the sound and song within our creations and playing with these discoveries.

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