## CHRIS SCANLON

## "Scanlon has long since established himself as one of the area's great homegrown talents" The Valley Advocate

When they see him on the bill, his fans might ask themselves "which Chris Scanlon will it be tonight?" Is it the one that rocks hard with his band of Valley all-star musicians, The Other Guys? Or the one that plays heartfelt ballads with his soaring voice? Or the one that interprets classic songs and artists and makes them his own? Or all of the above? Whether presenting academic papers at the Bruce Springsteen Archives at Monmouth University, playing the rock opera "Tommy" for private parties, transforming himself into artists like The Kinks, Tom Waits or Prince for tribute nights, or rocking his catchy original songs at Food Truck Friday and First Night Northampton ... the guy keeps busy.

Scanlon's album u-turn has earned praise and airplay in the Pioneer Valley and beyond. Powerpopaholic called the album "inventive" and loved Scanlon's "soulful croon," while WRSI added the lead single, "Fish Daddy," into its rotation. He's been onstage at the Falcon Ridge, WordXWord and Upper Valley music festivals and performed at the Cape May Singer-Songwriter Festival and Northeast Regional Folk Alliance. He was also a finalist in the WRSI singer-songwriter contest and has played venues along the East Coast such as the Iron Horse Music Hall, the Shea Theater, The Saint in Asbury Park and Puck Live in Doylestown, PA.

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