

## **150 choice words about Gabriel Mark Hasselbach**

***Gabriel Mark Hasselbach is a well-known award winning jazz stylist, playing the unique combination of trumpet, flute, and flugelhorn. He has over a dozen albums to his name, a JUNO award, and 'Album of the Year' and 'Instrumentalist of the Year' wins at the Canadian Smooth Jazz awards, as well as numerous top 15 and higher Billboard charting hits. He has performed and/or recorded with mainstream artists like Michael Bublé, George Benson, John Denver, Little Richard, Long John Baldry, Jim Byrnes, Ben E King, The O Jays, Mary Wells, and was an original member of the Powder Blues; and jazz artists like Jeff Lorber, Chuck Loeb, Paul Brown, Brian Bromberg, Warren Hill, Bob Baldwin, Cal Harris, and Bob James to name a few.***

***He walks a fine line between contemporary and classic idioms, incorporating both effortlessly into a smooth and seamless stage show. His influences range from classic artists like Blue Mitchell and Chet Baker, to contemporaries like Chris Botti and Rick Braun.***

