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Gibson.com Reveals Top 50 Guitarists, Plus Readers Poll Results

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All week, you've been checking out *Gibson.com's* Top 50 Guitarists of All Time, starting with [#50-#41](#), then [#40-#31](#), and [#30-#21](#), then [#20-#11](#), and, finally, [#10-#1](#). In case you wanted to see the entire list of 50 guitarists in one place – running from Hendrix to Blackmore – here you go.

Also, below the Top 50, check out the results of our Readers Poll, which had its own influence on the final list. Many of your 25 picks were represented, but some guitarists just missed the cut. See who came in first. It might surprise you ...

Gibson.com's Top 50 Guitarists of All Time

1. Jimi Hendrix
2. Jimmy Page
3. Keith Richards
4. Eric Clapton
5. Chuck Berry
6. Jeff Beck
7. Eddie Van Halen
8. Chet Atkins
9. Robert Johnson
10. Pete Townshend
11. George Harrison
12. Stevie Ray Vaughan
13. Jack White
14. Prince
15. Steve Cropper
16. Mike Bloomfield
17. B.B. King
18. Wes Montgomery
19. Mick Ronson
20. Django Reinhardt
21. Johnny Marr
22. Les Paul
23. The Edge
24. Ron Asheton
25. Angus Young
26. Neil Young
27. Danny Gatton
28. Ed O'Brien and Jonny Greenwood
29. Duane Allman
30. Roy Buchanan
31. Bo Diddley
32. Ry Cooder
33. Scotty Moore
34. Slash
35. Buddy Guy
36. (tie) Mike Campbell
 - Charlie Christian
38. Lou Reed
39. Frank Zappa
40. Steve Jones
41. David Gilmour
42. (tie) Richard Thompson
 - John Frusciante
 - Rory Gallagher
 - Clarence White
 - Hubert Sumlin
47. (tie) Andres Segovia
 - Robert Fripp
49. (tie) Kurt Cobain
 - Ritchie Blackmore

Gibson.com's Readers Poll – Top 25 Guitarists

1. Duane Allman
2. Jimmy Page
3. Jimi Hendrix
4. Warren Haynes
5. Eric Clapton
6. Stevie Ray Vaughan
7. Rik Emmett
8. Frank Marino
9. Slash
10. Angus Young
11. (tie) Jerry Cantrell
 - Mike Bloomfield
13. (tie) Dickey Betts
 - Jeff Beck
15. Derek Trucks
16. Jerry Garcia
17. (tie) Chet Atkins
 - Jack White
19. Joe Satriani
20. (tie) Joe Bonamassa
 - Les Paul
22. Randy Rhoads
23. (tie) Keith Richards
 - Eddie Van Halen
25. (tie) David Gilmour
 - Ritchie Blackmore
 - Allen Collins
 - Robert Fripp



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