

THE ORIGINAL LORETTA LYNN BAND

# THE COALMINERS

PRESENTS



FEATURING EMILY PORTMAN

Tribute Bands ... The category of “Tribute Bands” in the live music market has become a hot item for venues today, where audiences can get the beloved music of legendary artists at a fraction of the cost. The only issue with “Tribute Bands” is sometimes the quality of the performance, and oftentimes, just a group of guys who have put together a show based on a particular group or artists but really don’t have any other connection with that artist.

**Loretta Lynn’s Band “The Coalminers” is a world apart...**

***WE’RE NOT A TRIBUTE BAND, WE ARE THE BAND!***

The band who toured with Loretta Lynn for over 40 years, and more than 25 million fans, and 5000+ shows worldwide!

When looking at what we are offering by putting together this show, it is so much more than your typical “Tribute Band” and it is important to recognize the actual value of what we are delivering.

Our group and the tours that we have performed with Loretta over these many years, represent decades of experiences and adventures that put us in a unique category that is head and shoulders about just “some guys” who put together a Loretta Lynn sound alike show.

What we deliver, is not only just the sound that backed Loretta over the years but in addition, we offer first-handed stories of adventures while on the road with Loretta as well as a viewpoint of Loretta’s music that can’t be proffered by anyone else.

We give the audience an experience that they can’t anywhere else. Presenting the songs of Loretta Lynn the way that she performed them, from the band that knew her best, from premiere venues such as Carnegie to Albert Hall, from Sydney House to the Grand Ole Opry as well as the thousands of cities and venues from all over the world playing live, to well over 25 million fans in the 40+ years of touring with Loretta.

In the Always Loretta show, of course, you will hear all the hits from Loretta’s legendary career, but also, we present other fan favorites that only occasionally made it into the normal tour song list.

In addition, we feature a section of the show, we call the “Get To Know Loretta” ... where band members take questions about Loretta from audience members and ask what their favorite Loretta song is. During this time, the band members tell funny stories about road life with Loretta, which becomes one of the highlights of each show.

The 90+ minute show is not to be forgotten! It is a wonderfully unique glimpse into the touring world of Loretta Lynn, through an evening of the music and memories honoring Loretta and her legendary career!

**Who is Emily Portman and why is she singing the Loretta Lynn songs?**

Emily made frequent trips to Loretta Lynn’s Ranch in Hurricane Mills, Tennessee. During those visits, Emily became friends with Loretta and the two traded stories and moments that only created a stronger bond and friendship.

Emily portrayed Loretta in the Conway Twitty touring musical “It’s Only Make Believe”.