

Blues Brothers Band, Green onions

All right people.

The rest of the hard working all star

Blues Brothers are

gonna be out here in a minute,

including my little brother Jake.

But right now,

I'd like to talk a little bit about this tune you're hearing.

This is ofcourse the

Green Onions tune.

It was a very big hit in the early sixties in this country.

And ofcourse it was composed and recorded in Memphis,

Tennessee,

right here in the United States Of America.

You know, people, I believe that

this tune can be acquainted with the great classical music around the world.

Now you go to Germany, you've got your Bach, your Beethoven, your Brahms...

Here in America you've got your Fred McDowell,

your Irving Berlin, your Glenn

Miller, and your Booker T & The MG's, people.

Another example of the great

contributions in music and culture that this country has made around the world.

And as you look around the world today, you see this country spurned.

You see backs turned on this country.

Well people,

I'm gonna tell you something, this continent,

North America, is the stronghold!

This is where we're gonna ma