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## WESTERN GUITAR MASTERCLASS TO BE HELD AT CAFÉ ACOUSTIC

**St. Joseph, Mo.** —April 7, 2006—Missouri Western State University guitar faculty will hold a masterclass at 6:30 p.m. April 19 at Café Acoustic, 2605 Frederick Ave. Participants will be coached on various musical subjects including technique, stage presence, and career development by Western instructors Jason Riley, head of the commercial guitar program, and Anthony Glise, head of the classical guitar program.

Local guitarists are invited to bring their guitars and receive free coaching from the guitar faculty. These masterclasses are part of the community outreach program of the St. Joseph International Guitar Festival and Competition, sponsored by Western's music department.

The next masterclass will be May 17 at Café Acoustic in conjunction with the guitar festival and competition May 17 – 21.

For more information, contact Anthony Glise at 816-232-1313.

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