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**KENNY WAYNE SHEPHERD BAND BRINGING THE BLUES TO SPOTLIGHT 29 CASINO SEPTEMBER 3**

***Tickets on sale Friday, July 1st***

COACHELLA, CA (June 24, 2011) ... Blues lovers mark your calendars now for a performance on Saturday, September 3<sup>rd</sup> in the Spotlight 29 Casino Showroom by one of the best blues/rock guitarists in the world, **Kenny Wayne Shepherd**.

**Tickets go on sale on Friday, July 1<sup>st</sup>**. Tickets are \$25, \$35 and \$45 each. For tickets, visit [www.Spotlight29.com](http://www.Spotlight29.com), call Star Tickets (800) 585-3737 or purchase at the Spotlight 29 Box Office and Gift Shop. Club 29 members receive an additional 10% off the ticket price when purchased on site at the casino.

Shepherd, just 33 years old, has sold millions of albums worldwide, received four Grammy nominations, two Billboard Music Awards, two Orville H. Gibson Awards, the Blues Foundation's Keeping The Blues Alive Award, and a Blues Music Award among many other accolades.

He has had four No. 1 blues albums and a string of No. 1 mainstream rock singles and his project, *10 Days Out; Blues From The Backroads*, has not only received critical acclaim, but was also the # 1 selling Blues Album of the Year in 2007.

In 1995, a teenage Kenny Wayne Shepherd burst onto the music scene with the release of his debut album *Ledbetter Heights*. *Ledbetter Heights* produced radio hits "Deja Voodoo", "Born With A Broken Heart" and "Aberdeen".

His follow up album, 1997's *Trouble Is...* was a huge commercial success as well, with radio hits such as "Somehow, Somewhere, Someway", "Everything Is Broken", "Slow Ride" and "Blue On Black", which was a record breaking # 1 song on Rock Radio for 17 consecutive weeks.

His latest projects include, *Live in Chicago*, which assembled several generations worth of blues legends at the House Of Blues in Chicago, and *How I Go* which includes the newly released single "Never Lookin' Back."

**About Spotlight 29 Casino:** Spotlight 29 Casino features 2,000 slot machines, a poker room, a high limit slot area and a Platinum Lounge for Platinum Club Members. The Casino also has table games including Black Jack, Pai Gow and Mini-Baccarat. There are always \$5 tables available. Spotlight 29 Casino offers world class entertainment in a state-of-the-art 2,200 seat showroom, the Blue Bar with live entertainment and/or DJs and Groove, spinning hits from the 60s, 70s and 80s. There are an array of dining choices including JEM Steakhouse and the all-you-can-eat buffet at Cafe Capitata. Open 7 days a week, 24 hours a day. Spotlight 29 Casino is a business venture of the Twenty-Nine Palms Band of Mission Indians. [www.Spotlight29.com](http://www.Spotlight29.com), 760-775-5566.

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