

Born in the heart of Kentucky, Ernie "Sticktight" Akins has had an infatuation for music since he started walking. The name Sticktight came from Country Music Superstar, John Michael Montgomery. When visiting John as his farm, a two year old Ernie Akins was exploring in the woods and emerged covered in sticktight. Mr. Montgomery thought it was historical and said, "Boy, we're going to have to start calling you, 'Sticktight'". Since then, "Sticktight" has stuck!

Sticktight grew up listening to radio and chart topping icons such as Waylon Jennings, Willie Nelson, Dwight Yoakam, Charlie Daniels, Montgomery Gentry, and well as legendary Blues, Classic & Southern Rock Bands like Lynyrd Skynyrd, Molly Hatchet, George Thorogood, Stevie Ray Vaughn, etc. When performing, you can hear these influences blended into one giving Sticktight a sound of his own.

The Sticktight Band is comprised of seasoned professionals, well grounded veterans with abounding years of performing experience. Their show is a high-energetic charismatic performance that entertains audiences bringing them back for more! When attending a Sticktight concert, you'll be guaranteed entertainment at it's best with a variety of music, keeping crowds on their feet dancing, ranging from Country (Top 40 and Classics), Classic/Southern Rock, Blues, and Original Music.