

## Charles Bloom - Composer / Lyricist / Writer

Charles Bloom is originally from LA and is now New York based. He was born to the late screenwriter, Harold Jack Bloom and the late actress, Carolyn Kearney. He studied Music Composition and Psychology at NYU.

The list of artists to perform/record songs from his extensive diverse catalogue includes: Patti LuPone, Mandy Patinkin, Christine Ebersole, Michael Feinstein, B.D. Wong, Cheyenne Jackson, Andrea Marcovicci, B.D. Wong, Bruce Vilanch, Loni Ackerman, Jenn Colella, Julie Reeburn, Aaron Lazar, & Richard Todd Adams.

For the theatre he has, to-date, written the book, music and lyrics to *PABLO, INSOMNIA* and *HEAVEN KNOWS* which was performed as a reading at The Tada Theatre in NYC directed by Donald Brenner with a cast including Christy Faber.

Charles has contributed material to countless cabaret acts, special events and active archives of some of his catalogue are currently held by the Musical Theatre Depts. of over 25 colleges in the US and abroad.

The UK is now getting to know Charles' impressive work and he has been selected on the short-list as a finalist in the Stiles and Drewe Best New Song Award of 2012, 2011 and 2010, when his song *YOU'RE AS GOOD AS IT GETS* was performed at the Award Ceremony at The Queen's Theatre in London's West End. His work was also featured at *DREAM A LITTLE DREAM* a showcase Charity Gala for the Best in Musical Theatre at London's Cochrane Theatre and in 2011 in cabaret at *THE APRIL REVUE*, London's Little Opera House, *OPENING DOORS* at the Soho Theatre and *GALA* at Greenwich Theatre. Further cabarets of Charles' work are planned for 2012 as well as a CD of his work to be released later in the year.

*Upcoming projects include:*

**CHARACTER BREAKDOWN** – A New Musical

**GOING THRU A STAGE** – A New Revue - Director: Donald Brenner  
Musical Directors: Michael Lavine and Matt Castle

**NEW BLOOMS** (The West End Sings the Songs of Charles Bloom)

**INSOMNIA** – A New Musical

Mr. Bloom is a member of The Dramatists Guild, ASCAP and MMD (UK).

To hear more of his work, please visit: [www.charlesbloomusic.com](http://www.charlesbloomusic.com)

"His cleverness never fails to amaze me". – Stephen Sondheim

"He's the first composer/lyricist I've heard in 25 years whose work speaks to me".  
-Jerry Herman

"His lyrics are impressive. They're consistently clever and well-crafted". – Stephen  
Schwartz

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