

Larry Carlton 'Fire Wire'

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Veteran guitarist Larry Carlton shows he still has the groove with his newest album, "Fire Wire." Starting off with "Ink Blot," the album is almost guaranteed to make you move to the catchy beat of Carlton's music.

Carlton's superb guitar-playing is on display in "Double Cross," "Big Trouble" and "Dirty Donna's House Party." His powerful guitar riffs make almost all of the tracks immensely enjoyable.

The smooth jazz veteran finally slows down with the sweet sounding tracks such as "Goodbye," and "Sunrise."

- Cathy A. Garcia