

Introducing Summit Sound Inc.

Summit Sound is owned and operated by husband and wife David & Kathy Daw.

Dave's studio experience began with the recording of 7 albums for his own group while still in high school and college. Dave attended Loyalist college, graduating with honours in 1974 with a diploma in "Communications Studio Techniques".

Dave & Kathy met in the fall of 1974, about a year before Kathy successfully completed a 3 year "Visual & Creative Arts" programme at St. Lawrence college. Kathy & Dave were married in 1979 and now have four children.

Today, Dave is president and chief engineer at Summit Sound and Kathy is the head of graphic design and the secretary/treasurer of the Summit corporation.

Located at the heart of the Rideau Lakes Tourist Region, just outside Westport, Ontario, the Summit studio

complex is situated on 33 acres of prime wooded vacationland, with nearly 1,000 meters of frontage on a spring-fed creek that is up to 20 meters in width.

Summit Sound is housed in a magnificent 3 story structure, finished on the exterior in natural cedar tones. The entire complex was carefully designed and constructed to provide maximum convenience and efficiency for artists seeking "one-stop" custom recording and/or manufacturing services.

Due to the nature of it's business, Summit is constantly upgrading equipment and services.

Please call, or see the official Summit website at: www.summitsound.com for current specs, on studio equipment.



Summit Owners Dave & Kathy Daw



"It was a great pleasure meeting & working with you. You made our first recording experience so easy and comfortable. All your expertise and support was greatly appreciated and we are really pleased with our final product. Thanks!"

**HIGHER GROUND
Ottawa, ON**

Summit Sound also provides complete CD & Cassette Manufacturing/Packaging Services - Separate Brochure Available



Guest Accommodations

Client accommodations are conveniently located across the artist lounge area from the studio, so recording artists can rest or watch TV while others are working... but are always just a few steps away, when needed for over-dubs etc..

Guest accommodation for up to 10 persons is available in two comfortable, Non-Smoking rooms.

Each room features 2 double beds, (optional roll-away cot) 20" colour TV, telephone, shared 3 piece bath and access to

the lounge area and a small kitchenette.

Room rates include "Continental" breakfast. (ie. self-serve cereal, toast, milk, juice & coffee.) All towels, bed linens and blankets are supplied.

Staying right at Summit guarantees the finest rooms and most competitive year-round rates in the area, with the added convenience of being just steps away from the studio.

Numerous restaurants, shops, stores & boutiques are only 5 minutes away, in Westport, Ontario.

"Thank-you so much for your professionalism & hospitality during our recording sessions.

Summit is truly an example of how to run a business on Christian principals... Dave, your music sense was really helpful in improving our songs in ways we could not have. Also your choice of musicians to support us was impeccable... Kathy, thanks for your insights and the wealth of material you made available for our cover design.

Finally, we really appreciated the excellent overnight facilities and the continuous supply of good food... I couldn't have been any more comfortable in my own home!"

**RAMSES GIRGIS "G.I.Q."
Ottawa, ON**



"I just wanted to let you know how much last week meant to me. Your hospitality was great and I felt right at home. I am so thankful that I was able to record in your studio... Your talents are incredible!"

**SONYA LANDERS-BIEHN
Stratford, ON**

Main Summit Recording Areas

Summit's exterior windows, cathedral ceilings, contemporary decor and accents of rough-sawn pine, combine to produce an airy, bright, inspiring atmosphere that helps to reduce the fatigue often associated with long hours in the studio.

By day, the studio is naturally illuminated by the light entering through it's four large exterior windows. (A feature unavailable in urban studios.)

For night recording, there is a choice of overhead track lighting or marine-styled side lights to enhance the creative mood.

Some of over 50 fine studio microphones



"We cannot thank you enough for everything you have done for us... You guys are awesome! Thanks for giving us our first shot at recording, and for giving of your time, patience and expertise... You have shown us over and over again that you truly care, and believe in us!"

**UNASHAMED
Cambridge, ON**

The Summit Studio complex has been designed to take full advantage of it's unique private setting, providing a spectacular view through four large windows that "open-up" the control room, main studio and isolation/drum booth to their natural outdoor surroundings.

Visual contact is excellent between all areas of the studio, through the large control room window and sliding glass doors that separate the three main recording areas.

Isolation booth with Premier "Genista" birch shell studio drum kit

