



Math Professor Wins Grammy

Mathematician **Kevin Short** (University of New Hampshire) used his Chaotic Compression Technology to restore a bootleg wire recording of a Woody Guthrie concert that is the only known recording of the folk singer performing before a live audience. His work earned him and the team of producers and engineers the 2008 Grammy Award for Best Historical Album: "The Live Wire - Woody Guthrie In Performance 1949," Nora Guthrie and Jorge Arévalo Mateus, compilation producers; Jamie Howarth, Steve Rosenthal, Warren Russell-Smith & Dr. Kevin Short, mastering engineers, [Woody Guthrie Publications].

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