

July, 1992, Backstage at the Mississippi Valley Blues Festival, Davenport, Ia, with the late great Mississippi hill country blues singer/guitarist/songwriter Jessie Mae Hemphill. Great gal, a real sweetheart, fun musician to play with, and yes, she did always call me 'Pigeye" instead of 'Hawkeye' ... confusing 'Hawkeye' with a similar sounding, 'Hogeye,' when we were first introduced ... which for Jessie Mae became 'Pigeye' ... I never bothered to correct her. wink emoticon I miss her, her smile, her romping live music, and her great sense of fashion.



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