



PRESS RELEASE

The logo for "Out of the Hills" features a blue line-art illustration of a mountain range above the text. The words "OUT OF THE HILLS" are written in a large, bold, blue sans-serif font, with "OF THE" in a smaller font size and underlined. Below this, the words "THE BIRTH OF COUNTRY MUSIC" are written in a smaller, blue, all-caps sans-serif font.

OUT OF THE HILLS
THE BIRTH OF COUNTRY MUSIC

April 14 - October 13, 2023

Sigal Music Museum is proud to announce the upcoming exhibit *Out of the Hills: The Birth of Country Music*, opening on April 14, 2023. This exhibit will feature **"A Cardboard History of Blue Ridge Music,"** a vintage collection of country music posters from collector Tom Murphy, covering acts from the 1950s to the 1980s. *Out of the Hills* will mark the first collaboration between the Sigal Music Museum and the **Earl Scruggs Center** in Shelby, NC. Several of Scruggs' items will be on display, helping to tell the story of The Grand Ole Opry, Bill Monroe, Flat & Scruggs, and many more. As with past exhibits, *Out of the Hills* will also feature dozens of musical instruments from the Sigal Collection, including vintage banjos, guitars, mandolins, and recordings. Another exciting feature will be **Marty Robbins'** guitar, used on the famous recording of "El Paso."

Out of the Hills: the Birth of Country Music opens on Friday, April 14 and runs until Friday, October 13, 2023.

Tickets are \$7.00 for Adults, \$6.00 for Seniors/Military/College Students, and \$4.00 for Students. Children under 5 are free.

Sigal Music Museum is a 501 (c) (3) organization whose mission is to collect and preserve historical musical instruments, objects, and information, which engage and enrich people of all ages through exhibits, performances, and experiential programs.

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