

About the Host: Gary Teel

Gary Teel parlayed a childhood dream into a two-decade radio career before stepping away to explore other ventures. But the radio bug never left—and in 2016, he launched Wave 80, an online station devoted to 1980s Top 40.

He later founded ALT/80, a streaming station focused entirely on 80s new wave. Gary also hosts *Friday Night New Wave*, a long-running weekly live request show, and *The Excellent 80s Rewind*, which has been airing since 2021.

With deep musical knowledge, an irreverent streak, and a lifelong love for the greatest decade in pop, Gary brings energy and heart to every episode of *Big Time 80s*.