

Katrina Nicolayeff bio

Katrina was born in Nampa, ID and started playing fiddle at the very young age of 16 months. She entered her first fiddle contest when she was two years old. There are many words that describe a talent like Katrina. Some are “a natural”, “prodigy”, “genius”, “sensation” and “marvel”. All of the terms definitely apply.

Katrina is an eight time National Fiddle Champion. Her mastery of the fiddle is unmatched as displayed every time she performs. In September 2014 she won her third world title of “Grand Master Fiddler Champion” held at the Country Music Hall of Fame and Museum in Nashville, TN. Katrina joins the ranks of Mark O’Connor as a three time winner of the prestigious competition.

When not performing and recording for the new Honi and DreamGrass project, Katrina finds herself teaching many fiddle students from her studio.