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Blessid Union of Souls to perform at OU

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Blessid Union of Souls, a band known for hit songs like "Hey, Leonardo" and "I Believe," will perform Saturday, Oct. 13, at 8 p.m. in Varner Recital Hall. **Student Program Board** and the **Department of Music, Theatre and Dance** are presenting the concert.

Special guest is the winner of the 2000 Battle of the Bands, Changes.

Tickets for the concert are available at the **Center for Student Activities Service Window** in the lower level of the **Oakland Center**. They cost \$9 for OU students and \$15 for the general public.

Over the last five years, Blessid Union of Souls has established itself as one of the premier pop bands releasing albums like "Home," "Walking Off the Buzz" and "Tapestry Revisited." Their songs were included on the "Pokemon: The First Movie" and "Ace Ventura: When Nature Calls" soundtracks. The band's newest album "The Singles" includes new songs, "Storybook Life" and "...And Then She Hit Me," as well as a live rendition of "Hey, Leonardo" and a punk/reggae version of "I Believe."

The band consists of Eliot Sloan, lead vocals and piano; Jeff Pence, guitars; C.P. Roth, keyboards, bass and harmonica; Eddie Hedges, drums and percussion; and Tony Clark, bass and guitars.

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