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#### About the Author

Tom Maxwell is a musician and writer. He wrote the top-20 hit Hell while in the Squirrel Nut Zippers, propelling the band to multi-platinum status. Songs he wrote for the band have appeared in dozens of movies and television shows, including Sesame Street, Sex and the City, Late Night with David Letterman, Sleeps with Fishes, Monkey Bone, and a Super Bowl commercial. Tom has performed or been interviewed on Letterman, The Tonight Show, Conan O'Brien, Today, Fresh Air, Morning Edition, All Things Considered and A Prairie Home Companion. He is the author of many articles, published in Al Jazeera America, The Oxford American, Our State and Southern Cultures.

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