

# BEN SCALES

## LETTER FROM GOD

[With] witty lyrics and cleanly executed acoustic guitar[,] Scales entertains and charms in the vein of John Prine and Loudon Wainwright III.

*New CDs Feature Rap, Classic Rock, Acoustic Pop*  
By Bill Dean, The Ledger, Lakeland FL  
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One of Asheville's best songwriters.

*Peggy Seeger, internationally renowned  
singer-songwriter-activist.*

Ben Scales belts out the anthem for today's medical marijuana movement. [Growing Marijuana In My Yard] should be aired on every community radio station - hear this, Clear Channel. Even if a medical marijuana patient can't obtain medicine, at least they can tap their toes to the voice of sanity in Ben's song. No one's immune to illness, and with a song, Ben's providing the antidote to right-wing plant-a-phobes!

*Berk Snow, host of Wild River, on KMUD & KMUE - FM  
Humboldt Co. California.*

The musical highlight of the conference.

*Steve Bloom, senior editor, High Times magazine,  
upon hearing Ben perform "Growing Marijuana"  
at the 2003 NORML conference.*

Dangerously charming!

*J.C. Honeycutt, Charlotte (NC) Folk Society.*

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