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## **History of Left Handed Guitars**

About 10 percent of the population is left-handed. Most things are made so that right-handed people can use them but they forget about the left-handed people. Left-handers shouldn't have to learn to do everything backwards. So I'm going to tell you how they change the left-handed guitar to how it is today. It slowly changed from an upside down right-handed guitar to a left-handed guitar.

Most left-handers find it normal to strum with their left hand and finger the chords with their right hand. Some lefties played by turning a right-handed guitar upside down, all of the strings are upside down though. The lowest note is at the bottom instead of the top. Some famous left-handed guitarists played that way. Like Coco Montoya and Albert King but there are other ways of playing the left-handed guitar.

It is possible to restrung the guitar so the strings are how they should be. Some famous guitarists played that way. Like Jimi Hendrix with his famous restrung Fender Stratocaster. It is not really a great solution as the rest of the guitar is still in the wrong places like the direction of the string bridge, the protective panels, electric pickups, sound controls, cable jack, strap connections and even more. But the best way to play a left-handed guitar is to get a left-handed guitar and play.

Left-handers are generally better at using their right hand for tasks than right-handers are using their left hand. In the music world, the many guitarists who are left-handed but had learned to play on a right-handed guitar can show this. But they could of got a left-handed guitar. Famous Left-handed Guitarist Jimi Hendrix, Paul Maccartney, Glenn Frey, and Tony Iommi. Left-handed people are famous to.

I just showed you how the left-handed guitar became to what it is today. You don't have to change a right-handed guitar you can just go online and buy a guitar built for you. You don't need to do everything backwards. Just try to find what is built for you. Just because you're left-handed doesn't mean anything you're just as capable as a right-handed person.

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