

# Baby Gorilla to headline benefit show for paralyzed man

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On October 9th, Artie will headline a charity event for Adam Niskar, a California man who in 1999 became partially paralyzed when he dove headfirst into a lake, smashing against the bottom.

Adam's brother, Ross, wrote Artie after reading his book and the part about when Artie's dad falls off the roof. A couple weeks later, Artie called back.

He **agreed to do a benefit**, with all the money going to help pay for Adam's medical bills, Baby Gorilla said he doesn't want a dime for the gig.

The show will take place on October 9th, at the **Detroit Opera House**.

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