

**Mar-Kels/ Wilson, North Carolina****Band Directories Copyright 2006**

<b>Brief Description</b>	The Mar-Kels was a Wilson, NC garage/ frat./ soul combo that was modeled after The Embers and built around the talents of Harris Atkinson and Tommy Mercer. DON'T YOU REALIZE was a nice little pop/soul confection, cut in 1965 and released on JCP Records out of Raleigh. Scotty Todd was an early member who left, rejoined in '67, then split again when the group suddenly disbanded in 1968, setting the stage for his solo recordings of "Ain't No Big Thing" and "Cry With Me Baby"			
<b>Year Established</b>				
<b>Favorite Venues</b>				
<b>Music Genre/Recordings</b>				
<b>Performer</b>	<b>Now Resides</b>	<b>Instrument</b>	<b>Years In The</b>	<b>Notes</b>