

## Pitch to Pro Pipeline Submission

**Songwriter:** Kevin Kuch  
**Song Title:** A Pastor, a Friend, and a Fisherman  
**Date:** 4-17-24



### Industry Professional

Matt Lindsey

**Writer's Comments:** *Hi Matt, this song was cut with Matt Dime on vocal (The SteelDrivers). The song was a co-write with me and JK Gulley. We were thinking you could tempo up and add Tele for someone like Brad Paisley. I also have a bluegrass rendition if you'd like to hear it. Cheers.*

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### TITLE / HOOK

*Hook is original and compelling! Good hook.*

### LYRIC

*Lyric is conversational, easy to follow, and is well-written for the song's idea! Good lyric. This has a nice sentiment to it. Everything supports the hook's idea, I'm just not sure it's saying anything I haven't really heard before in a fishing song, unfortunately. I like the chorus line, "you can't always save a soul with some tackle and a pole, but then again, who's to say you won't".*

### MELODY / METER

*Melody is good and well-suited to the lyric.*

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## **IDEA / THEME**

*Idea is good, but the lyric's approach is fairly common for today's market. Not a bad song at all. It might be a little too Christian leaning for what a mainstream artist would record in the current country market, but I'm sure it'd work fine for some bluegrass artists.*

## **DEMO / QUALITY**

*Demo quality is good and would be pitchable!*

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## ***Closing Comments & Suggestions from Industry Professional:***

*Appreciate you sending this in, Kevin! This is a well-written song, I just have others in my arsenal that would probably pitch before this one, though, so I'm going to pass on it for that reason. Thanks again for sending it.*

*-Matt Lindsey*