

My Favorite World #16



See that way cool cat up there? That's composer/pianist/bandleader Horace Silver. He recorded a bunch of very deep swinging albums for Blue Note in the 60s. Turns out he died while I was in hospital last summer, passing without me noticing. Mea culpa. He's not one of the *Major* figures in jazz, but he is significant. And swinging. Been listening to him a fair bit the past few days, thanks to the serendipity of Ipodius Randomonious.

Along the way, it occurred to me that Steely Dan might have copped the intro to *Rikki Don't Lost That Number* from *Song for my Father* by Horace Silver.

Whaddya think?

Other than that, this week, I got nuthin. You might use it til you feel better.

Still my favorite world.