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The Wailers' opener is Latin groove masters deSol that also specializes in world-folk music and Afro-Cuban rhythms.

The band of seven "brothers" blends Latin and American influences with a romantic style. It is gaining more exposure by opening for R.E.M. in Mexico and playing with The Wailers.

El Salvadoran lead vocalist Albie Monterrosa's onstage swagger combines passionately with the searing lead guitar of classic-rock-influenced Soto. Together, they perform sensually around the pulsating Latin rhythms of dual percussionists James Guerrero and Armando Cabrerro. Their style is anchored by drummer George Saccal, bassist Chris Guice and organic keyboardist Andy Letke.

The band's charisma and undeniably danceable rock already has its hometown of Asbury Park, N.J., digging the Latin beat or "Rock en Espanol" as it is called. With the release of "deSol," the band's debut on Curb Records, it's sharing its infectious, impassioned music with the masses.