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Having a great time feel and a solid sense of time.

Having a great sound.

Having all the technical skills necessary to express your ideas and emotions.

Having full control of enough parameters and solutions, so that you can perform any variation required by the song, even the most nuanced, with no effort.

Using dynamics, space and contrast to create emotions and tell stories.

Developing your unique voice, your own style, and being recognizable.

Being truly in love with music: always playing for the song, and never to show off.

Knowing hundreds of records inside out.

Being open minded, always evolving, doing research and practicing with a 360-degree approach.
Including learning a melodic instrument.

Listening, being aware of what's going on around you, interacting with the other musicians.

Being present, letting go, being in the flow. Not thinking, trying or forcing anything.