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THE MUSIC OF NORAH JONES

**ISABELLE SCHRACK QUARTET**

Isabelle Schrack . Keys|Vocals John Link . Organ  
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Monday . 27 January 2020

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## NORAH JONES

30 March 1979

Manhattan, NY

Norah Jones is an American singer-songwriter, musician, and occasional actress. Known for her sultry, melodic voice, she created a unique musical style incorporating the best elements of jazz, country, pop and easy listening. Acclaimed as the biggest new voice in jazz singing, Jones is the daughter of Indian sitar legend Ravi Shankar. Since 2001, she has had total sales of more than 50 million units worldwide and won many prestigious awards for her outstanding body of work.

Born "Geetali Shankar" in 1979, her parents never married and separated in 1986 when she was only six years old. Jones' mother, Sue Jones, was a concert producer. While still in high school, Norah developed a passion for music and sang in the school choir. During this period, Jones took voice lessons and learned to play different musical instruments such as the alto saxophone and the piano. She attended the University of North Texas, where she earned a major in jazz piano.

Norah Jones relocated to New York City and signed a recording contract with Blue Note Records in 2001. The next year she released her critically-acclaimed debut solo album *Come Away with Me*. A fusion of jazz with country music and pop, the album sold more than 27 million copies worldwide and earned Jones five Grammy Awards, including the Album of the Year, Record of the Year, and Best New Artist.

Her second solo album, *Feels Like Home* (2004), also garnered highly favorable reviews and became the year's best-selling album. The album sold more than 12 million copies worldwide and earned her another Grammy for "Sunrise". Her subsequent releases, *Not Too Late* (2007), *The Fall* (2009) and *Little Broken Hearts* (2012), all went multi-platinum and spawned several hit singles. Norah was named the top jazz artist of the 2000-2009 decade by Billboard magazine. *Little Broken Hearts* (2012), *Foreverly* (2013), *Day Breaks* (2016) and *Begin Again* (2019) followed.

In 2007, she launched her acting career with *My Blueberry Nights*, a drama film directed by Wong Kar Wai. She wrote the song "The Story" for the movie. Norah has since worked in a number of movies, documentaries and television shows.

Norah Jones has won numerous awards and accolades in her career - nine Grammy Awards, five Billboard Music Awards, and four World Music Awards.

...time out



## ...jazz on the coast



Friday, 1.31.20, 9pm **Everybody's Here** Veet's, 66 S. Royal St., Mobile, AL

Sunday, 2.9.20, 12pm *Sunday Jazz Brunch* **Jimmy Roebuck & Friends (Larry Carter, Josh Titford, Buddy Duborg)** Corpus Christi Parish Hall, 6200 McKenna Ave., Mobile, AL \$15

Wednesday, 2.12.20, 6:30-10pm *Valentine Dinner Dance* **Mobile Big Band Society** Renaissance Mobile Riverview Plaza Hotel, 64 S. Water St, Mobile, AL \$55

Friday, 2.14.20, *A Valentine's Day Celebration* **Eric Essix, Jazmin Ghent** New World Landing, 600 Palafox St., Pensacola, FL \$50 850.393.3028

Saturday, 2.15.20, 8:30pm *A Valentine's Serenade* **Michael Ward** The Chapel, Centennial Plaza, 200 E Beach Blvd, Gulfport, MS 228.967.7444 \$55

## ...jazz brunch

Sunday, 10am-3pm John Cochran + 1 FIVE Mobile, 609 Dauphin St., Mobile, AL

Sunday, 11am Al Alvarado McGuire's Irish Pub, 600 E. Gregory St., Pensacola, FL

Sunday, 11am-3pm Five Sisters Blues Café, 421 W. Belmont St., Pensacola, FL

Sunday, 11am-4pm Satchmo's, 10206 Seymour Ave., D'Iberville, MS

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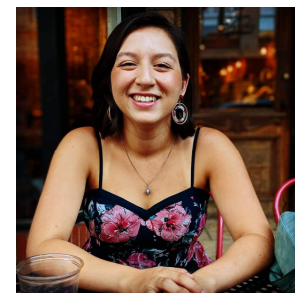
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**ISABELLE  
SCHRACK  
Musician**



- Q. What is your idea of perfect happiness?  
A. *Living a life filled with music, adventure, family and friends, and cats.*
- Q. What is your greatest fear?  
A. *Losing my twin sister. She is my womb mate and other half!*
- Q. What is the trait you most deplore in yourself?  
A. *I'm often late, to be honest. It's not very professional.*
- Q. What is the trait you most deplore in others?  
A. *Narrow-mindedness... being totally stuck in one's own world lens.*
- Q. On what occasion do you lie?  
A. *For surprises! Parties and gifts.... but I'm an awful liar so I usually don't.*
- Q. Which words or phrases do you most overuse?  
A. *"That is a great question that I don't know the answer to." "I have no idea."*
- Q. When and where were you happiest?  
A. *Once I went to the beach on an immaculate day with my sister and we both spontaneously jumped into the gulf fully clothed, and let every worry go for a couple hours.*
- Q. If you could change one thing about yourself, what would it be?  
A. *I catastrophize a lot; I would love to just zap that away.*
- Q. If you could choose what to come back as, what would it be?  
A. *Anything that lives in the ocean.*
- Q. What is your favorite occupation?  
A. *Making and teaching music, especially singing, is my favorite.*
- Q. What is your most marked characteristic?  
A. *I am definitely an over-thinker. Most of my closer friends note when I over-analyze.*
- Q. What do you most value in your friends?  
A. *My friends keep me grounded and let me be myself, and they let me tell them what's on my mind even if they didn't want to know.*
- Q. Who are your heroes in real life?  
A. *My mom. She's psychic; she gets me before I say anything. Lois Henry: piano, composing and teaching extraordinaire. Fred Domulot, for believing I could play and sing jazz, and gig, when I did not. All of my music teachers and professors.*
- Q. How would you like to die?  
A. *Fast and painless as possible.*
- Q. What is your motto?  
A. *My Dad taught me (though I'm still working on this): IYFTPYPTF. "If you fail to plan, you plan to fail."*
- Q. What is your present state of mind?  
A. *Focused and trying not to be too hard on myself for lack of perfection.*