

## VANESSA DELAINE - BIO

Delaine taps into a strong vibe to create an original blend of Country Blues Music and new album 'Wild & Free' demonstrates catchy songs fuelled with freedom, devil-may-care derring-do and plain old-fashioned whimsy.

'Wild & Free' was produced, engineered, mixed and mastered by Michael Carpenter who also doubled on multiple instruments on the 12 songs that were penned by Delaine. Long-time musical partner, Michael Barnard played guitar, slide guitar and blues harp, backing vocals by Kylie Whitney, Ella Sunde, Tiahn Barnard with piano and keys by Jade O'Regan. Overall an impressive wellspring of talent assembled on an album that Delaine is ecstatically proud of and the outstanding result only adds to the cathartic nature of the project, as she wrote the album after the break-up of her eighteen-year marriage.

For the first time in years I felt renewed enthusiasm and verve for my life. I was enjoying being unshackled and wanted to express this in my music.

Delaine has previously won awards from NZ Gold Guitar Awards, Tamworth Songwriters Association, Global Music Awards and her last album 'Runaway' won sufficient acclaim to whet her writing and performing appetite and there is now no stopping this passionate songstress. Delaine's first music video 'Moon Blues' received no less than nine awards from film festivals around the world including New York Film Awards and LA Film Awards.

First single 'Rainy Day' hit the airwaves followed by 'Live for Today' and people are just loving it – the latter was written at an unhappy point in her life, but the result is a positive message of owning the 'now' and forging a new reality.

Where will she take it from here? Delaine is adamant she will navigate the future on her own terms and given her obvious excitement and passion and the fact that she has already toured more than half of Australia showcasing her kind of country to audiences everywhere, means she won't likely lack for motivation to embrace the next challenge or thrill on the road ahead.

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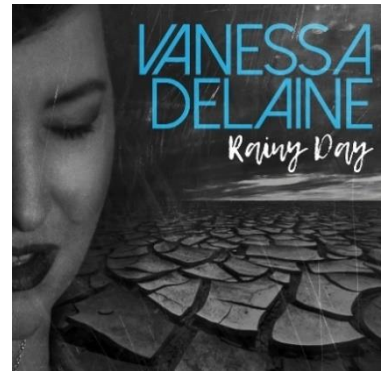
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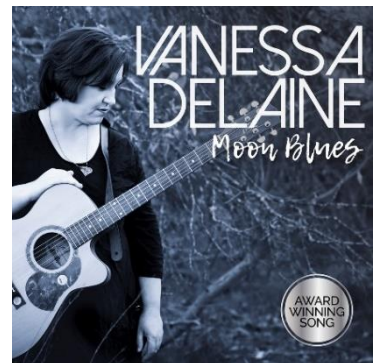
### NEW ALBUM:

The brand-new album '*Wild & Free*' (released 31<sup>st</sup> October 2017) recipient of Bronze Medal at the Global Music Awards November 2017.



### RAINY DAYS:

The first single off the '*Wild & Free Album*' released August 2017 through AMRAP and all digital platforms.



### MOON BLUES:

Award winning song and music video ('Runaway' album) hit #1 on the Blues Charts in May 2017 and won 9 awards at Film Festivals including; New York Film Awards and LA Film Awards.