## **EUROVISION CLUB GERMANY**



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## 01. MALTA

## The Travellers

## mtafi Pači Kuluria



#### **BIOGRAPHY**

#### From Wikipedia:

The Travellers, is a Folk, reggae, pop band from Gozo established in 2013.

New, young and energetic band, mostly known from their debut single Semplicità lauched from an Extended Play (EP) on Tuesday 12 February, 2016. They released their debut EP, including 5 original Maltese tracks, last April. The band got together in 2013, with one aim in mind, that of trying to create something different in the already wide diversified local music scene. Clayton (Bassist), Joseph (Trumpet), Chris (Main Vocals) and Andrew (Guitarist), were the original members who started playing together.

#### Line-Up Members:

- Clayton Bonello (Bass Guitar)
- Joseph Xerri (Trumpet)
- Chris Gatt (vocals)
- Andrew Vella (Backing vocals & Guitars)
- Sylvano Mizzi (saxophone)
- Michael Camilleri (drums)

#### Ħafi Paċi Kuluri

Xmara taqa' għal fuq il-blat, tisma' l-ilma jfaqqa fl-istess waqt. Ir-rīħ iċaqlaq is-siġar inżul ix-xemx aħmar nar, Hajja ta' belt, fiċ-ċentru, enerġija pura kull kulur, Bħall-murtali tal-ikbar festa jdawwlu d-dlam iswed pesta

Ser nurik id-dinja, storja ħelwa vjaģģi, Induru d-dinja kollha, ħafi paċi kuluri

Barra t-tieqa is-sellum, ma' shaba bajda mmidduh Nixxabat u nitla ftit, vizjoni naqa differenti, Dinja wahda, semplici, hafi paci kuluri. Hsieb ftit kreattiv, astratt izda pozittiv

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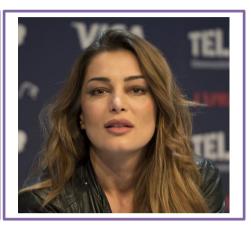
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## 02. ARMENIA

## Iveta Mukuchyan

"Amena"



#### **BIOGRAPHY**

Iveta Mukuchvan was born on 14 October 1986 in Yerevan, Armenia. At six years of age she moved with her family to Germany where from 1998-2006 she attended "Catholic Sankt-Ansgar-Schule" School in Hamburg. In 2009 she returned to Armenia where she studied jazz-vocal at "The Yerevan Komitas State Conservatory". In the same year she participated in the Armenian version of the famous American singing competition series "American Idol" called "Hay Superstar" where she finished in fifth place. Later in 2012 she went back to Germany where she took part in the second season of reality talentshow "The Voice of Germany". In Blind Auditions phase she performed Loreen's famous Eurovision winning hit "Euphoria". She was chosen by Xavier Naidoo to be part of his team and continued her participation as the winning contestant from Naidoo's team in the second phase of the contest, where the participants sang "Many Rivers to Cross".

In December 2012 according to "El Style" magazine, Iveta was named the sexiest Armenia. Since 2012 Iveta Mukuchyan released some singles "Right Way to Love" in 2012, "Ari Yar" and "Simple like a Flower" 2015. Also in 2012 Mukuchyan was featured in record producer Lazzaro's single "Freak". The song became very popular and made a continuation of Iveta's and Lazzaro's cooperation which resulted with another single "Summer Rain" released in 2014.

In May 2016, Mukuchyan represented Armenia at the Eurovision Song Contest 2016 with the song "LoveWave" and finished in 7th place in the final. In 2016, she also made her acting debut in "Run Away Or Get Married"

#### Ամենա

Երբ կարծում ես որ ամեն ինչ տեղն է Ու ոչինչ չի պակասում Քեզ ասում էն որ ամենա լավն ես Ու դա էլի չի հերիքում Երբ փորձում ես քեզ փնտրել հայելիների դիմաց բայց չես տեսնում Ու կորցնում ես քո ներքին աշխարհը որի մեջ չկաս էլ դու

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#### The most

When you think it's all right
And you don't need anything
They say you're the best
But it is'nt still enough for you
When you try to find yourself in the mirrors,
but you don't see yourself
And you lose your inner world,
in which you don't exist anymore

Now I'm asking you,
what do you need, tell me, what's less
Is it little or much
Is it enough, or you want the best,
the most, the most precious
Who is with you, tell me, who do you need
The one who praises you and promises you the
better, more, more precious?
The most, the most
The most, the most
Is it enough or do you want
The most, the most precious
The most, the most
The most, the most
But you still want more,
more precious

It seems to you that everyone's the same
And only you differ
You think there's nobody like you
And they admire only you
And again you try to find yourself in the mirrors,
but you can't
And you lose your inner world,
in which you don't exist anymore

Now I'm asking you,
what do you need, tell me, what's less
Is it little or much
Is it enough, or you want the best, the most,
the most precious
Who is with you, tell me, who do you need
The one who praises you and promises you
the better, more, more precious?
The most, the most
The most, the most
Is it enough or do you want
The most, the most precious
The most, the most
The most, the most
The most, the most
But you still want more, more,
more precious



## 03. GREECE

## Malu

## "Ora Na Gyriseis"



#### **BIOGRAPHY**

#### From Internet:

Maria "Malou" Kiriakopoulou (born 5 June 1989), known professionally as Malou, is a Brazilian-Greek singer. She was part of the Brazilian group 'Aloha Brazil'. Malou competed at the 2nd season of the Greek talent show Greek Idol coming at the second place. She started working as a singer since 2011 as a solo artist having a big success with her music label Cobalt Music.

#### Ώρα Να Γυρίσεις

Ένα σ' αγαπώ
Που το κάθε γράμμα εννοεί
Σ' ένα χάος είναι το σκοινί που ισορροπώ
Ένα σ' αγαπώ Αν στα χείλη
το 'χεις πώς αργεί
Λάβα στο κορμί μου να χυθεί
Πάλι να καώ, για ν' αναστηθώ

Άγριες θάλασσες οι μέρες μακριά σου Μου 'λειψες, πώς να στο πω

> Ώρα να γυρίσεις Δε με ζουν οι αναμνήσεις Ώρα να γυρίσεις Με φιλιά να μ' αφοπλίσεις Κι όταν μ' αγκαλιάσεις Τις πληγές να ησυχάσεις Πρόσεχε, μάτια μου Σαν καθρέφτη μη με σπάσεις

Ένα σ' αγαπώ Στις ερήμους πέφτει σαν βροχή Είναι προσδοκία και ευχή που αποσιωπώ Ένα σ' αγαπώ Πες, να γίνει ο κόσμος φωτεινός Έλα, γίνε πάλι ουρανός Για να ακουμπώ, αν παραπατώ

> Ώρα να γυρίσεις Δε με ζουν οι αναμνήσεις Ώρα να γυρίσεις Με φιλιά να μ' αφοπλίσεις Κι όταν μ' αγκαλιάσεις Τις πληγές να ησυχάσεις Πρόσεχε, μάτια μου Σαν καθρέφτη μη με σπάσεις

#### Time to come back

One "I love you"
Where every letter is meant
Chaos, this is the rope I'm balancing
One "I love you", if you have it on your lips,
why it takes so long
it's lava on my body ready to flow
For me to get burnt again, for me to be born again

Days away from you are wild seas I missed, what else should I say?

It's time to come back
I can't live from memories
It's time to come back
To disarm me with kisses
And when you'll hug me
To calm down my wounds
Be careful my love
Don't break me like a mirror

One "I love you"
Pours like rain in deserts
It's an expectation and a wish I have to hush up
One "I love you"
say so they world can light up
Come on be again sky
where I'll lean if I stagger

It's time to come back
I can't live from memories
It's time to come back
To disarm me with kisses
And when you'll hug me
To calm down my wounds
Be careful my love
Don't break me like a mirror



## **04. GERMANY**

## Alexa Feser

m Medizin<sup>a</sup>



#### **BIOGRAPHY**

The German singer Alexa Feser was born in 1979 in Wiesbaden. The young girl is already very talented in her early youth, and at the age of four she received piano lessons.

In 1989, she started studying in musicology, working as Djane and began to write songs. After some time as a background artist for the No Angels, Thomas Anders and Ricky Martin, she released her first album in April 2008.

In 2015, she took part in the German Preselecton for the Eurovision Song Contest 2015 with the songs "Glück" and "Das Gold von morgen".

"Medizin" is the first publication from her third studio album, which could last several weeks in the top 10 in Germany.

#### Medizin

Wenn die Welt sich in die falsche Richtung dreht, Und der Wind die falschen Worte zu mir weht, Wenn die blaue Pille ohne Wirkung bleibt, Und das Ich auf einem Meer aus Trübsinn treibt, Wenn der Regen, der mich sonst so heiter macht, Wie ein Bombenhagel in mein Leben kracht, Und zwischen vielen Worten nichts zu sagen bleibt, Jeder Poet an mir vorbei ins Leere schreibt:

> Dann bist du meine Insel, Wirst du mein Exil, Bringst mich zurück auf Kurs und wieder zurück ins Spiel. Dann legst du mir die Planken, Über die wir flieh'n -Mein Rettungsboot aus Tönen, Meine Medizin, Meine Medizin.

Wenn kein Buch auf dieser Welt zu helfen weiß, Und im Kopf sind alle Bilder schwarz und weiß, Wenn der Wodka seine Wirkung nicht erzielt, Und das Leben mit gezinkten Karten spielt:

> Dann bist du meine Insel, Wirst du mein Exil, Bringst mich zurück auf Kurs Und wieder zurück ins Spiel. Dann legst du mir die Planken, Über die wir flieh'n -Mein Rettungsboot aus Tönen, Meine Medizin,

Bin ich so müde, dass ich nicht mehr schlafen kann, Und jeder neue Tag fängt wie der letzte an,

Oh, dann bist du meine Insel,
Wirst du mein Exil,
Bringst mich zurück auf Kurs
Ind wieder zurück ins Spiel.
Dann legst du mir die Planken,
Über die wir flieh'n Mein Rettungsboot aus Tönen,
Meine Medizin,
Meine Medizin,
Meine Medizin,
Meine Medizin,

(Alexa Feser, Steve Van Velvet)

#### Medicine

When the world is turning in the wrong direction.
And the wind is blowing the wrong words to me.
When the blue pill stays without effect.
And the self is floating on a sea of gloom.
When the rain which usually makes me so bright,
crashes into my life like a hail of bombs.
And there is nothing left to say between lots of words.
Every poet is writing into emptiness past me.

Then you're my island.
You become my exile.
You get me back on track
and back in the game again.
Then you lay down the planks
we flee over for me.
My lifeboat made of sounds,
My medicine,
My medicine.

When no book in the world knows how to help.

And all the pictures in the head are black and white.

When the vodka does not produce its effect.

And life is playing with marked cards.

Then you're my island.
You become my exile.
You get me back on track
and back in the game again.
Then you lay down the planks
we flee over for me.
My lifeboat made of sounds,
My medicine,
My medicine.

Am I so tired that I can't sleep anymore. And every new day starts like the one before.

Ohh, then you're my island.
You become my exile.
You get me back on track
and back in the game again.
Then you lay down the planks
we flee over for me.
My lifeboat made of sounds,
My medicine,
My medicine,
My medicine,
My medicine,
My medicine



## **05. PORTUGAL**

## The Gift

mBig Fish



#### **BIOGRAPHY**

#### From Wikipedia:

The Gift is a Portuguese alternative rock band, formed in 1994. They have released five albums to date. In 2005 they won the MTV Europe award for best Portuguese act.

Formed in 1994, The Gift was initially a side project of the Dead Souls, Nuno Gonçalves, El Guam and Miguel Ribeiro's band at the time. The evolution from one project to another was natural, as they felt the Dead Souls sound was limited by their instrumentation (guitar, drums and bass) and wanted to experiment with new sounds and explore new musical paths.

In September, 1994, Sónia Tavares, Nuno and John Gonçalves, Miguel Ribeiro, and Ricardo Braga enrolled in the Bar Ben Music Competition in Alcobaça, and took second place in the competition, to everyone's great surprise, given the band's short time in existence.

In September 2016, the group released a new single featuring legendary British musician Brian Eno, titled Love Without Violins. Eno co-wrote and produced, as well as sang on the track. The single was released under the band's own record label, La Folie Records, on 30 September. A new album was also announced to be released in 2017, featuring the Grammy-nominated composer on several tracks, which he composed with the band's keyboardist Nuno Gonçalves, and mixed by legendary producer Flood. The Portuguese band will be sharing vocal duties and instruments with Eno, who also wrote the lyrics with singer Sónia Tavares

#### **Big Fish**

Sometimes you gotta get up Sometimes you gotta get down Sometimes you gotta get rich Sometimes you gotta be a big fish Sometimes you gotta get up Sometimes you gotta get down Sometimes you gotta get rich Sometimes you gotta be a big fish

12 Days - Last days - No rest - Or rain No sun - No moon - 12 Days - Too soon All year - Too long - Just one - More song Or day - Fine heart - 12 Days - For all

And we stop!

Sometimes you gotta get up Sometimes you gotta get down Sometimes you gotta get rich Sometimes you gotta be a big fish Sometimes you gotta get up Sometimes you gotta get down Sometimes you gotta get rich Sometimes you gotta be a big fish

12 Days - Last days - No rest - Or rain No sun - No moon - 12 Days - Too soon All year - Too long - Just one - More song Or day - Fine heart - 12 Days - For all

And we stop at something you will not forget And we stop at something you will not forget And we stop at something you will not forget And we stop!

Tinker Tailor Soldier Sailor Butcher Baker Candle Maker Banker Doorman Rich Man Poor Man Quaker Shaker Money Maker Dogfish Catfish Clingfish Kingfish Grouper Hering Hake Goldfish Haddock Snapper Turba Tuna Guppy Scate and Barracuda



## 06. SERBIA

## Marija Šerifović

## "Deo prošlosti"



#### **BIOGRAPHY**

#### From Wikipedia:

Marija Šerifović (born 14 November 1984) is a Serbian singer. She won the Eurovision Song Contest 2007 with the song "Molitva". Šerifović is the daughter of Verica Šerifović, also a notable singer. She was also one of the judges on Eurosong to choose the Irish entry for Eurovision Song Contest 2008 and sang Molitva to close the show. She was also a member of the International Jury in Melodifestivalen 2009, the selection for the Swedish entry to Eurovision Song Contest 2009.

Šerifović was born in Kragujevac in central Serbia, the daughter of Rajko Šerifović, a drummer, and Verica Šerifović, a popular singer. Her father was born in Kragujevac, the son of a Muslim father from Vranje and an Orthodox mother, while her mother was born in Kragujevac, into an Orthodox family. Her mother had four miscarriages before having Marija, and her father left her mother for another woman when she was nine months pregnant with Marija and had a son, Marija's half-brother Danijel, with the other woman in 1985. Marija has described her father as an abusive alcoholic that would regularly beat her mother. Marija also had an older half-brother, Dušan Šerifović, from her father's previous marriage. Dušan died in September 2013, aged 42, following a long illness.

#### Deo prošlosti

Da l' je neko kao ja Ostavljen tako bez razloga I ko sad bol da zaustavi Kad nemam sreće u ljubavi

Tamo gde ideš, neka te sreća dočeka Ta što te voli, neka te voli doveka Idi, al' znaj da deo sam tvoje prošlosti Što nisi sa mnom, to neka Bog ti oprosti A da li sebi možeš ti?

> Da l' je neko kao ja Kažnjen što voli, što oseća I kako sve da zaboravim Bez tebe život da nastavim

Tamo gde ideš, neka te sreća dočeka Ta što te voli, neka te voli doveka Idi, al' znaj da deo sam tvoje prošlosti Što nisi sa mnom, to neka Bog ti oprosti A da li sebi možeš ti?

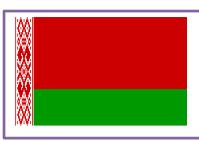
#### Part of the past

Was anyone, like I was left just like that, without a reason? And who's gonna stop the pain now when I don't have luck in love

May happiness await for you there
where you're going to
may the girl that loves you love you forever
Go, but know, that I am a part of your past
May God forgive you for not being with me
but can you forgive yourself?

Was anyone, like I was punished for loving, for feeling? And how am I supposed to forget everything and move on with my life without you?

May happiness await for you there where you're going to may the girl that loves you love you forever Go, but know, that I am a part of your past May God forgive you for not being with me but can you forgive yourself?



## 07. BELARUS

## Naviband

"Biažy"



#### **BIOGRAPHY**

#### From Wikipedia:

Naviband (also called NAVI) is a Belarusian indie pop duo. The group is led by Arciom Lukjanienka (vocals, guitar) and Ksienija Žuk (vocals, keyboards). In-studio members also include Uladzislaŭ Čaščavik (bass), Aliaksandr Tabolski (production), and Uladzimir Biehier (drums). They represented Belarus in the Eurovision Song Contest 2017, with the song "Historyja majho žyccia" finishing in 17th place.

Naviband was formed in 2013 in Minsk by Arciom Lukjanienka (born 13 August 1992) and Ksienija Žuk (born 21 December 1991). The group's first project was the song "Abdymi myane", which was released in the summer of 2013. In 2014, they released their first album, Soncam sahretyja.

In 2016, Naviband was announced as a participant in the Belarusian selection for the Eurovision Song Contest 2016 with the song "Heta ziamla". They ended up placing fourth in the national final. The following year, they returned with the song "Historyja majho žyccia" and won. They represented Belarus in the Eurovision Song Contest 2017, coming 17th in the final.

#### Бяжы

Бяжы, не слухайся нікога. Крычы, я аддаю ўсё тое, што ў сэрцы дарэмна не істотна. Аб гэтым не трэба і казаць. Угледзіць у тваіх вачах анёла, угледзіць і нікому не аддаць.

На перапынку ты мне падкажаш, калі паставіць усе пачуцці на паўтор. Не пераблытай.
Ты лепшым станеш, каб нашы дрэвы перапляліся ў адно.

На перапынку ты мне падкажаш, калі паставіць усе пачуцці на паўтор. Не пераблытай. Ты лепшым станеш, каб нашы дрэвы перапляліся ў адно.

Твой сон пафарбаваны срэбрам і зноў я застаюся ветрам. У думках я паўтараю словы, якія нікому не сказаць. Угледзіць у тваіх вачах анёла, угледзіць і нікому не аддаць.

На перапынку ты мне падкажаш, калі паставіць усе пачуцці на паўтор. Не пераблытай. Ты лепшым станеш, каб нашы дрэвы перапляліся ў адно.

На перапынку ты мне падкажаш, калі паставіць усе пачуцці на паўтор. Не пераблытай. Ты лепшым станеш, каб нашы дрэвы перапляліся, каб нашы дрэвы перапляліся ў адно.

#### Run

Run, don't listen to anyone. Shout, I'm giving all That I have in my heart. There's no need to say anything. To see an angel in your eyes, To see it and not to give it to anyone.

During the break you'll give me a clue When we should play our feelings on repeat. Don't make a mistake. You'll become better Just to have our trees Entwined into one.

During the break you'll give me a clue When we should play our feelings on repeat. Don't make a mistake. You'll become better Just to have our trees Entwined into one.

Your dream is painted silver.
And again I remain the wind.
I'm repeating the words in my mind,
Which can't be said to anyone.
To see an angel in your eyes,
To see it and not to give it to anyone.

During the break you'll give me a clue When we should play our feelings on repeat. Don't make a mistake. You'll become better Just to have our trees Entwined into one.

During the break you'll give me a clue When we should play our feelings on repeat. Don't make a mistake. You'll become better Just to have our trees Entwined into one.



## 08. AUSTRALIA

## Sia

## "The Greatest"



#### **BIOGRAPHY**

#### From Wikipedia:

Sia Kate Isobelle Furler (born 18 December 1975) is an Australian singer-songwriter, record producer and music video director. She started her career as a singer in the local Adelaide acid jazz band Crisp in the mid-1990s. In 1997, when Crisp disbanded, she released her debut studio album titled OnlySee in Australia. She then moved to London, England, and provided lead vocals for the British duo Zero 7.

In 2000, Sia signed to Sony Music's sub-label Dance Pool and released her second studio album, Healing Is Difficult, the following year. Displeased with the promotion of the record, she signed to Go! Beat and released her third studio album, Colour the Small One, in 2004. The project struggled to connect with a mainstream audience, and so Sia relocated to New York City in 2005 and began touring across the United States. She released her fourth and fifth studio releases, Some People Have Real Problems and We Are Born, in 2008 and 2010, respectively. She then took a hiatus from performing, during which she focused on songwriting for other artists. Her catalogue includes the successful collaborations "Titanium" (with David Guetta), "Diamonds" (with Rihanna) and "Wild Ones" (with Flo Rida).

In 2014, Sia released her sixth studio album 1000 Forms of Fear, which debuted at No 1 in the U.S. Billboard 200 and generated the top-ten breakthrough single "Chandelier" and a trilogy of music videos starring child dancer Maddie Ziegler. In 2016, she released her seventh studio album This Is Acting, which spawned her first Hot 100 number one single, "Cheap Thrills". The same year, Sia gave her Nostalgic for the Present Tour, which incorporated performance art elements. Sia has received an array of accolades, including ARIA Awards and an MTV Video Music Award.

#### The Greatest

Uh-oh, running out of breath, but I
Oh, I, I got stamina
Uh-oh, running now, I close my eyes
Well, oh, I got stamina
And uh-oh, I see another mountain to climb
But I, I, I got stamina
Uh-oh, I need another lover, be mine
Cause I, I, I got stamina

Don't give up, I won't give up Don't give up, no no no Don't give up, I won't give up Don't give up, no no no

I'm free to be the greatest, I'm alive
I'm free to be the greatest here tonight, the greatest
The greatest, the greatest alive
The greatest, the greatest alive

Well, uh-oh, running out of breath, but I
Oh, I, I got stamina
Uh-oh, running now, I close my eyes
But, oh, I got stamina
And oh yeah, running through the waves of love
But I, I got stamina
And oh yeah, I'm running and I've just enough
And uh-oh, I got stamina

Don't give up, I won't give up Don't give up, no no no Don't give up, I won't give up Don't give up, no no no

I'm free to be the greatest, I'm alive
I'm free to be the greatest here tonight, the greatest
The greatest, the greatest alive
The greatest, the greatest alive

Oh-oh, I got stamina Oh-oh, I got stamina Oh-oh, I got stamina Oh-oh, I got stamina

Hey, I am the truth
Hey, I am the wisdom of the fallen - I'm the youth
Hey, I am the wisdom of the fallen - I'm the youth
Hey, I han the greatest
Hey, this is the proof
Hey, I work hard, pray hard, pay dues, hey
I transform with pressure, I'm hands-on with effort
I fell twice before my bounce back was special
Letdowns will get you, and the critics will test you
But the strong will survive, another scar may bless you, ah

Don't give up (no no), I won't give up (no no) Don't give up, no no no (nah) Don't give up, I won't give up Don't give up, no no no

I'm free to be the greatest, I'm alive
I'm free to be the greatest here tonight, the greatest
The greatest, the greatest alive
(don't give up, don't give up, don't give up, no no no)



## 09. CROATIA

## Nina Kraljić

"Snijeg"



#### **BIOGRAPHY**

#### From Wikipedia:

Nina Kraljić (born 4 April 1992) is a Croatian singer-songwriter and voice actress. She is known for winning season one of The Voice – Najljepši glas Hrvatske and for being a finalist in the Eurovision Song Contest 2016 with the song "Lighthouse". Nina is the winner of the Croatian Porin award for Croatia's best new act of 2016. Her debut album "Samo" was released on 30 September 2016.

#### Snijeg

Ti tajno ostavljaš stope U igri svjetla i vode

Slijedim i najmanji trag Poljima snova kroz mrak

> Takni mi sli Takni mi rame Meko Kao snijeg Smiri me mirom Voli tišinom Pokrij Kao snijeg

Još plešeš vlasima kose Sve ceste tebi me nose

Slijedim i najmanji trag Poljima snova kroz mrak

#### Snow

You secretly leave footprints In the game of light and water

I follow even the smallest trail Through fields of dreams through the dark

Touch my thoughts
Touch my shoulder
Soft
As the snow
Calm me down with peace
Love me with silence
Cover
Like snow [x2]

You still dance with the strands of hair All roads lead me to you

I follow even the smallest trail Through fields of dreams through the dark

## **10. UKRAINE**

## Jamala

## ml Believe In U"



#### **BIOGRAPHY**

#### From Wikipedia:

Susana Alimivna Jamaladinova (born 27 August 1983), better known by her stage name Jamala, is a Ukrainian singer, actress and songwriter. She represented Ukraine and won the Eurovision Song Contest 2016 with her song "1944".

Jamala was born in Osh, Kirghiz SSR, to a Crimean Tatar father and an Armenian mother. Her Crimean Tatar ancestors were forcefully resettled from Crimea to the central Asian republic under Joseph Stalin during World War II, although her own relatives fought on the Soviet side. In 1989 her family returned to Crimea. Her maternal ancestors are Armenians from Nagorno-Karabakh. They were well-to-do peasants until her great-grandfather's land was confiscated and he was exiled to Osh where he changed his Armenian name to make it sound more Russian.

On 26 April 2017, Jamala married Bekir Suleimanov

#### I Believe in U

Only these words - Only these words

I want those days to come again When you have a good thing When you have a goal in life and reach it

But if you feel you've lost your way I will be there for you in your Arkest hours right beside you

I want those days to come again When you dream of life When you find a way nothing can stop you

But if your world feels torn away I'll be there for you in your Darkest hours right behind you

I believe in u! You never doubt never Have no fear, yeah! They told me that... I believe in u, u! I remember way back when, Yeah, they told me that I believe in u...

You never doubt never have no fear, Yeah, they told me that... I believe in u... you I remember way back when, Yeah, they told me that...

I believe I want those days to come again When you know in time That no matter what (yeah) you can make it Just keep your head up to the sky Don't ever look back keep moving on and on

I want those days to come again When you dream of life When you find a way nothing can stop you But if your world feels torn away I will be there for you in your Darkest hours right beside you

I believe - I believe - I believe

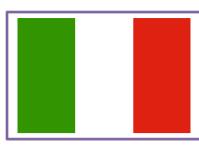
I believe in u! You never doubt never Have no fear, yeah! They told me that... I believe in u, u! I remember way back when, Yeah, they told me that I believe in u...

You never doubt never have no fear, Yeah, they told me that... I believe in u... you I remember way back when, Yeah, they told me that...

You've learn that you can find the right solution And only you you can help yourself You've learn that you need a resolution And only you you can help yourself

I believe - I believe - I believe

I believe in u! You never doubt never Have no fear, yeah! They told me that... I believe in u, u! I remember way back when, Yeah, they told me that I believe in u...



## 11. ITALY

## Takagi & Ketra ft. Lorenzo Fragola & Arisa

"L'esercito del selfie"



#### **BIOGRAPHY**

#### From Wikipedia:

Takagi & Ketra is an Italian music producer and songwriter duo, consisting of Alessandro Merli (born October 4, 1973 in Milan) and Fabio Clemente (born 1985 or 1986 in Vasto, Chieti province).

The two musicians met for the first time in 2012 and exchanged experiences. After initial collaborations for Gemelli Diversi and Boom Da Bash, Takagi & Ketra debuted their first joint production Nu juorno buono for rapper Rocco Hunt. The song won in the Newcomer category of the 2014 Sanremo Festival and was awarded Platinum. After Rocco Hunt, they worked as songwriters and producers with Fabri Fibra, Laura Pausini, Marracash, Mika or Briga. For Baby K and Giusy Ferreri, they produced and wrote (together with Rocco Hunt and Federica Abbate) the summer hit Roma-Bangkok in 2015, which became the most successful song of the year in Italy and helped to renew Italian pop.

After further number one hits for the duo J-Ax & Fedez (Vorrei ma non posto and Assenzio) reached Takagi & Ketra in collaboration with the musician Calcutta 2016 with the song Oroscopo for the first time even the charts.

In 2017 they released their first single L'esercito del selfie, with vocal contributions by Arisa and Lorenzo Fragola.

#### L'esercito del selfie

Hai presente la luna il sabato sera?
Intendo quella vera, intendo quella vera
Hai presente le stelle, le Torri Gemelle?
Quelle che non esistono più, quelle che non esistono più
E se ti parlo di calico
E se ti suono un po' il banjo
Dici che sono depresso, che non sto nel contesto,
che profumo di marcio
Ma se ti porto nel bosco
Mi dici portami in centro
Perche di non c'è campo,
poi vai fuori di testa come l'ultima volta

Siamo l'esercito del selfie Di chi si abbronza con l'iPhone Ma non abbiamo più contatti Soltanto like a un altro post

Ma tu mi manchi, mi manchi, mi manchi in carne ed ossa Mi manchi nella lista Delle cose che non ho, che non ho, che non ho

Hai presente la notte del sabato sera?
Intendo quella nera, intendo quella near
Hai presente la gente che corre in mutande?
Dici che non esistono più,
dici che non esistono più
E se ti parlo di sesso
Carta, forbice o sasso
Dici che sono depresso, che non sto nel contesto,
che profumo di marcio
Ma se ti porto nel parco
Mi dici portami in centro
Perché li non c'è campo,
poi vai fuori di testa come l'ultima volta

Siamo l'esercito del selfie Di chi si abbronza con l'iPhone Ma non abbiamo più contatti Soltanto like a un altro post

Ma tu mi manchi, mi manchi, mi manchi in carne ed ossa (manchi in carne ed ossa) Mi manchi nella lista (mi manchi nella lista) Delle cose che non ho, che non ho, che non ho (che non ho)

> Siamo l'esercito del selfie Di chi si abbronza con l'iPhone Ma non abbiamo più contatti Soltanto like a un altro post

Ma tu mi manchi, mi manchi, mi manchi in came ed ossa (manchi in carne ed ossa) Mi manchi nella lista (mi manchi nella lista) Delle cose che non ho, che non ho, che non ho (che non ho)

#### The army of the selfie

You know the moon on Saturday evening?
I mean the real one, I mean the real one
You know the stars, the Twin Towers?
Those that don't exist anymore, those that don't exist anymore
And if I talk to you about soccer
And if I play you a little bit of banjo
You say I'm depressed, that I'm not within the context,
that I smell of fungus
But if I take you to the woods
You tell me 'take me to the (city) center'
Because there, there isn't any reception,
then you lose your mind like last time

We are the army of the selfie Of those that get tanned with an iPhone But we don't have contacts anymore Only a like for another post

But I miss you, I miss you, I miss you in flesh and blood I miss you in my list of things that I don't have, that I don't have, that I don't have You know, the night of Saturday evening?

I mean the black one, I mean the black one
You know, the people that run around in underwear?
You tell me that they don't exist anymore,
you tell me that they don't exist anymore
And if I talk to you about sex
Rock, paper or scissors
You say I'm depressed, that I'm not within the context,
that I smell of fungus
But if I take you to the park
You tell me 'take me to the (city) center'
Because there, there isn't any reception,
then you lose your mind like last time

We are the army of the selfie Of those that get tanned with an iPhone But we don't have contacts anymore Only a like for another post

But I miss you, I miss you, I miss you in flesh and blood (I miss you in flesh and blood) I miss you in my list (I miss you in my list) of things that I don't have, that I don't have, that I don't have (that I don't have)

> We are the army of the selfie Of those that get tanned with an iPhone But we don't have contacts anymore Only a like for another post

But I miss you, I miss you, I miss you in flesh and blood (I miss you in flesh and blood) I miss you in my list (I miss you in my list) of things that I don't have, that I don't have (that I don't have)



## 12. RUSSIA

# Leningrad "Kolshik"



#### **BIOGRAPHY**

#### From Wikipedia:

Leningrad, also known as Gruppirovka Leningrad and Bandformirovanie Leningrad, is a popular Russian rock band from Saint Petersburg (formerly Leningrad), led by Sergey "Shnur" Shnurov.

Composed of 14 members, the band was founded in the late 1990s. Leningrad worked in Gypsy punk style and soon became notorious for vulgar lyrics (including lots of Russian mat) and celebration of alcoholism. As a result, most radio stations initially avoided the band, which did not stop Leningrad's growing popularity, partly for purely aesthetic reasons, such as the rich brass sound. The band eventually made its way to radio and TV (with profanity bleeped out). Shnurov even presented several New Year's Eve TV shows.

In 2007, the group began experimenting with female backup vocals, finally choosing jazz singer Yuliya Kogan as a permanent band member.

Leningrad disbanded in 2008, and then reunited in 2010. Several new songs and videos have been released since, most of them featuring lead vocals by Kogan rather than Shnurov.

#### Кольщик

#### Первый Куплет:

Жили мы на моей хате. Он не заносил в общак. Ну короче, без понятий И всегда на кислых щах

#### Припев:

Наколи мне брови, наколи. Кольщик, наколи мне брови В память о большой любви, Чтобы взгляд мой стал суровей.

#### Наколи мне!!!

#### Второй Куплет:

Он базарил о высоком. И по кухне все шнырял. Он бодяжил водку с соком. И любил Мадрид Реал.

#### Припев:

Наколи мне брови, наколи. Кольщик, наколи мне брови В память о большой любви. Чтобы взгляд мой стал суровей.

#### Наколи мне!!!

#### Третий Куплет:

Играет басс, Играет соло, Потом споём она как брови наколола. Давай нам бой, договори

Свою историю Прекрасная Лолита.

#### Четвертый Куплет:

А потом рванул на волю. Он походу соскочил. Он мне оставил Дочку Олю. И под ковриком ключи.

#### Припев:х2

Наколи мне брови, наколи. Кольщик, наколи мне брови В память о большой любви. Чтобы взгляд мой стал суровей.

> Наколи мне!!! Наколи!!!

#### The tattoo artist

#### First Verse

We were living at my place.
He didn't pull his share on bills or food.
Well, in short, he hasn't got a clue
And always in a shitty mood.

#### Chorus:

Do me a tattoo, do me a tattoo on my brows.

Tattoo artist, do me a tattoo on my brows
In memory of a great love,
So that my gaze became more dour.

Do me a tattoo!!!

#### Second Verse:

He was blabbing and had strange views.
And always poking in the kitchen, twit.
He was mixing vodka with the juice.
And loved Real Madrid.

#### Chorus:

Do me a tattoo, do me a tattoo on my brows.

Tattoo artist, do me a tattoo on my brows
In memory of a great love,
So that my gaze became more dour.

Do me a tattoo!!!

#### Third Verse:

The bass is playing,
Playing solo,
Later we'll sing as soon as she tattooed her brows.
Give us a fight, yeah, finish talking, yeah
Tell us your story

### Beautiful Florida. Fourth Verse:

And than he rushed to be free. On the way he jumped off. A daughter Olya he left for me. And under the door mat the key.

#### Chorus: X2

Do me a tattoo, do me a tattoo on my brows.

Tattoo artist, do me a tattoo on my brows
In memory of a great love,
So that my gaze became more dour.

Do me a tattoo!!!

Do me a tattoo!!!



## 13. SLOVAKIA

## Emma Drobná

words"



#### **BIOGRAPHY**

#### From Wikipedia:

Emma Drobná (\* 24 March 1994, Nové Mesto nad Váhom) is a Slovak singer and winner of the fourth series of the Czech SuperStar singing competition. She released her first album, Emma Drobna, in 2016.

She grew up in Nové Město nad Váhom with her mother, grandmother and sister. She then decided to go to Denmark for a year, where she studied secondary school with a major in design. She then school with a major in design. She then moved to London for two years, and during her stay in London she played with the Chinaski Czech band Chlamylam. In 2016 she performed well in the first Slovak edition of "Your Face Looks Familiar". In the same year she released her first single Smile, which was playlisted on the radio.

#### Words

Words slipping through your lips Your touch is more than kiss Words deep and meaningful More than just powerful They say I'm crazy They say i'ts dangerous I know I realise It's so ridiculous

Your eyes - The way you look at me Your smile - The way it makes me feel Your time - The way you let things be Your hands - The way you hold on me

How come - You felt right on your own Whilst I've been waiting home alone And now - Your're texting on your phone It's her - I know I should have known

(2x)
Words slipping through your lips
Your touch is more than kiss
Words deep and meaningful
More than just powerful
They say I'm crazy
They say it's dangerous
I know I realise
It's so ridiculous

Those eyes - You give her the same stare That smile - Says love me if you dare I thought - I'd change you like a fool You play - Like she's another tool

And then it all fades We no longer get along You turn away and tell me If l've never done so wrong I've never done so wrong

l've never done so wrong I swear l've never done so wrong I've never done so wrong

(2x)
Words slipping through your lips
Your touch is more than kiss
Words deep and meaningful
More than just powerful
They say I'm crazy
They say I's dangerous
I know I realise
It's so ridiculous

I know I realise It's so ridiculous

I know I realise It's so ridiculous



## 14. TURKEY

## Can Bonomo

## "Kal Bugün"



#### **BIOGRAPHY**

#### From Wikipedia:

Can Bonomo (born 16 May 1987, İzmir) is a Turkish singer who represented Turkey in the Eurovision Song Contest 2012 in Baku, Azerbaijan.

Bonomo was born in İzmir, Turkey to a Sephardi Turkish family. At the age of 17, he began his official career as a vocal productionist in Istanbul. At the same time, Can went on with studying TV and cinema at the Istanbul Bilgi University with his programmes being aired on popular radio channels such as Number 1 FM, Radio101 and Radio Class. Then his radio programmes were followed by programmes in international TV channels such as MTV and Number One TV. Sephardic culture and the ancient language of exiled Spaniard Jew's are the main elements that shaped his music.

After his musical career, he began to write poetry and publish poetry books. His first poetry book was named "Delirmek Belirmektir" (2014) and it was published by Küçük İskender.

In January, 2012, he was internally selected to represent Turkey in the Eurovision Song Contest 2012 in Baku, Azerbaijan. In February 2012, Can revealed his song "Love Me Back" to the public. He placed seventh with the song at the contest's final competition on 26 May 2012.

#### Kal Bugün

Bir kuş uçar pencereden haber verir ey Ben yanarım bu dağlar bana dar gelir ey Kal evim ol çil çil olsun taşların Ellerin yastık yorgan sarı saçların

> Kal gitme fikrim sende Sen bir başkasını sevsen de Var gitme ölürüm o zaman ben Yar gitme ölürüm o zaman ben

Kal bugün canım ağrıyor
Ellerim tenini arıyor
Saçlarım tel tel ağrıyor
Ölürüm ah ölürüm o zaman ben

Dur bugün ruhum eğik bak Yorgunum zormuş unutmak Her gün aynı dileği tutmak Ölürüm ah ölürüm o zaman ben

Yol beni al yarime ver gel bana ey
Yol canım ol yoldaşım
ol gül bana ey
Bir gülü al doğur elime ciğerlerime
Ben yandım selamet olsun diğerlerine

#### **Stay Today**

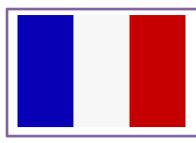
A bird flies from the window, it notifies, ey
I burn, this mountains are narrow for me, ey
Stay, be my home, let your stones be freckled
Your hands are pillow, your blond hairs are quilt

Stay, don't go, I am consumed with you If you like someone else Don't let go yourself then I die My love, don't go then I die

Stay today, my spirit is hurting My hands are looking for your skin My strands are turning grey I die oh then I die

Hang on today, my spirit is slanted
I am tired, It was hard to forget
To make the same wish everyday
I die oh then I die

Tear me up, take me to my love, come back, ey
Be my lover on road, be my comrade,
smile on me, ey
Get a rose, bring it into my hands, into my lungs
I burn, godspeed on others



## 15. FRANCE

## Lili Poe





#### **BIOGRAPHY**

Lili Poe her poetic scene name is in reference to her first name Pauline and poet Edgar Poe.

Before starting the song, Lili Poe made lyrical song. But tired by technique and rigor, she leaves to London to learn to soul and jazz. She returns with a furious desire to make the scene.

"Echos" is part of a first mini-album that mixes French pop and urban music. A complete album will be released at the end of 2017.

#### Écho

Puisqu'il faut rester léger
Je n'emporterai rien quand je partirai
Puisque rien ne dure jamais
Moi, j'essaierais bien de continuer à rêver
Et s'il faut penser au pire
Jouer sa vie sur un seul tire
Baisser les armes et puis sourire
Brille s'il faut penser au pire
Pour que mon envole se brise
J'irai crier jusqu'à en rire

Oh, Oh, Oh, écho, écho

Oh, toi mon héros, entend mon écho qui fait des vagues Oh, et comme un halo, tous nos échos font des vagues Oh, toi mon héros, entend mon écho qui fait des vagues Oh, et comme un halo, tous nos échos font des vagues

Puisqu'on ne peut plus s'arrêter
On ira plus loin, on ira plus près
Comme une impulsion souveraine
On chassera la peur que l'on traîne
Pour vivre d'amours diluviennes
Même si on ne tient pas le coup
Qu'on est les demier debout
Qu'ils nous murmurent qu'on était fous

Oh, Oh, Oh, écho, écho

Oh, toi mon héros, entend mon écho qui fait des vagues Oh, et comme un halo, tous nos échos font des vagues Oh, toi mon héros, entend mon écho qui fait des vagues Oh, et comme un halo, tous nos échos font des vagues

Oh, Oh, Oh, écho, écho

#### **Echo**

Since we have to stay light
I will not take anything when I leave
Since nothing ever lasts
I will try to keep dreaming
And if we have to think about the worst
Playing our life on one shot
Lower weapons and then smile
Then if we have to think about the worst
For my flight to break
I'll scream until I laugh

Echo, echo

Oh! You my hero, hear my echo that makes waves Oh! And as a halo, all our echoes make waves Oh! You my hero, hear my echo that makes waves Oh! And as a halo, all our echoes make waves

Since we can no longer stop
We'll go further, we'll go nearer
As a sovereign impulse
We will chase the fear that we are dragging
To live off torrential loves
Even if we do not hold on
And we are the last standing
Who whispers that we were crazy

Echo, echo

Oh! You my hero, hear my echo that makes waves Oh! And as a halo, all our echoes make waves Oh! You my hero, hear my echo that makes waves Oh! And as a halo, all our echoes make waves

Echo, echo



## 16. POLAND

## Margaret

## "What You Do"



#### **BIOGRAPHY**

#### From Wikipedia:

Małgorzata Jamroży, born 30 June 1991 and known professionally as Margaret, is a Polish singer-songwriter who has gained recognition in Poland and abroad with her singles "Thank You Very Much" and "Cool Me Down". Before her mainstream debut Margaret belonged to underground bands, recorded soundtracks for television commercials and produced a fashion blog. During this period she was discovered by her manager and signed by her record label, Extensive Music.

Margaret's 2013 debut single, "Thank You Very Much", was included on All I Need (her first EP). The song charted in the top fifty in Austria, Germany and Italy.

Her debut studio album, Add the Blonde, was released in 2014. It peaked at number eight in Poland, and was certified platinum by the Polish Society of the Phonographic Industry (ZPAV). The album contained three singles ("Wasted", "Start a Fire" and "Heartbeat") which reached number six, ten and eleven, respectively, in Poland. Its 2016 rerelease produced "Cool Me Down", the singer's first Polish top-five single. The song, which charted in the top thirty in Romania and the top forty in Sweden, was certified double platinum in Poland and gold in Sweden.

In 2015 Margaret recorded Just the Two of Us, a jazz album with Matt Dusk which was certified platinum by ZPAV.

Her third studio album, Monkey Business, was released in 2017. The album peaked at number eight in Poland, whilst its lead single "What You Do" charted in the top twenty.

#### What You Do

I, I been looking for a while Been searching for a sign And trying to ignite I, I'm chasing high and low Not knowing where to go This could be a bumpy ride

When you fail all away
What you do? What you do?
Fade away, hate to say
So what you do? What you do?
Raising up, louder, louder
Turn it up higher, higher
When you fade all away
What you do? What you do?
What you do? What you do?
What you do? What you do?
What you do? What you do?
What you do? What you do?

You, you don't wanna be alone Hiding in a safety zone Tell me what is on your mind, yeah You wear your head up in the clouds Won't you hang on and be proud So come on and light a stars

When you fail all away
What you do? What you do?
Fade away, hate to say
So what you do? What you do?
Raising up, louder, louder
Turn it up higher, higher
When you fade all away
What you do? What you do?
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What you do? What you do?

Oh, look at me, look at me Oh, I want free making dreams If you want it, you take it Look at me, lullaby singing Oh, oh

When you fail all away
What you do? What you do?
Fade away, hate to say
So what you do? What you do?
Raising up, louder, louder
Turn it up higher, higher
When you fade all away
What you do? What you do?
What you do? What you do?



## 17. UNITED KINGDOM

# Amy Macdonald "Dream On"



#### **BIOGRAPHY**

#### From Wikipedia:

Amy Elizabeth Macdonald (born 25 August 1987) is a Scottish singer-songwriter, guitarist, and musician. She has sold over 12 million records worldwide.

Macdonald released her debut album This Is the Life in 2007. The singles "Mr. Rock & Roll" and "This Is the Life" from it were chart hits. The latter charted at number one in six countries, while reaching the top 10 in another 11 countries. The album reached number one in four European countries-the United Kingdom, Denmark, the Netherlands and Switzerland-and sold three million copies worldwide. Moderate success in the American music market followed in 2008. She was a guest on shows such as The Filen DeGeneres Show and The Late Late Show with Craig Ferguson, where she performed two singles from the album, and This Is the Life reached number 92 on the Billboard 200.

Macdonald's second album, A Curious Thing, was released on 8 March 2010. Its lead single "Don't Tell Me That It's Over" was released in March 2010: it peaked at number 45 on the UK Singles Chart, and also went on to perform well in other European countries. Five singles have since been released from A Curious Thing. Macdonald is one of the artists who appeared with Ray Davies on his 2010 album See My Friends; she sang with him on a cover of The Kinks' 60s hit "Dead End Street". Her third album, Life in a Beautiful Light, was released on 11 June 2012. It supplied three singles: "Slow It Down", which became a number 45 hit on the UK Singles Chart; "Pride", and "4th of July".

On 17 February 2017, Macdonald released her fourth studio album Under Stars, which entered at number two on the UK Album Chart and peaked within the top 10 of the album charts in Germany and New Zealand.

#### Dream On

Ooh, ooh Ooh, ooh Ooh, ooh

Never gonna be on my own
It's clear as the day
Never gonna cast my anchor out
I'm a free spirit, forn in a way
I can't stay here for too long
I got to keep on moving on
Nothing fades as nothing changes
This old place is driving me crazy

Live on and dream on Live on and dream on I'm on top of the world and I'm on the right track I'm on top of the world and I won't look back Live on and dream on I'm on top of the world and I'm on the right track I'm on top of the world and I won't look back

I was living for the weekend And the drinks are on me Skipping school and cutting out I wish this world would let me be Trying to catch a feeling Trying to find myself We ran out into temptations 'Cause this old place is driving me crazy

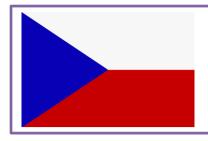
Live on and dream on Live on and drawn of it may not be right track i'm on top of the world and I'm on the right track i'm on top of the world and I won't look back Live on and drawn on i'm on top of the world and I'm on the right track i'm on top of the world and I won't look back

I miss you when I'm gone I'm still playing the same old songs Dance like we used to do But I'm better without you Better without you

Live on and dream or

Live on and dream on
I'm on top of the world and I'm on the right track
I'm on top of the world and I won't look back
Live on and dream on
I'm on top of the world and I'm on the right track
I'm on top of the world and I won't look back
The time is now The time is now I cast my anchor down I'm on top of the world and I'm on the right track I'm on top of the world and I won't look back The time is now I cast my anchor down I'm on top of the world and I'm on the right track I'm on top of the world and I won't look back I'm on top of the world and I won't look back

Na na na na na na na na Na na na na na na na na Ooh, ooh



## 18. CZECH REPUBLIC

## Mikolas Josef

mBelieve<sup>dd</sup>



#### **BIOGRAPHY**

#### From Facebook:

Mikolas Josef, born 4.10.1995, is an independent singer/songwriter/multiinstrumentalist/producer and music video director. Josef was born in Prague and raised in a village in central Bohemia.

Half Moravian, he first began making folk records moving on to hiphop, house and pop music. His current sound however still carries signs of folk music, thus creating a unique combination and style.

He started his carreer at the age of 15 recording with local producers and busking in the capital. He almost failed his third year in high school when awarded grade E for Music. He continued busking throughout Europe in cities such as Oslo, Hamburg or Zurich saving up for his productions.

Furthermore, Josef was awarded gold medal with distinction from the London Academy of Music and Dramatic Arts for acting, and had a one year carrier as a model.

#### **Believe**

Hey, hey I think we got lost along the way, eh hey Love the rules we used to disobey But, hey, I will always believe Now I said 'hey'

Hey, I will always believe
Now, hey, hey maybe in time you'll fade away
Eh, hey, but the bullet holes, we made, seem they stay
But hey, I will always believe
Now I said 'hey'
Hey, and no matter where you are, I believe
No matter where you are, I believe

You don't wanna talk about it I just can't stop thinking about it You don't wanna talk about it I just can't stop thinking about it Hey

Hey, away from each other we set sail Eh hey, worn out from the games, we used to play But, hey, I will always believe now I said hey

Hey, I will always believe
Now hey, hey
I still hear the word of yesterday
Eh, hey, but broken are now all the tracks, we laid
But hey I will always believe, believe
Now I said hey No matter where you are, I believe No matter where you are, I believe

You don't wanna talk about it I just can't stop thinking about it You don't wanna talk about it I just can't stop thinking about it

I am sorry if I caused any pain Now it don't feel the same Now it don't feel the same
Since I lost my mind, dear
You lost your faith
And that ain't OK
For the blame's on my name
The ambition it came and it took you away
Half alive I am driving blind
Blinded by the fact, that I left you behind
Baby, you were the one
I was to rise beside
For the world was right, when it was mine to climb
No, you and me on repeat
Both gave and received
And now in my dreams still you sing me to sleep

So no matter where you are in the world I believe You don't wanna talk about it I just can't stop thinking about it You don't wanna talk about it I just can't stop thinking about it I just can't stop thinking about it You don't wanna talk about it I just can't stop thinking about it You don't wanna talk about it I just can't stop thinking about it I just can't stop thinking about it I just can't stop thinking about it



## 19. HUNGARY

# Magdolna Rúzsa "Érj Hozzám"



#### **BIOGRAPHY**

#### From Wikipedia:

Magdolna Rúzsa or simply Magdi Rúzsa (born 28 November 1985 in Titov Vrbas, SR Serbia, SFR Yugoslavia) is a Hungarian pop singer who won the 2006 title of Megasztár ("Megastar"), Hungary's nationwide talent search, that resembles, but is not based on, Pop Idol.

As the winner of the category "Newcomer of the Year" at the Fonogram Hungarian Music Awards in 2007, she represented Hungary at the Eurovision Song Contest in Helsinki, Finland with the song "Unsubstantial Blues". She finished ninth and won a Marcel Bezençon Award in the Best Composer category.

Since then she won a lot of Hungarian awards and she is one of the most popular Hungarian singers. Between 2013-2015 Magdi was member of the jury of the Hungarian preselection "A DAL".

#### Érj Hozzám

Maradsz-e még, ha a hajnal részeg csókon ér? Egy perc elég, és leszek bolond a kedvedért. Ringat a vágy,

Piszkos tangót táncol a szívemen át...

Maradsz-e még mellénk bújó reggelért Jöhetsz elém, szemfényvesztő keddekért. Lopott világ, a tilos szögén lógat egy életen át.

> Érj hozzám még egyszer Hadd, hogy lássam a szárnyad Csak meg ne mutasd másnak Érj hozzám még egyszer Hagyd, hogy szorítsalak jobban Vesszünk el a mostban...

Várni rád, és remélni, hogy lesz még pár Találkozás, nyárutón a Dunánál. Ismerős vágy, piszkos tangót Táncol a szívemen át.

Érj hozzám még egyszer Hadd, hogy lássam a szárnyad Csak meg ne mutasd másnak Érj hozzám még egyszer Hagyd, hogy szorítsalak jobban Vesszünk el a mostban...

> Váltakozik nap és éj, Borban ringó tükörkép, Lepke vagyok, Fényednél Oooooo...

Érj hozzám még egyszer Hadd, hogy lássam a szárnyad Csak meg ne mutasd másnak Érj hozzám még egyszer Hagyd, hogy szorítsalak jobban Vesszünk el a mostban...

#### Touch me

Will you stay with me, if dawn caught us at drunken kiss?

One minute, and I get crazy for your sake.

The desire is cradling me,

Dancing filthy tango through my heart.

Will you stay yet for morning nestling up to us?
You can come to meet me for delusive Tuesdays.
Stolen world keeps hanging me
on the pin of prohibition through a life.

Touch me one more time
Let me see your wings
Don't show them to anybody else
Touch me one more time
Let me embrace you stronger
Let's get lost in the present

Waiting for you and hoping for more Lovers tryst, in late summer, by the Danube. Known desire, dancing filthy tango Through my life.

Touch me one more time
Let me see your wings
Don't show them to anybody else
Touch me one more time
Let me embrace you stronger
Let's get lost in the present

Daylight alternating with night, Reflection cradling in wine, I am a butterfly In your light Ooooo...

Touch me one more time
Let me see your wings
Don't show them to anybody else
Touch me one more time
Let me embrace you stronger
Let's get lost in the present



## 20. MACEDONIA (FYR)

## Dan Talevski

## mRocket<sup>a</sup>



#### **BIOGRAPHY**

#### From Wikipedia:

Dan Talevski is a Canadian singer-songwriter from Georgetown, Ontario with Macedonian descent, currently signed to eOne Music Canada. His career first began as an online YouTube sensation in 2007 posting covers of popular songs. Since then he has gone on to work with will.i.am, Soulja Boy, Shawn Desman, Keisha Chante, Timbaland, Tyler Shaw and was selected as direct support for Backstreet Boys on its 2010 This Is Us Tour. His debut EP, titled "High Times", is set to release October 27, 2017.

At the age of 20, Talevski had already garnered a massive internet following in 2007 thanks to his first viral video; a short clip of him singing "What Goes Around, Comes Around" by Justin Timberlake. After receiving mass attention online he began taking requests from fans and has posted several covers of popular songs to his channel. As his fan base continued to grow many people began to take notice including Polow Da Don who reached out to Talevski and flew him out to Los Angeles to meet Jimmy lovine the President of Interscope Records. This would lead to his major label signing and allowed him to release his debut single "Do It Again" on November 8, 2010 featuring Soulja Boy and produced by will.i.am.

#### Rocket

I'm on my way.

Got six dollars in my pocket
Don't where I'm headed but,
I wanna make like a rocket and go,
So no one can catch me.
I'm on my mark, lets go, I'm ready.
Please listen baby, I need this baby,
Come with me baby, lets go.

Push the pedal to the floor, I'm out of here.
Can't take it anymore, I need you here.
I can't make up my mind, I run with fear.
Don't wanna leave you behind,
so I'll make like a rocket and go.

Departure time.
I ain't looking back, I'm out to shine.
Just gotta get to you girl.
Want you to know I'm for sure, I'm ready.
My mind is set.
No one can change the way
I feel about the future.
Please listen baby,
You need me baby, I'm ready baby,
Lets go.

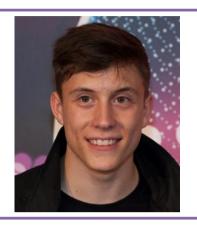
Push the pedal to the floor, I'm out of here.
I can't take it anymore, I need you here.
I can't make up my mind, I run with fear.
Don't wanna have no more tears,
so I'll make like a rocket and go



## 21. BELGIUM

## Loic Nottet

mMud Blooda



#### **BIOGRAPHY**

#### From Wikipedia:

Loïc Nottet (born 10 April 1996) is a Belgian singer. who finished second in the third season of The Voice Belgique in 2014 and represented Belgium in the Eurovision Song Contest 2015 which was held in Vienna, Austria, where he placed fourth with 217 points.

On 24 October 2015, he took part in and won the sixth series of the French TV show Danse avec les stars.

Nottet's single "Million Eyes", part of his first album, was released on 27 October 2016. The video was filmed on 5 October 2016. Nottet announced the album would feature a concept, different characters and several music videos. The song charted at number two on the Wallonia Ultratop chart and number two in France. The song was certified gold in Belgium and France. On 2 March, Nottet announced his debut album via social media Selfocracy was released on March 31 and managed to top the chart in Belgian Albums (Ultratop Wallonia). It also charted at number three in Ultratop Flanders, number eight in France and number twenty in Switzerland.

#### **Mud Blood**

[2x] We got demons Demons stuck inside our blood Yeah we got drugs inside our heart Yeah we eat the mud to be free

We're gonna lose, mama Because we choose, mama To say that we're the best But we look just like the rest, mama

We want that crown, mama And we want it now, mama To be the selfish kings Of a worthless empire

That's why we're insane We take mud to escape 'Cause life's hard to take

So in our veins, it runs mud blood We take all kinds of drug It's our way to pretend That we enjoy the life we've got Sometimes it hurts to pray To God and other saints we've got mud blood

We got demons Demons stuck inside our blood Yeah we got drugs inside our heart Yeah we eat the mud to be free

It's all about, mama What we look like, mama We talk about ourselves Even if we sound obsessed, mama

Others express, mama We couldn't care less, mama We want to take you out Like in a game of chess, mama That's why we're insane

We take mud to escape 'Cause life's hard to take

So in our veins, it runs mud blood
We take all kinds of drugs
It's our way to pretend
That we enjoy the life we've got
Sometimes it hurts to pray
To God and other saints we've got mud blood

[2x] We're mud eaters We're mud eaters We're mud eaters We have mud blood we take all kinds of drugs

That's why we're insane We take mud to escape 'Cause life's hard to take

[2x] So in our veins, it runs mud blood We take all kinds of drugs It's our way to pretend
That we enjoy the life we've got
Sometimes it hurts to pray
To God and other saints

We've got mud blood

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