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Began singing at a young age

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Tonya P, Canadian born singer and songwriter was introduced to the music industry at the tender age of 14. Being the daughter of popular promoter "Clive Kubba Pringle" afforded her many opportunities that many young artists could only dream of having. At the age of 19 she performed on her first major show in Jamaica, as an opening act for the King of Dance Hall, Beenie Man. That night Tonya P not only proved to the people of Jamaica but also to herself that she had a burning passion for Reggae music that could not be denied.

Once back on Canadian soil she continued to seek out local performances while also taking the time to hone her craft and master her writing skills. In 2005 after a brief introduction to a local producer she wrote her first original song titled "With Me" produced by Radford Ettienne (Dr Rad). The song proved to be a hit and was dominating the airwaves. After having such success with the first single the pair continued to work together creating a string of hits that soon made Tonya P one of the most recognized and decorated female reggae artists in Toronto.

In 2007 Tonya P received her first Canadian Reggae Music Award (Top Female New Comer) and after a few more years of hard work and dedication she landed a Juno Nomination (Reggae Recording of The Year).

Suffering Loss and Finding Strength in Music

Since the 2011 Juno Nomination Tonya has consistently been releasing singles that have all made a huge impact in her career. In 2015 she released her self-titled EP that was well received by her fans. However, just as things were looking up musically she suffered the loss of her father.

Tonya was devastated, somehow, she found the strength to put all the pain and hurt she was feeling into her music and created some of her best work. "Something's Gotta Give" was released in September of 2017 and proved to be one of the biggest hits to date created by between her and Dr Rad. Not only was it placed in heavy rotation on Canada's largest Urban radio station G98.7fm but it also received a number 1 spot on Stylz Fm in Jamaica and recently received a ReggaeXclusive award for Top Reggae Single of 2018.

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Canadian Reggae Artist and 2011 Juno Nominee, Tonya P, performed at the JunoFest URBFresh Urban Music Showcase at Toronto's legendary venue, Hard Rock Cafe. Presented by UMAC, The Urban Music Association of Canada, The Canadian Academy of Recording Arts and Sciences (CARAS) and the Juno Award Urban Music Committees, the two-night showcase featured Juno nominees from 2011 Rap, Reggae and R&B Soul categories.

The event took place during JunoFest week which celebrated the 40th anniversary of the Juno Awards with live performances across the city.

Canadian Reggae Music Awards, ReggaeXclusive Awards and the 2011 Juno Awards Red Carpet.



Tonya's Aspirations

Tonya's aspirations of becoming a music artist came to life the day she met a fellow Canadian based artist by the name of Shadrock. After hearing her sing at a nightclub, he asked her to sing a collaboration with him for his upcoming album. The song was titled "What's Your Name?". It was the confidence gained from that recording that paved the way for Tonya P to actively pursue her God given.

Music

Click cover on the right to listen to 'What You Know About Love' or any of the video images below to watch Tonya's live performances on Youtube.



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March 2011, URBFresh Urban Music Showcase



Sept 2018, Obsession III Boat trip



Live at the Waterfalls Saturday July 13 2013



Rehearsal for Rub A Dub Market 2013



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2018 Photoshoot by Mamba Lifestyle. Click image above to visit Instagram page



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Tonya's Ultimate Goal

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Tonya P has had the pleasure of performing on the Bob Marley Birthday Bash in Negril Jamaica (8+years), Calgary Reggae Festival, Montreal Reggae Festival, Ottawa Reggae Festival and Jamaica Day, just to name a few.

This gave Tonya the opportunity to work with some of the Reggae greats in the music industry throughout the years such as Marcia Griffiths, Beres Hammond, Bunny Wailer, Freddie McGregor, Luciano and many more. Tonya P is not only a phenomenal artist, she also has extreme consideration for the people on a deeper level than just acquiring fans.

“My ultimate goal is to continue to build the foundation that has already been set, I want to write real music with a real message that will touch the masses regardless of age or gender.”



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