

Alicia Waller

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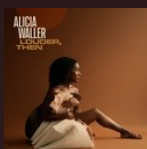
BIOGRAPHY

Alicia Waller is a genre-expanding vocalist, composer, and bandleader recognized for a contemporary fusion sound. Known for the luminous warmth of her voice, she creates a rich, expressive tapestry that has been praised for its splendor, creativity, and depth.

With a background as a classical soprano, Waller began exploring original work with the four-song EP, *Some Hidden Treasure* in 2020. Hailed as "surprising and significant" by All About Jazz, the imaginative release established her creative path at the intersection of jazz, soul, and vernacular music. She released her debut studio album, *Louder, Then* in 2026 to further acclaim, with DownBeat Magazine describing her as "a singular force, lyrically and compositionally."

She is a recipient of numerous awards and acknowledgements, and received her undergraduate degree in vocal performance from the University of Maryland and graduate degree from New York University, Gallatin School of Individualized Study. Soon after completing her graduate work, her work and process were featured in the documentary series *What Moves You?* by SkyHour.

ON RECORD



Louder, Then

Album · 2026

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Some Hidden Treasure

EP · 2020

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