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Voices of Valor Releases “Come Alive!” by Gentle Breeze

Original song created by Veterans through Music For All Seasons’ Voices of Valor program reflects hope, resilience, and finding connection through shared experience.



Music For All Seasons proudly announces the release of **“Come Alive!”**, an original song created by Gentle Breeze through its Voices of Valor program at Soldier On in Tinton Falls, New Jersey. On June 17, 2026, the Veterans gathered for a special release celebration where they heard their completed song together for the first time.

Over the course of the program, the Veterans came together session after session to share their stories, listen to one another, and turn their experiences into music. What emerged was something uniquely their own — an original

song carrying their words, their perspectives, and their voices. “Come Alive!” tells a story of hope, resilience, and finding connection through shared experience.

The song’s lyrics capture that spirit: **“Sunshine, blue skies, and the gentle breeze of life / Slow down, breathe deep, just enjoy the journey.”**

“Come Alive!” was created by **Christopher DeDomenico, Steven Fry, Valorie M. Johnson, Joann Kirkman, Darwin (Butch) Nicholson, William Rossin, Cynthia Scott, Pat White, Ron Haney, and Dave Rimelis**, who are credited with music, lyrics, and vocals. Ron Haney and Dave Rimelis served as facilitators, with Ged Dagot as psychology mentor. The song was recorded by Adam Vaccarelli at Retromedia Sound Studios in Red Bank, New Jersey, with music produced and performed by Ron Haney.

Music For All Seasons extends its gratitude to **Soldier On** for hosting Voices of Valor and to **The Blanche & Irving Laurie Foundation** for its generous support, which made this program possible.

Every Voices of Valor song begins with a conversation. Veterans share their experiences, find the words together, and then work with professional musicians to turn those words into an original song.

► Watch “Come Alive!” by Gentle Breeze:
[Come Alive-Gentle Breeze](#)

For more information about Voices of Valor, please visit:
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About Voices of Valor



Founded in 2011, Voices of Valor is a specialized initiative of Music For All Seasons that provides Veterans with an opportunity to transform their stories and lived experiences into original songs. Working in small groups with professional musician-facilitators and a psychology mentor, participants write lyrics, create melodies, and professionally record a song that reflects their experiences and honors their service. No prior musical experience is required. The program is designed to honor Veterans’ experiences, support the transition from military to civilian life, and foster self-expression, connection, and community.

About Music For All Seasons

Founded in 1991, Music For All Seasons is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization that nurtures human connection with under-resourced communities through healing musical experiences and inspiring creative collaborations with professional musicians. Through its programs and specialized initiatives, including Voices of Valor, Music For All Seasons brings the restorative power of music to Veterans, survivors of domestic violence, seniors, young people, and other communities.

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