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Veterans Celebrate Veterans Day with Release of Original Song "Blind Soul"

Music For All Seasons Honors Veterans' Creativity and Collaboration Through Voices of Valor at Lyons VA Medical Center



BASKING RIDGE, NJ — Music For All Seasons proudly announces the release of "Blind Soul," an original song created by Chosen Voices through its Voices of Valor program at Lyons VA Medical Center in New Jersey. On Veterans Day, November 11, 2026, the Veterans gathered for a special release celebration where they heard their completed song and watched the accompanying music video for the first time.

Over the course of the program, the Veterans came together session after session to share their experiences, listen to one another, and transform their thoughts into music. Through conversation, collaboration, and creativity, they developed an original song reflecting their individual perspectives and collective voice. Releasing "Blind Soul" on Veterans Day made the occasion especially meaningful, providing an opportunity to recognize not only their military service but also their creativity, dedication, and shared accomplishment.

"Blind Soul" was created by Isaac Batts, Jacob Frazier, David D. Green, Christopher Johnson, Scott Oncheck, Troyshon Phillips, Maurice Sherry, Anthony Smith, Stax, Jahmeir Warfield, Laura Blaine, and

Benny Harrison, who are credited with music, lyrics, and vocals. Laura Blaine and Benny Harrison served as musician-facilitators.

The song was recorded at Sound on Sound Studios in Montclair, New Jersey, with recording engineer Kyle Cassel and assistant engineer Kyle Villareal. Music was produced and performed by Benny Harrison, with drums performed by Kyle Cassel. The accompanying music video was produced by Laura Blaine.
The Veterans Day celebration brought participants together to experience the finished recording and music video for the first time. The occasion recognized the group's commitment to the creative process and the connections developed through their work together.

Music For All Seasons extends its gratitude to Lyons VA Medical Center for hosting Voices of Valor and to **The Horizon Foundation for New Jersey** 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. The result is a lasting expression of their perspectives, creativity, and collaboration.

▶ **Watch "Blind Soul" by Chosen Voices:**
https://youtu.be/dTNJ_jEZwOY

For more information about Voices of Valor, please visit:
www.voicesofvalor.org

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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