



2010 Results



UPDATE: Here are the list of finalists of the 2010 USA Songwriting Competition. The top winners will be announced on Dec 1, 2010. Please check back then. Congratulations to our finalists! We would like to thank all entrants that entered, sponsors and judges.

LIST OF FINALISTS of 2010 USA SONGWRITING COMPETITION:

Category/Song Title Songwriter(s) name(s)

DANCE/ELECTRONICA

Who Will Find Me	Adrina Thorpe
Oh The Pain	Sarah Lonsert & Duane Thomas
Ocean	Michael Ashanti
Just a Lie	Trina Lattanzio
Stay With Me	Dave Merenda
Ragdoll	Jeff Porter
I'll Find A Way	Brian Kent
Who's Gonna Get All My Love	David Mann
Contagious	Letecia Hampton
Can't Keep It A Secret	Jacinta
So Close To Heaven	John Rushton

ROCK/ALTERNATIVE

Heartbreaker's Lane	Tom Schreck & Stacy VanderVoorste
Farley	Jason Burns & Invisible
Give Me Love	Alannah Myles & Nancy Simmonds
Citadel	Vreny Van Elslande
Train Tracks	Tucker Spitzer
Tie Your Hands	Dave Daranjo
The Ballad of Ian Curtis	Hawksley Workman, Luke Doucet & The White Falcon
Rock & Roll City	(Ole Reinert Berg-Olsen) ORBO & The Longshots
Honor Among Thieves	(Bob Pressner) Bob Pressner Band
Do You Want To?	(Kyle, Chris Lowe, Scott Romig) Dexter Freebish
Make You	(Andrew Mitchell & Denny Soliday) Sixpin

LATIN

De Nuevo En Tus Brazos	Axel S Ortiz
Vuelve AA Mi	Cecilia Contreras
Callate	Jim William Mooney
Indescriptible	Enrique Mancebo
Robame un Beso	Julie Tecupae
Vuela	Javi Olivencia
Estás en mí	Miriam Durán & Daniel Vilá
ME ENAMORE	JORGE URIBE
Hechizo	(Jacqueline Grace Lopez) Jacqueline Grace
Añoranza	(Claudia García) Cloud

POP

Is that So Bad	Ken Hirsch, Rosie Casey, Peter Roberts & Hillary Podell
Run	John Langan, Chuck Smith & Michelle Dupwe
Unraveling	Liz Longley
Overdrive	Meghan Trainor
Magic	Renald Francoeur
Supernatural	Mylin Stoddard
No Boyfriend	Nicole Bruncker, Greg Gerard, and Ryan Rossebo
Stutter	Natascha Hagen
LA Sky	Matthew Murphy, Sara Haze & Michelle Atkinson
Man Of My Dreams	Amanda Brecker
Surround Me	Sarah McMullen, Jonathan George & Raumin Tadayon

HIP-HOP

Riot Starter	Sefu Musisa
Distract Me From My Hustle	Joycia Ramsey (MzSKANDALOUZ)
Streets To Nowhere	John C Weber
Made Up My Mind	Dave Daranjo
Be Inspired	(T. Custis, T. Haddon) Ason
Porn No More	Brandon "BRAN NU" Stephens
Who I Am	Aaron Rodgers
I Need A Drank	Maskerade, Blak Bond
Still Livin	Joe Fife
TheWorld3	Imad Alhamad

CHILDREN

You Can Make A Difference	Jordan Kamalu
If You Were You	Peter Lenton
At Sunnyside School	Peter Lenton
Kalico Kat's Jug Band	Marla Lewis
Come What May (Allile's Lullaby)	John D Visconti
You, Me and O.P.	James Struthers
I'm A Rock Star	Joanie Leeds
Happy Pants	Jeff Eisenberg
Letter Hunt	Claus Madsen

Honey Bee

Tina Jones

WORLD

The Poacher

Robespierre

Planeta

Jamie Wilensky

Kmo Shir Chadash

Maor Shefer

Deix

Tais Alvarenga

Baba Yetu (feat. Soweto Gospel Choir)

Christopher Tin

Potchefstroom

Francois Mulder

IL SOGNO

Jami Templeton & GHARAH
PK DEGEDDINGSEZE

Loving You

(Kees Dieffenthaler,
Tessanne Chin and Kasey Phillips) Kes the
Band

Katakanlah

Amirah Ali

Smoke's Risin'

Leni Stern

LYRICS ONLY

Grave Matters

Helle Hansen

Six Feet Above Hell

Mary Shannon Campbell

Good Goodbye

Erin Casey

Life's A Beautiful Song

Lon Conklin

Birch Tree

Michael Everett

Paint Yourself Free

Tonni Riley

Haunted

Sherri Gough

Hot Coals

Sherri Gough

Will Anyone Remember?

Dale Boyle

Thrilling Days Of Yesteryear

Mark Stepakoff

NOVELTY/COMEDY

What Do Ya Do (After Ya Screw)

Steve Mackall

Gloria

(Robespierre) Franz Mang

Asshole

Mayon Weeks

Grocery Coupon

Greg Trafidlo & Ron Sowell

They Should Be Paying Me

Roger Brittain

I Can't Rhyme

Lanny Sherwin

The Paper Shredder

Lu Mitchell & Catch-23

I'm Allergic To My Job

Drew Jacobs

WILD WEST SALON

Bill DiLuigi, Tim Maggart & Kathy Eidson

Mrs Santa Claws

BETTE ANDERSON

JAZZ

A Cool Kinda Blue

Robert Marino

Throw It On The Heap

Helle Hansen

Sanctuary

Helle Hansen

Cayenne

Helle Hansen

Love And Understanding

Jean M McClain

One of Those Nights

Matt Cusson

The Angels Share

Don Breithaupt & Jeff Breithaupt

How I Love The Rain

KEN HIRSCH & ROSIE CASEY

Stay For A Minute

Benjamin Groff, Erin Boheme & Guy
Chambers

THAT VOODOO THING YOU DO Gwen Greenway
Hummingbird Steve Raybine

Instrumental

Enchanted	Paul Donnelly
Winter In Berlin	Dewi Puspita
Heaven And Earth	John D Visconti
From despair to glory	Eduardo de la Iglesia Nieto
Vorizo	The Marc Atkinson Trio
Light Longing	Catya Maré
The Fall	Dan Schrage
Song For Sheila	Ellsworth McMeen
Matia mou Omorfa	Lefteris Mikalis
Tribal	Tommy Osuna

R&B

Hold On	Heda Rose
Don't Leave Me	Byunchyn You & Sean Hudson
No Motion	Crystal Anderson
My Regret	Benjamin Groff, Banky Wellington & Staley Ekure
Hypnotize	Leandro Dannug
Retail	Branden Abeyta
Bedrock	Ashleigh Eymann
Show Me How You Do It	(Paul Anthony Gonzalez) Paul Anthony
Vicious Circle	Michael Rosso
Stutter	Trina Lattanzio

GOSPEL/INSPIRATIONAL

More	Raleigh Hall & Gordon Chambers
I'm Giving Up	Jamie White
Better	Nathan Brumley
Messiah	Eric Ossebaar
Holy Days	Wanda Simmons-Rue
Rise Up Lazarus	Katie Miner
Mesmerising	John Newsome
The Lions Laid Down	Dennis Nealy
I am Wordless	Tonya Poe, David Garcia, Wayne Smotherman
No More Chains	Rebekah Faith, Nick Coetzee

FOLK

Peace of Mind	Chris Volpe
I Never Sang For Noone But Myself	Tom Schreck
Lowlands	Robyn Landis
Red Shoes	Edie Carey
Town that Time Forgot	Terry Penney
No Solid Ground	Simon Spire
The Ransom	(Lisa MacIsaac & Brenley MacEachern) Madison Violet
Saturday in June	Robert Gillies
The Mistress	Hawksley Workman & Amelia Curran
Be A Man	Hawksley Workman & Justin Rutledge

Blue Mountain Whiskey Colin McCaffrey

COUNTRY

Red Dress	Brian Bonds & Paul Jolley
Jamaican Bakin'	Geoff Hammond & Dan Potvin "Nash"
Sexy Is What Sexy Does	Shirley Eikhard
Old Sam Red	Sherri Gough & Jesse Wray
It's All In How You Look At It	Kyle Level & David Banning
You Got A Hold Of Me	Jamie Delko & Eric Paslay
LIGHTHOUSE	Chaise Flanders & Doug Stokes
The Mask	Liz Miller & Randy Boudreaux
Drink You Away	Nikki Shae, Mark Zubek
Kiss My Rainy Day Away	Jenn Bostic & Charlie Hutto
Love And Only Love	Lorna Flowers & P. Barton

ENTRANTS WITH THE MOST NUMBER OF SONGS PLACED IN THE FINALS

Helle Hansen	Denmark	4 songs
Hawksley Workman	Canada	3 Songs
Sherri Gough	USA	3 Songs



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