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COUNTRY MUSIC RECORDING ARTIST

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RECORDING ARTIST / SONGWRITER

JESSIE T packs a punch – blending country sweetness with a pop-rock edge. Jessie released her FACTOR funded debut album *Reckless Heart* in September 2016 produced by award-winning producer J. Richard Hutt (**Northern Pikes, Tom Cochrane, Jamie Warren**) and her highly anticipated second studio album, *Burning Back*, in November 2023. This seven song EP, featuring tropical sassy song *I Can Be Your Margarita* as well as female power anthem *Just A Number*, was nominated for second ballot at CMAOntario awards for album of the year (2024).

Growing up in Kingston Ontario, Jessie found her roots performing at local country fair singing competitions. Since moving from Kingston to Kitchener in 2012, Jessie has been headlining venues and festivals across Ontario including **Harrow Fair, Manitoulin Country Fest, JUNO Host City Music Exchange, Trackside Music Festival** and **Kitchener Waterloo's 50th Oktoberfest**. Jessie has played alongside some of the best in Canadian country music, including **Dallas Smith, James Barker Band, Michelle Wright, Dan Davidson, Adam Gregory, Steve Wilkinson, and Beverley Mahood**. Also growing her resume as a background vocalist, Jessie is a fixture in other recording artist's band including **Jason Blaine** and Graham Scott Flemming.

Recognized for her songwriter's mind and performer's heart, Jessie has been nominated for **Country Music Association of Ontario** second ballot (Breakthrough Artist of the Year, Female Vocalist of the Year, Album of the Year (*Burning Back*), 2024), **Waterloo Record Reader's Choice Award** (Local Artist and Local Entertainer, 2020-2023), **Kitchener-Waterloo Woman of the Year** (2023), and **KIX 106 Songwriting Competition** (Winner, 2012). Jessie's music has been in rotation on **Sirius XM, CBC radio** and several other indie and BDS stations across Canada, in addition to stations in the United States, Australia, China, New Zealand and Germany.

Since 2020, Jessie has been growing her release catalogue as a writer to include singles from artists such as Jamie Warren, Amanda Kind, Katy Topham, Jake Davey, David Madras, Angelica Appelman, Peter Peres, Eric Jackson and The Griffin Brothers.

Back-home, community-minded values have always been at the centre of Jessie's career. She has been a part of local benefits for organizations such as [Bereaved Family of Waterloo Region](#), the Woman's March in Waterloo Region, [Lissard & Innisfree Hospice](#), [The Elizabeth Fry Foundation](#). She also has served on judging panels for artist development competitions including The Shot, has sat as a juror for the City of Kitchener Create and Connect Grant, as well as guested as a songwriting mentor for Kitchener Library's ImagineIt Songwriter series. Most recently, Jessie has been hosting an annual Ugly Sweater Christmas Party which has raised over a thousand dollars for Food Bank of Waterloo Region (2022-2023). She also has been an artist representing the Lullaby Project. Partnered with Carnegie Hall, Roy Thompson Hall, and Centre in the Square, this project pairs new and expectant parents with artists to write/record personal lullabies for their babies.

For more information, visit: <https://www.jessiet.ca/>

SHORT BIO

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SELECT MEDIA

[FRONT PORCH MUSIC: GET TO KNOW CANADIAN COUNTRY ARTIST JESSIE T](#)

Jenna Weishar | Front Porch Music

[NEW CANADIAN COUNTRY 89.1FM INDUSTRY 45 QUICK SPIN FEAT JESSIE T](#)

Shane Christopher Neal | Country 89

[CANADIAN BEATS - FIVE QUESTIONS WITH JESSIE T](#)

Linda Heldman | Canadian Beats

[SOCAN AND PAYMENT FOR ARTISTS' VIRTUAL PERFORMANCES](#)

The Jerry Agar Show | Newstalk 1010 Toronto

[JUNO MUSIC EXCHANGE HITS SURROUNDING CITIES](#)

The Fanshawe X

[SONGWRITERS ASSOCIATION OF CANADA : JESSIE T](#)

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[IN THE COUNTRY WITH DAVE WOODS: FEAT JESSIE T](#)

Dave Woods | Country Music Podcast

[JESSIE T: COUNTRY SWEETNESS WITH A POP EDGE](#)

Coral Andrews | Waterloo Regional Record

[COAST TO COAST CLOSEUP: JESSIE T](#)

Matt Ryan | Saskatchewan Country CJNB

[NOW AND THEN MAGAZINE: MUSIC JOURNEY PODCAST WITH JESSIE T & CARRIE DEMAAYER](#)

Kim Cyr | Now and Then Magazine

[WATERLOO REGION RECORD: READER'S CHOICE AWARDS 2021 - OFFICIAL WINNERS](#)

Waterloo Region Record

"Jessie T is at the forefront of putting Canadian country music on the map. She represents the genre and strong women in the industry with such poise and grace and extraordinary talent."

DANYA DIXON
Chief Executive Officer
Canadian Music Week

"I've known Jessie T for a number of years now. She has performed at my songwriter's series at The Moonshine Cafe and has been a guest on my podcast. She writes and sings from the heart. You feel her sincerity in her music and who she is as a person."

DAVE WOODS
Podcast Host
In The Country with Dave Woods

"What struck me most was not only her great voice but how she commanded the attention of the room. Jessie knows the commitment needed to succeed ..."

MARK MCDONNELL
FACTOR award recipient,
CCMA nominee -Ambush

"Jessie T is a brilliantly creative, resourceful and talented artist ... she is a consummate storyteller through her lyrics and melodies that make you feel her emotions in every note. True musical artistry!"

LINDA HELDMAN
Aunt Linda's Country Tale-gate
CKLU 96.7 FM

NOTEABLE PERFORMANCES

- MARCH 2024** Canadian Country Music Association of Ontario second ballot nominations (breakthrough artist, female vocalist and album of the year (*Burning Back*))
- NOV 2023** Second studio album *Burning Back* released
- OCT 2023** Nominated for The Jose Awards (USA) - Rising Star of the Year (Female), Vocalist of the Year (Female), Music Video of the Year (*I Can Be Your Margarita*)
- OCT 2023** Folk Music Ontario - Showcase
- AUG 2023** Headlined - Harrow Fair
- AUG 2023** Beaverton Lions Club - opener for James Barker Band
- OCT 2022** Oktoberfest Carl Zehr Square - featured artist
- SEPT 2022** CCMA Week Showcases - Diamonds In The Rough & All Woman Showcase
- AUG 2022** Opened for Dan Davidson - partnered with Country 105, Shelburne
- MARCH 2022** Rolling Stones - Reverberations Artist Showcase partnered with CKWR 98.5FM, Kitchener
- OCT 2021** Winner Waterloo Reader's Choice - Top 3: Local Artist & Local Entertainment
- AUG 2021** Headlined - Harmoniafest & Bestival
- MARCH 2021** Canadian Music Week - Virtual Voices Series guest speaker
- SEPT 2020** Songwriter's Association of Canada - Royal Conservatory Songbird North Series featured artist
- JUNE 2020** imagineIt - Songwriter Series partnered with Heffner Studios and Kitchener Library
- DEC 2019** Country Christmas Tour - with Steve Wilkinson, Adam Gregory, Thomas Wade & Sean Hogan
- OCT 2019** Stories & Songs Tour - with Michelle Wright, Julian Austin and Jamie Warren
- AUG 2019** Manitoulin Country Festival - opening for Paul Brandt, Jess Moskaluke, Hunter Brothers
- JULY 2019** Canada Day Festival - opening for Reklaws, Emily Reid & Jessica Mitchell
- JULY 2019** Someday JUNOS Series at Hugh's Room
- MAY 2019** Canadian Music Week Showcase
- FEB 2019** JUNOS Showcase (Kitchener & London)
- DEC 2018** Country Christmas Tour - with Sean Hogan, Thomas Wade and Steve Wilkinson
- OCT 2018** Stories & Songs Tour - with Beverly Madhood, Jamie Warren and Duane Steele
- SEPT 2018** Sang "One Drink Ago" with Dallas Smith at Kitchener-Waterloo Oktoberfest 50th Anniversary
- JULY 2018** Trackside Music Festival - winner of Home Grown Artist Showcase hosted by Country 104
- SEPT 2017** Headlined - Belmont Bestival Festival
- JULY 2017** Canada Day Festival, Kitchener - opening for James Barker Band & River Town Saints
- SEPT 2016** Debut FACTOR funded album *Reckless Heart* released





PERFORMANCE SAMPLE
HELLBOUND
MAXWELL'S CONCERT HALL 2022 | KITCHENER, ONTARIO

OFFICIAL MUSIC VIDEOS

TITLE TRACK

CLICK BELOW TO WATCH THE VIDEO



I CAN BE YOUR MARGARITA

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REMEMBER ME (LIVE)

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MAMA'S CHRISTMAS COOKIES

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MUSIC SAMPLE

Title Track
from sophomore album *Burning Back*
Written by J. Treneer, C. DeMaeyer & J. Cirillo

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RELEASES TO DATE

- 2023** *Just A Number*
Buring Back (Album)
- 2022** *I Can Be Your Margarita*
Ugly Christmas Sweater
- 2021** *Title Track*
- 2020** *Moonlight & Mistletoe*
Decorating That Tree
- 2017** *Mama's Christmas Cookies*
- 2016** *First Love KindaFeelin'*
Summertime Song
Hellbound
Meet My Crazy
Reckless Heart (Full Album)



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