



BAKERS
daughter

/aka ALYCE PLATT



Bakers Daughter (aka Alyce Platt) is Melbourne born singer-songwriter, musician, actor better known by Australian audiences for her many roles on iconic TV shows such as *Sons and Daughters* and *Sale of the Century*.

Catapulted from the suburban jungle of the 80s into a ubiquitous television career, Bakers Daughter highlights stories and observations from growing up in the suburbs to living in St. Kilda with super hero's, cowboys in the attic and the KGB.

You could say she has been moonlighting as a TV star,

but today her song writing and the calibre of musicians who come together to record and perform her music is something special.

Stumbling through obstacles of self-doubt and paranoia she is not afraid to confront the darker side of life. Her indie-pop music is a pastiche of original sounds with nostalgic themes wrapped around lyrics of love, loss, friends and strangers with a depth and melancholy that can suddenly turn around and become oblique, uplifting tunes with haunting melodies and dreamy soundscapes.

Like the artist herself, *Bakers Daughter's* songs are defiant and sophisticated. They reveal a fascination with 60s European pop, peppered with spoken word delivered in a *Gainsbourg kind of way*.

Reframing her past, *Bakers Daughter* presents her original music and artistic pursuits through the lens of the Indie-pop artist she is so highly regarded as by her peers and critics alike.

Going beyond stereotypical beliefs and smashing the flaws of perception, she brings to life, tales from her deep dark past drawing on her extensive life experiences and some of these might even be true!

2019 marks the rebirth of *Bakers Daughter* a pseudonym originally conceived by Platt back in 2000 when She first released her own songs on an EP produced by Peter Farnan (Boom Crash Opera). This sparked international interest, leading to gigs at the 'Mink' and 'The Gig' on Melrose in L.A. 2001.

Her debut album, ***Beautiful Death*** produced by **J.P Shilo** (The Hungry Ghosts) surprised critics and led to a new, burgeoning career as a songwriter and musician.

Her latest release, ***Funny Little World*** - a sophisticated blend of *dream-pop* and retro *sounds* received critical acclaim and reached a worldwide audience. Songs from both these albums comprise the soundtrack for the critically acclaimed feature documentary, ***Journey Beyond Fear*** which premiered in November 2018.

Alyce's music career has been varied and unique. She was a 12-year-old suburban girl, growing up in Ferntree Gully – in the foothills of the Dandenong Ranges, when she first began writing songs and playing guitar.

As a songwriter, Bakers Daughter delivers on her own terms. She shares fresh insights into a world of conflict, chaos and constant contradictions. Her lyrics are poignant and playful, with a keen observation on her surroundings she stumbles through obstacles of self-doubt and paranoia she is not afraid to confront the darker side of life. Her songs have a depth and melancholy that can suddenly turn around and become oblique, uplifting tunes coated in a blanket of haunting dreamscapes.

In the past Alyce has been special guest performer at many events around Australia and appeared alongside such luminaries as **Hugh Jackman**. She also toured with the Chantoozies and has performed in many of her own bands including the highly acclaimed ***Fish-shop Collective*** .

Recently Alyce provided the soundtrack to the critically acclaimed indie feature documentary ***Journey Beyond Fear*** about an Afghani refugee family.

Bakers Daughter is currently recording a new record due for release early next year. Alyce, Clare, Peter and Stephen have just returned from their successful season of shows at ***Festival of Voices*** in Hobart where they received critical acclaim.

Alyce has just returned from ***Tunisia*** where she took part in ***2019 Australian women in Arts and business delegation***. She performed with local musicians and wrote and recorded ideas for songs in a local Hammam. She plans to return at a later date to complete this exciting project.

ABOUT THE BAND...

A diverse roster of Melbourne's elite musicians who play on Alyce's recordings also feature in her stunning live band - bass player **Stephen Hadley** (Tex Perkins' Dark Horses), guitarist **Peter Farnan** (Boom Crash Opera), vibes and tuned percussionist **Clare Moore** (Dave Graney and The Coral Snakes), pianist **Bruce Haymes** (Paul Kelly), drummer **Roger Bergodaz** (Lost Ragas), violinist **Jen Anderson** (Archie Roach, You am I), trumpeter **Jack Howard** (Hunters and Collectors), and guitarist **Claude Carranza** (The Black Sorrows)

WHAT PEOPLE ARE SAYING...

" Excellent original songs performed by singer/songwriter Alyce Platt."

**** A Film Life

*" Made with a **haunting soundtrack** by Melbourne musician, Alyce Platt...it smashes stereotypes about refugees."*

The Age - Carolyn Webb

*"Extraordinary talent..Alyce's **original songs enhances the film** throughout...her voice both powerful and hypnotic...emotionally resonates."*

Robyn Hughan – Journey Beyond Fear director

*"Alyces songs are **special**..thoroughly **bewitched** by the **wonderful music** and the door it opened into a very cool and groovy world"*

Steve Kilbey- The Church

*" Platt exudes rare **star quality**"*

***** - Theatre People

*"Platt -indie chanteuse, expressive singer and **clever** pop songwriter."*

Jeff Jenkins–ABC, 3RRR

*"Seriously smoldering..**superb**"*

Basement Discs- Melbourne

*"Her version of "Summertime" and 'Total Control' are also **brilliant**"*

Catherine Lambert - Herald Sun

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— *Rolling Stone*

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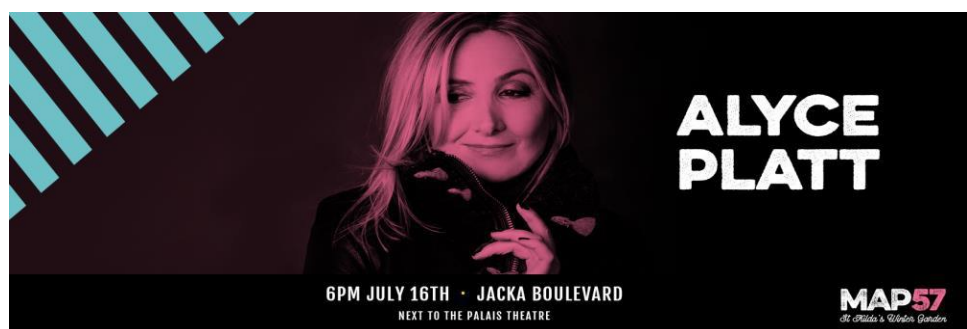


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Funny Little World
Alyce Platt in concert
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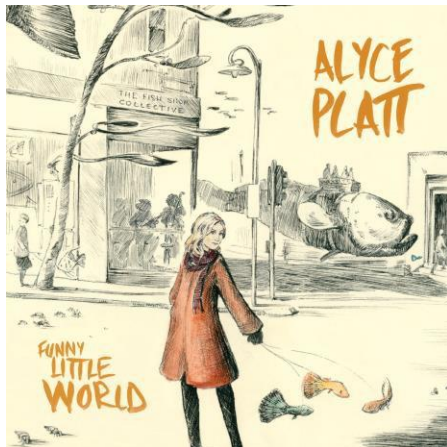
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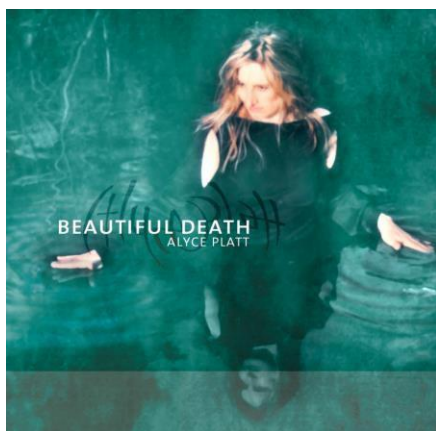
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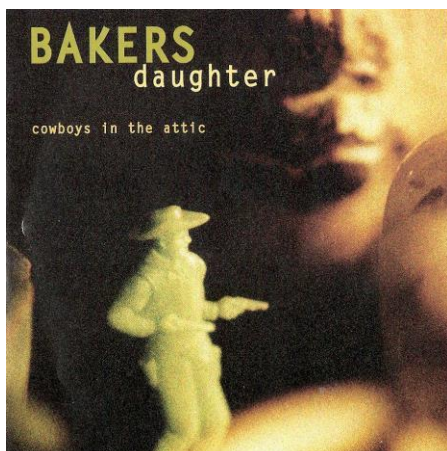
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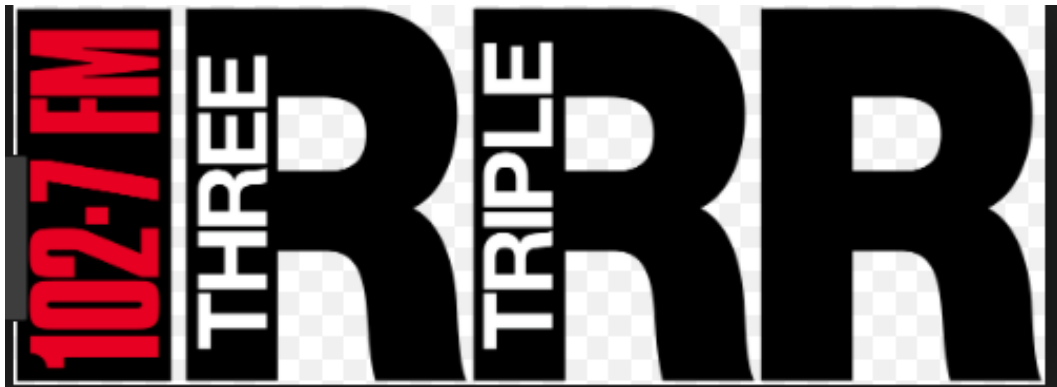
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