

RANDALL LEE RICHARDS – NEW SINGLE “WHILE YOU WERE SLEEPING”

Release Date: January 29th/2018



ARTIST INFORMATION

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Name of Single: While You Were Sleeping

Genre: Country/Rock

Hometown: Nashville, TN. USA

Influences: Keith Urban, Thomas Rhett, Sam Hunt

Production/ Mixing: Stacy Hogan

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Directed By: Ryan Slaydon

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BIOGRAPHY

Paradise is defined as “an ideal or idyllic place or state,” and there is no better way to describe the life and career of Randall Lee Richards. The singer/songwriter from Nashville, TN, USA, reached a brand-new level of popularity with his hit 2017 single “A Paradise Life”.

Added to over 1,000 Country radio stations, Randall quickly found his audience across, not only America, but the entire world. A viral hit, the beautiful lyric video went viral on YouTube and elsewhere. Climbing to #49 on Music Row, #66 on Billboard's country indicator chart, and #1 for 5 weeks on New Music Weekly's country chart; Randall achieved nominations for both *New Country Artist Of The Year*, and *Country Cross Over Artist Of The Year*.

In Australia, Randall's music has been heartily embraced by radio and music fans alike. The two largest radio networks in Australia began playing "A Paradise Life" on over 200 stations and welcomed his second single "I Can't Remember To Forget"; which received even more airplay, helping him gain an even larger fan base in 2017.

A true musicians-musician, Randall has the love for creating music running through his veins. The Birmingham, AL native recalls the exact moment when he realized music would be his life's work. “I was five years old. I remember seeing someone singing on TV. The way he sang and moved with the music, and the crowd's reaction made me think “That's what I'm going to do!”

With his demo in hand, the 12-year old Richards convinced his older brother to drive him to Nashville, in the hopes of making his dream come true. The two walked up and down Nashville's famed Music Row, knocking on doors until the young artist scored his first record deal – it took all of one day! In, what could only be considered lightning speed in Nashville, Richards recorded his first single within a month of signing his deal.

As an artist, Richards has performed on some of the world's most acclaimed stages including The Roxy and The Troubadour, yet, his greatest success has come as a songwriter, penning tracks for some incredible artists, in both, Country and Pop. As a Sony/ATV Music writer, his songs have been recorded over one hundred times around the world, selling millions of copies, and achieving great success. Randall had the distinct honor of being mentored by some of music's most legendary icons, including Neil Diamond, Charlie Daniels and Elton John. “I am humbled by all those who have taken the time to work with me, inspire me, and encourage me along my journey,” says Richards.

Today, Richards is moving at warp speed with his music, writing a least one song every couple of weeks. “These are really killer songs which are surprising me. I am in my most creative space right now, more than any other time in my life,” explains Richards. He finished recording 14 new songs in Nashville for his upcoming album *A Heartbreak in the Making* that is due out in mid-2018!

He is accrediting his cutting-edge sound to the new musical influences of Keith Urban, Carrie Underwood, Thomas Rhett, Mc Climonts, Cam and Florida/Georgia Line among others. “My hope with my music is to always touch people's emotions with my stories, and to give them melodies that they can't get out of their heads,” he explains.

Randall Lee Richards is eager to see what the next chapter in his career holds, stating, “God has a destiny for me that I haven't yet fulfilled.”

Watch for Randall in 2018 as he gears up to do a press and radio tour of Australia in April/May. U.S. concerts to be announced soon.

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ACCOLADES

*Last year Richards had tremendous success worldwide with his singles “A Paradise Life” and “I can’t remember to forget” garnering airplay on KIX, and Flow networks in Australia, and over 1,000 radio stations around the world. He was one of only 22 artists in the world to be inducted into the prestigious CMA (Country Music Association). In addition, New Music Weekly magazine nominated him as new artist of the year, and cross over artist of the year for 2017.

*As a Sony/ATV songwriter, his songs have sold over 12 million copies.

*His single “A Paradise Life” was played nearly 100,000 spins on over 1,000 stations worldwide.

*“A Paradise Life” got over 60,000 streams.

*Both “A Paradise Life” and “I can’t remember to forget” singles were played heavily on over 200 stations in Australia, including the 2 largest country radio networks (Flow and KIX Country) with over 100 stations in those networks combined.

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