

Roachford releases new single and announces rescheduled tour dates

British singer, songwriter and musician Roachford releases 'Gonna Be The One' from his forthcoming album 'Twice In A Lifetime'.



Listen to 'Gonna Be The One' <u>HERE</u> 'Twice In A Lifetime', released September 11, 2020 on BMG, is available to pre-order <u>HERE</u>

Premiered today (July 29th) on Ken Bruce's BBC Radio 2 show, the single release coincides with the announcement that Roachford's UK tour will now take place in May and June 2021, with an additional show added in Edinburgh. Andrew Roachford MBE will also be performing at Isle Of Wight Festival 2021 as well as joining Lionel Richie for concerts at Wrexham Racecourse and Cardiff Castle next summer. Andrew is also delighted to have become a patron of Music Venue Trust, the charity that supports hundreds of grassroots music venues in the UK.

Andrew explains "I can't wait to get back out to play live again. It means everything to me. It's also why I'm thrilled to become a patron on the Music Venue Trust. I have always loved playing at the smaller venues around the UK and I often prefer seeing bands and artist play at the more intimate venues. This is often where most artists start so without these venues music in the UK will not continue to thrive"

Recent months have seen Andrew performing his classic hit Cuddly Toy with Gary Barlow for <u>Gary's YouTube Crooner Sessions</u>, as well as sharing the impressive 'Dean Street Sessions', performed with his band, on YouTube.

Love Remedy: <u>WATCH</u>
High On Love: <u>WATCH</u>
Human (Rag 'n' Bone Man cover): <u>WATCH</u>

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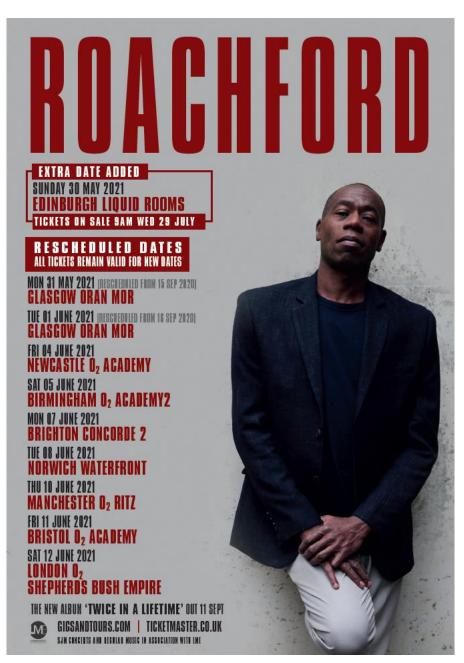
'Twice in a Lifetime' was originally due for release in April, but will now be available on September 11, 2020 via BMG. The album had been receiving critical acclaim, and the singles 'High on Love' and 'Love Remedy' were heavily playlisted by BBC Radio 2.

Andrew Roachford has enjoyed success for over 30 years, with hits including 'Cuddly Toy' and 'Only To Be With You', ten solo albums, songwriting credits for artists including Chaka Khan and Joss Stone, and is a member of Mike Rutherford's Mike + the Mechanics. In 2019, he was awarded an MBE for services to music.

"Twice In A Lifetime' has been a hugely satisfying album for him to make. "With it, I finally get to showcase just who I am - an artist, a songwriter, a pianist," says Andrew. "I never wanted to be a fleeting popstar chasing momentary fame; I've always been in this for the music and for the long haul – and I'm still here!"



The album, full of grit and the most tremendous sonic energy, is produced by Jimmy Hogarth, who has previously worked with Paolo Nutini, Duffy and Amy Winehouse, and features several members of Winehouse's band and a powerful duet with 'Queen of British soul' Beverley Knight.



Roachford 2021 tour dates:

Sunday 30th May - Edinburgh Liquid Rooms *NEW DATE* on sale 9am 29th July ticketmaster.co.uk

Monday 31st May - Glasgow Oran Mor

Tuesday 1st June - Glasgow Oran Mor

Friday 4th June - Newcastle Academy

Saturday 5th June - Birmingham Academy 2

Monday 7th June - Brighton Concorde

Tuesday 8th June - Norwich Waterfront

Thursday 10th June - Manchester Ritz

Friday 11th June – Bristol Academy

Saturday 12th June - London Shepherds Bush Empire

All tickets remain valid for new dates

New tickets available at https://roachford.lnk.to/uktour2020



Thursday 3rd June - Wrexham Racecourse with Lionel Ritchie.

Saturday 19th June - Isle of Wight Festival

Sunday 1st August – Cardiff Castle with Lionel Ritchie

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'Twice In A Lifetime' tracklisting

- 1. High On Love
- 2. Love Remedy
- 3. Too Much To Lose
- 4. Give It Up And Let It Go
- 5. What We Had feat Beverley Knight
- 6. Won't Think Twice
- 7. So Long
- 8. Are You Satisfied?
- 9. The Truth Hurts Too Much
- 10. Gonna Be The One
- 11. Once In A Lifetime
- 12. Written In My Heart
- 13. You're The One

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