

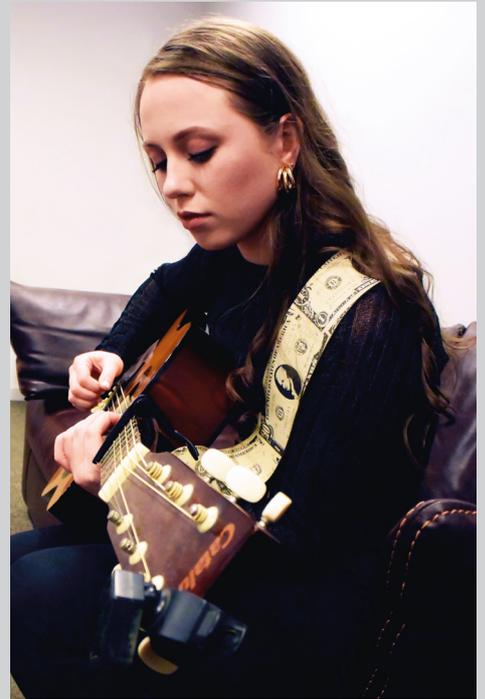
## ELAINE DORLEN

Elaine Dorlen is a young upcoming Dutch singer-songwriter. During her performance she accompanies herself on acoustic guitar. Her unique and sweet sound is mainly inspired by today's pop music. Each song that she plays has a distinctive and individual sound that grabs the attention of every audience. When Elaine is on stage she takes you on a journey through life with her songs along with her delicate and sensitive voice. She has written many songs in Dutch and English and even though they are in different languages they are equally outstanding and amazing. Elaine has already performed at various festivals and stages, such as the Burgerweeshuis in Deventer and Metropool Hengelo and Enschede. She always says "I love performing on a stage, it just feels natural".

Let's take a few steps back to when her interest in music started. Elaine grew up in a musical environment. Her parents have always encouraged her to explore her interests and music lit a fire within her. Ever since Elaine was 4-years old her father (René Elenbaas), who's also a songwriter and musician, brought her to studios such as the Rooftop studio of Edwin van Hoevelaak. In this studio many hits are being made from Dutch artists like Anderé Hazes jr, Nick and Simon and Jeroen Van Der Boom of which the production was in the hands of Gordon Groothedde. It didn't stop at visiting studios. From a young age Elaine also went to jam sessions where she performed together with her father on a guitar. Even as a child she was never bothered by stage fright, "The more the merrier". This mindset has stayed with her. At the age of 8 she took classical piano lessons and when she was 12 she passed her A1 piano degree exam. For this exam she composed and performed her first piece of classical music. She was 15 years old when she picked up the guitar and started to develop her talent for singing and performing on a bigger scale.

Now she lets an entire hall sing along enthusiastically with her guitar and her extraordinary songs. Elaine also has the ability to make it very intimate and move you with her warm and angelic voice. The effort and love she puts in every one of her performances makes all of them special and unique. You just can't help but stay and listen. It is very clear that she belongs on a stage. Currently Elaine Dorlen is following the AMP musician / producer training in Rhooon, where she specializes in songwriting, composing and arranging music, in order to fully shape her own sound and musical identity. Her music is inspired by: Tori Kelly, Adele, Anne-Marie, Ed Sheeran and Paul Sinha. All these amazing artists influence Elaine's sweet music / light pop music style. You can define her music style as radio friendly and romantic pop music.

When Elaine is not performing on a stage she is hard at work writing and recording new songs for her first EP. The plan is to release them as singles throughout the year of 2021. You can follow Elaine Dorlen on this musical journey through her social media or her mailing list. In the meantime feel free to check her out at one of her upcoming performances. Expect to hear a lot more from her in the near future. Stay tuned.



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