

JOSH ROSS BIO

MCA/Universal Music Canada artist **JOSH ROSS** is a global force; a next-generation talent who's anything but standard. On an unconventional path of his own design, Ross pairs a dark and mellow blast of modern country with a warm vocal rasp and rock inclinations, heart-on-his-sleeve songwriting and addictive hooks that heed no borders.

Pulling influences ranging from Guns N' Roses and Metallica to country-rock outlaw Steve Earle, the former collegiate football player has leveraged his knack for emotional song craft into a series of certified hits. His dusky power ballad "Trouble" earned RIAA Gold certification, and introduced what would become his 2024, 8-song admission, *Complicated*. The project earned Ross his first-ever JUNO Award in 2025 for Country Album of the Year, a co-writer on seven of its tracks. Canada-born and Nashville-based, Ross has earned over ONE BILLION career streams and has been hailed as an "Artist to Watch" by Spotify, Amazon Music, Pandora, Music Row, the Grand Ole Opry, and more.

Touring alongside hard-rocking, cross-genre superstars like Nickelback, Brantley Gilbert, Bailey Zimmerman, Luke Bryan, and Jelly Roll, Ross recently celebrated his first US #1 single at country radio with the bold barroom anthem "Single Again," which topped the charts in late July. He also just impacted on his follow up single "Hate How You Look," which garnered the support of 70 first week reporting radio stations on add date.

In addition to celebrating the release of his debut, 15 track album, *Later Tonight*, Ross was just awarded Five Canadian Country Music Association Awards, including *Entertainer of the Year* for the second consecutive year.