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## GOTEE RECORDS' TERRIAN GRABS FIRST NO. 1 WITH "LIGHT IT UP"

Wrapped Up Her Appearance On TobyMac's 2021 Hits Deep Tour, Performing To More Than 40,000 People In 15 Markets



**24 March 2021 - Franklin, TN -** Gotee Records is proud to announce that powerhouse vocalist and songwriter **Terrian** just grabbed her first No. 1 radio single this week with "<u>Light It Up</u>." The song is featured on Terrian's debut EP, <u>Genesis of Terrian</u>, which released a month ago.

Hitting the top spot on Billboard's Christian Hot AC/CHR chart, "Light It Up" was co-written by Terrian, GabeReal of TobyMac's DiverseCity Band, and Darren Mulligan and Kyle Williams of We Are Messengers. Mulligan and William also produced the EP.

"Terrian is special, unusually special," shares Darren Mulligan. "Getting to co-write and produce this with my brother Kyle Williams was nothing less than beautiful. This is just the start for Terrian and I'm just privileged to be along for the ride."

Brad Moist, Sr. A&R/Brand Manager and Radio Director for Gotee Records says, "We are so grateful for the support from Christian radio for Terrian. She represents everything that Gotee stands for and why the label was created, which was to champion and support young artists who represent the entirety of humanity. We can't thank the Hot AC/CHR stations enough who played this song and for being supporters of Terrian because it means much more than just a No. 1."

The song "<u>Stayed On Him (Isaiah 26:3)</u>," which is also featured on *Genesis of Terrian*, is reaching broader audiences across the CCM and Gospel genres. The song can be heard on many of their biggest playlists including Spotify's Fresh Gospel and Top Christian, Pandora's Today's Christian Hits and New Gospel Now, Gospel Chill, Women In Gospel, as well as AppleMusic's Gospel Flow. Additionally, the music video for the song has amassed more than half a million views in just three weeks.

The popular magazine *American Songwriter* featured Terrian around the release of her EP, taking a deeper look into her method of writing songs. She shared with the magazine, "When it's honest, truthful and is your story...nobody can sing that like you can. It's important for me to be vulnerable, and be honest about how I'm feeling, where tension lies in my life." Be sure to check out the full story <u>here</u>.



Terrian has spent the past month on TobyMac's Hits Deep Tour, playing 18 shows in 15 cities to more than 40,000 people. Performing with the Diverse City band, she was also able to share a few songs from the EP, which was recently touted by GRAMMY Award®-winning Gospel music artist Erica Campbell who shared "Let's support Kingdom music!"

Making a huge impact since she joined TobyMac's Diverse City band in 2017 and then signing with Gotee, it was announced this past January that Terrian was the only Christian & Gospel artist selected as one of Pandora's Artists to Watch in 2021. She is one of just two Christian & Gospel artists to be featured in the last five years.



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Official video for "Light It Up"

**ABOUT TERRIAN:** A familiar face to concertgoers, Terrian joined TobyMac's Diverse City band in 2017. She was born and raised in Memphis, TN where she has rooted herself in community and mentorship being part of AngelStreet Memphis, an organization that mentors girls through musical training in areas with limited artistic opportunities while empowering them to understand their value, discover their purpose, and become creative leaders. Over the last four years, she has developed her own unique style and sound with songs such as "God With Us," "In The Arms" and "Let Love Lead." She has also been featured on songs with TobyMac, Matt Maher, Stu G, Jordan Feliz, Building 429, and labelmates Aaron Cole and Jon Reddick.



In 2020 Terrian released "Let Love Lead," which was featured by Spotify in their Black Lives Matter playlist, she was one of just two Christian & Gospel artists to have their music featured. The song amassed over four million streams on Spotify in just ten months and received the highest single day Spotify stream record for any Gotee artist that year. Also in 2020 Terrian co-hosted the Dove Awards Pre-Telecast with Ellie Holcolmb

and performed a special Christmas music for the GMA's #LoveGoesViral Christmas Concert Series.

To find out more, visit her website, <u>iamterrian.com</u>, as well as her social links below.



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