



The Boneshakers To Release Highly Anticipated 11th Studio Album, "Live To Be This"

SAINT LOUIS, MO – April 1st, 2025 - The Boneshakers are back with **"Live To Be This"**, their 11th studio album and their most electrifying release to date, dropping on **July 18, 2025**, via renowned Blues Label Gulf Coast Records! Pre-Order now available at www.officialboneshakers.com on Digital, CD, & Vinyl formats. This album brings the band's signature Blues, Soul & Rock energy to soaring new heights, fueled by the powerhouse vocals of Jenny Langer and the masterful guitar work of Randy Jacobs of Was (Not Was).

The pair recently signed to Gulf Coast Records and have this to say: "This album is a love letter to the music that shaped us, gritty, soulful, and alive. In a world of digital perfection, *Live To Be This* is all about real musicians playing with feeling, and we couldn't be more excited to have some of our favorite artists joining in on the fun as special guests." – Jenny Langer. "Little did I know that Jenny and I would find ourselves in such great company via Mike Zito's very cool Gulf Coast Records. Just beautiful, positive energy pouring from all involved, living for music and the musicians. A great new home for the Boneshakers! - Randy Jacobs

The new album follows the band's previous chart-topping success with "One Foot In The Groove", which dominated the US Soul Blues radio charts and reached #1 on the UK Blues radio charts. "Live To Be This" vows to bring a raw, electrifying energy that harks back to the band's original sound, fueled by the emotive vocals of Jenny Langer, who joined as lead vocalist in 2020. Langer, an International Blues Challenge (IBC) winner (Best CD), brings her powerhouse vocals to the forefront, delivering standout performances across every track. Fans won't have to wait long for a taste of the album, the first single, **"I'll Kick A Brick (For My Man)"**, drops on **April 25, 2025**, followed by the second single, **"Salty"**, featuring three-time Grammy winner Bobby Rush, on **June 6, 2025**.

Expertly produced by John Wooler, the visionary behind their '90s breakout on Virgin Records *"Book of Spells"*. This album is a soulful journey through originals penned by Jacobs and Langer and reimagined tributes to iconic artists like Screaming Jay Hawkins, Betty Davis, Iggy Pop, Jimmy Hall and Ike & Tina Turner.

The album features an all-star lineup of special guests, including Blues harpist Charlie Musselwhite, Grammy-winning producer/ bassist Don Was, guitarist Coco Montoya, Grammy-winning Saxophonist Jimmy Carpenter, John "Papa" Gros, and Ron Holloway.

"Live To Be This" is a celebration of The Boneshakers' legacy and their fearless future, symbolising the band's mastery of combining Detroit soul with the musical influences of Memphis and Muscle Shoals, a sound that has earned them a loyal following. Don't miss out. *Live To Be This* is sure to bring the groove, the grit, and the soul to your record collection.



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Album Highlights

I'll Kick A Brick (For My Man) – Featuring a horn section with Ron Holloway (sax), Joe Sublett (sax), and Mark Pender (trumpet).

They Say I'm Different – A powerful funk anthem with brass-heavy arrangements.

How Do You Spell Love? – A driving, energetic soul blues dance track.

I Need Somebody – A gritty blues cover featuring harmonica from Mark Pender and brass from Joe Sublett.

Dobro Jones (Delta Mix) – A slide dobro-driven jam, with Randy Jacobs and Langer sharing vocals.

Evil No More – A hard-hitting blues anthem with guest Charlie Musselwhite.

I Am The Cool – A groovy, upright bass-driven track with a fiery trumpet solo.

Salty – A memorable duet with blues legend Bobby Rush and Jenny Langer.

Don't Deny Me – Featuring guitar solos from Coco Montoya and sax solos from Jimmy Carpenter.

Tears Of The World – A heartfelt blues ballad with a standout brass section.

Ain't Good Enough For Me – Funky, fierce, and unapologetically bold.

Full Album Track list

1. I'll Kick A Brick (For My Man)
2. They Say I'm Different
3. How Do You Spell Love
4. I Need Somebody
5. Dobro Jones (Delta Mix)
6. Evil No More *ft Charlie Musselwhite*
7. I Am The Cool *ft Don Was*
8. Here I Am
9. Salty *Ft Bobby Rush*
10. Don't Deny Me *ft Jimmy Carpenter and Coco Montoya*
11. Took A Trip
12. Tears of the World
13. Ain't Good Enough For Me
14. Dobro Jones (Low Country Mix)
15. The Cake and the Candle

About The Boneshakers

The Boneshakers have been a musical force for over 27 years, with a unique blend of Detroit rock, Memphis soul, and Muscle Shoals R&B. Throughout the band's lengthy career, they have collaborated with legends such as Bonnie Raitt, BB King, Stevie Wonder, Aretha Franklin, and Iggy Pop. The Boneshakers' most recent album debuted at number one on the US Soul Blues and UK Blues radio charts, and they still continue to surprise fans across the world.