

Zach Norman

Guitar/Voice/Songwriting Coach

From the beginning Zach's childhood was surrounded by music. With his mom teaching piano lessons out of their home and receiving his first electric guitar at the age of 7, he gained an interest in music at a young age. He liked music like anyone else, but it wasn't until the age of 10 when one of his friends had a drum set in his basement, and it clicked with him immediately. Music became his passion. During these years, skateboard and rock culture defined his interests and soon, music is all he wanted to do.

The beginning stages of creative expression started with his first garage band that was a fusion of classic rock and pop/punk, with influences such as Led Zeppelin, Rush, Sum 41, and Blink 182. It was through this band that he started writing songs and sang lead vocals from the drum kit. Increasingly and on a daily basis, he would walk into his sister's room while she was playing guitar and would imitate what she was playing. Most of his time in middle school and early high school were largely spent on his screamo, hardcore, and metalcore bands while still being involved in youth worship and his various musical outlets at school.

From the age of 12 to 22, Zach would experience a season of his life that he had no idea would redefine and refine him in the way that it did. At a key point during this time, Zach was experiencing a major transition with his family. One specific night, he had a spiritual encounter that changed his life and would forever change the way he played and wrote music. Still being inspired by a variety of genres, and being involved in various musical outlets, his primary investment into youth worship started taking over most of his energy and time, which would lead to the investment of his professional career in music.

After his time at Liberty University and in the first four years of his career, he has now

spent 16 years investing into music with the following experience:

- 4 years of private drum kit and snare instruction
- 3 years of concert band (percussion)
- 3 years of jazz band (drum set)
- 1 year of symphonic band (percussion)
- 2 years of wind symphony (percussion)
- 2 years of marching band (1 year of bass 3, 1 year of marching snare)
- 1 year of indoor drumline (marching snare)
- 2 years of collegiate voice instruction
- 2 years of collegiate guitar instruction
- 3 years of collegiate music theory
- 8 years of studio vocals
- 14 years of guitar (electric and acoustic)
- 14 years of vocals
- 14 years of songwriting

ACCOMPLISHMENTS

So far Zach...

- has coached for Rooted Music Coaching in the areas of guitar, voice, ukulele, songwriting, choir classes, band classes, and producing for 3 years
- has started Atlanta Creative House, a company in partnership with Rooted Music Coaching, focusing on songwriting and artist development
- is currently studying voice under world renown Jan Smith "who partner[s] with more chart-topping artists than any producer or coach in the business." [Vocal coach of Justin Bieber, Usher, Drake, and more]
- is currently producing for independent artists
- is currently working on his first full-length album launching as a pop artist
- has sung as a background vocalist for artists such as Chris Tomlin, David Crowder, Christy Nockels, Matt Redman, Kristian Stanfill, Brett Younker, Melodie Malone, and Jimi Cravity at Passion Conference for 2 years
- has led worship for Passion Camp for 2 years
- has been singing as a worship leader for Passion City Church for 3 years

- sang as a worship leader for North Point Ministries for 5 years
- has sung at over 160 venues, camps, and churches in the U.S.
- co-produced Seventy-One's album "We Now Stand Redeemed" (a Liberty University band)

CREDITS

—SONGWRITING & PUBLISHING—

2017

- "Steady" through ZKN Music with artist GAWVI
- "Feel It" through ZKN Music with artist GAWVI
- "Focus" through ZKN Music with artist Long Hollow WAVE
- "I am Found, I am Free" through ZKN Music and Word Publishing with artist Gateway Worship
- "Land and Sky" through ZKN Music with artist Dezi Martin
- "Breathe" through ZKN Music with artist Dezi Martin
- "Worth" through ZKN Music with artist Dezi Martin
- "Journey" through ZKN Music with artist Dezi Martin
- "You Stay" through ZKN Music with artist Dezi Martin
- "Lost" through ZKN Music with artist Dezi Martin

2015

- "All For You" through ZKN Music with artist Long Hollow WAVE

2014

- "Viral" through ZKN Music with artist Brandon Sharp

2013

- "Only Boast" through Red Tie Music with artists: Liberty's Campus Band, Charles Billingsley, Zach Norman
- "Until the End" through ZKN Music with artist Zach Norman
- "Power of the Blood" through ZKN Music with artist Zach Norman

“Confidence” through ZKN Music with artist Zach Norman

“Proof” through ZKN Music with artist Zach Norman

“Father of Glory” through ZKN Music with artist Zach Norman

—SONGS ZACH IS FEATURED ON—

2017

“Steady” with artist Gawvi feat. Zach Norman

“All Time” Winshape Camps feat. Zach Norman

“Even Louder” Word Worship feat. Zach Norman- releasing late 2017

2013

“Our Only Boast” with artist Zach Norman

“Until the End” with artist Zach Norman

“Power of the Blood” with artist Zach Norman

“Confidence” with artist Zach Norman

“Proof” with artist Zach Norman

“Father of Glory” with artist Zach Norman