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Ayla Schafer

**Genre** – ‘World- folk Singer Songwriter’

*'This soulful songstress will astound you with her stunning vocal prowess and captivating presence. A deeply evocative sound that enchants and inspires beauty’*

– Ben Howard (Winner of Brit award ‘solo male artist’ 2013)

*"The wisdom of Mother Earth is clearly channeling through Schafer, and just as our mother is, this music is also stunning."*

-Chalked up Reviews 2018

Biography (Short)

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Ayla Schafer is a multi-lingual ‘world folk’ singer-songwriter and a visionary musical artist weaving together a stunning repertoire of original poetic songs with traditional and tribal music, her music expressing a passionate dedication to earth consciousness and the sacred ancient wisdoms.

With a growing international presence she has become known as ‘A voice of the Earth’ and is powerful sound in the world of ‘ceremonial/medicine music’ and the rising global community of people who are committed to residing in harmony with the Earth. To experience the essence of this young songstress is to be taken down an enchanting musical journey that ultimately leads us back to the very core of our own inner existence.

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Biography (Long)

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With a growing presence she is a powerful voice in the world of ‘Ceremonial/medicine music’ and the rising global community of people who are committed to residing in harmony with the Earth. Ayla’s music has taken her around the world with her live performances that provide a sacred, intimate, heart-opening space for all who are present. This artist sings the song of the spirit and embodies the tales she tells, expressing a music that reverberates with deep heart, wisdom and soul. To experience the essence of this young songstress is to be taken down a musical journey that ultimately leads us back to the very core of our own inner existence.

Gigging from the age of 16, she has become a well known name across the UK festival scene. Her first collaboration was with Brit award winner Ben Howard and performing as folk-soul duo ‘Susie Ro and Ayla’.

The turning point in Ayla’s musical expression took place six years ago when she went travelling in South America. The years she spent away from her home shook her world and reshaped her writing as she explored the mystery of the inner landscape whilst learning with many indigenous traditions and learning about the healing power of song.  This deep soul quest unveiled a new depth and honesty, inspiring her compositions to express the beauty, shadow and rawness of this human experience woven with a passionate dedication to earth consciousness and the sacred ancient wisdoms.

 In 2017 Ayla co-produced and released her Debut Album ‘Dive into water’.

The album reveals an authentic and heartfelt journey of light, courage, depth, and truth. The crystalline purity of her angelic voice is held intimately by a vivid soundscape of an eclectic array of instruments. The track ‘Vuela con el Viento’ caught the wind of many hearts and has been broadcast globally with over 6 million listens on YouTube. Ayla currently lives in Switzerland with upcoming tours in America, Holland and has been invited to play at festivals around the world in Summer 2018.

Ayla is a passionate carrier of traditional songs and indigenous wisdom with a vision to inspire others to find their soul expression, inner guidance and earth ancestral connection using the power of sound and voice. She expresses her vision through her music, spiritual ceremonies, Workshops/Retreats, Women’s ‘Womb initiation’ work, one -to-one voice coaching, Drum Reiki, Sound Healing and Cacao ceremonies.

**Tech Spec**

1 Guitar DI

1 Vox Mic

1 Instrument Mic

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