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Katy Perry

Katheryn Elizabeth Hudson (born October 25, 1984), known professionally as Katy Perry, is an American singer, songwriter, and television personality. She - Katheryn Elizabeth Hudson (born October 25, 1984), known professionally as Katy Perry, is an American singer, songwriter, and television personality. She is one of the best-selling music artists in history, having sold over 151 million records worldwide. Perry is known for her influence on pop music and her camp style, being dubbed the "Queen of Camp" by *Vogue* and *Rolling Stone*. The world's highest-paid female musician in 2015 and 2018, *Billboard* named her one of the greatest pop stars of the 21st century.

At 16, Perry released a gospel album titled *Katy Hudson* (2001) under Red Hill Records, which was unsuccessful. She moved to Los Angeles at 17 to venture into secular music, and later adopted her stage name from her mother's maiden name. Perry recorded an album while signed to Columbia Records, but was dropped before signing to Capitol Records. She rose to fame with *One of the Boys* (2008), a pop rock album containing her debut single "I Kissed a Girl" and follow-up single "Hot n Cold", which reached number one and three on the U.S. *Billboard* Hot 100 respectively.

Perry's disco-influenced pop record *Teenage Dream* (2010) became the only album by a female artist to spawn five U.S. number-one singles: "California Gurls", "Teenage Dream", "Firework", "E.T.", and "Last Friday Night (T.G.I.F.)". Its reissue, subtitled *The Complete Confection* (2012), produced the U.S. number-one single "Part of Me". The dance-inspired *Prism* (2013) spawned two U.S. number-one singles, "Roar" and "Dark Horse", with their respective music videos making Perry the first artist to have multiple videos reach one billion views on Vevo and YouTube. Afterwards, she released the albums *Witness* (2017), *Smile* (2020) and *143* (2024) to varying critical and commercial success.

Four of Perry's songs have received diamond certifications from the Recording Industry Association of America (RIAA). Her accolades include a *Billboard* Spotlight Award, four Guinness World Records, five *Billboard* Music Awards, five American Music Awards, a Brit Award, a Juno Award, and the Michael Jackson Video Vanguard Award. Apart from music, she released an autobiographical documentary titled *Katy Perry: Part of Me* in 2012, voiced Smurfette in *The Smurfs* film series (2011–2013), and launched her own shoe line *Katy Perry Collections* in 2017. Perry served as a judge on *American Idol* from the sixteenth season in 2018 to the twenty-second season in 2024. With an estimated net worth of \$350 million, she is one of the world's wealthiest musicians.

Katy, Texas

Katy is a city in the U.S. state of Texas. It is in the Greater Katy area, itself forming the western part of the Greater Houston metropolitan area. Homes - Katy is a city in the U.S. state of Texas. It is in the Greater Katy area, itself forming the western part of the Greater Houston metropolitan area. Homes and businesses may have Katy postal addresses without being in the City of Katy. The city of Katy is approximately centered at the tripoint of Harris, Fort Bend, and Waller counties. The population was 21,894 at the 2020 census.

First formally settled in the mid-1890s, Katy was a railroad town along the Missouri–Kansas–Texas (MKT) Railroad which ran parallel to U.S. Route 90 (today Interstate 10) into downtown Houston. Katy obtained its name when the MKT Railroad dropped its Missouri waypoint and the junction became known as the KT stop. The fertile floodplain of Buffalo Bayou, which has its source near Katy, and its tributaries made Katy and other communities in the surrounding prairie an attractive location for rice farming. Beginning in the 1960s, the rapid growth of Houston moved westward along the new Interstate 10 corridor, bringing Katy into its environs. Today, Katy lies at the center of a broader area known as Greater Katy, which has become heavily urbanized.

While largely subsumed into Greater Houston, the town of Katy is still notable for Katy Mills Mall, Katy High School's football dominance (eight state-championships), and its historic town square along the former right-of-way of the MKT railroad.

### Katy Louise Saunders

Katy Louise Saunders (born on July 21, 1984) is an English–Colombian former actress who was mainly active in Italy. Saunders was born in London, England - Katy Louise Saunders (born on July 21, 1984) is an English–Colombian former actress who was mainly active in Italy.

### Katy Mixon

Katy Mixon (born March 30, 1981) is an American actress and model. She began her career playing supporting roles in films such as *The Quiet* (2005), *Four* - Katy Mixon (born March 30, 1981) is an American actress and model. She began her career playing supporting roles in films such as *The Quiet* (2005), *Four Christmases* (2008), and *State of Play* (2009), before landing the female leading role in the HBO comedy series *Eastbound & Down* (2009–2013).

From 2010 to 2016, Mixon starred as Victoria Flynn, sister to Melissa McCarthy's character, on the CBS sitcom *Mike & Molly*. She had dramatic parts in films *Take Shelter* (2011), *Drive Angry* (2011), and *Hell or High Water* (2016), and did voice-over work in television with *The Looney Tunes Show* (2011–2013) and *Big Hero 6: The Series* (2018–2019), and in film with *Minions* (2015). From 2016 to 2021, Mixon starred as Katie Otto, the lead character in the ABC sitcom *American Housewife*.

### Katy O'Brian

Katy M. O'Brian is an American actress. She is best known for her roles as bodybuilder Jackie in *Love Lies Bleeding*, Imperial communications officer Elia - Katy M. O'Brian is an American actress. She is best known for her roles as bodybuilder Jackie in *Love Lies Bleeding*, Imperial communications officer Elia Kane in the second and third seasons of *The Mandalorian*, George in Syfy's zombie show *Z Nation*, Major Sara Grey in The CW's superhero series *Black Lightning*, Kimball in *Agents of S.H.I.E.L.D.*, Jentorra in *Ant-Man and the Wasp: Quantumania* and Kodiak in *Mission: Impossible – The Final Reckoning*.

### 143 (Katy Perry album)

143 is the seventh studio album by American singer Katy Perry. It was released on September 20, 2024, through Capitol Records. The album title represents - 143 is the seventh studio album by American singer Katy Perry. It was released on September 20, 2024, through Capitol Records. The album title represents the phrase "I love you", and is also Perry's symbolic "angel number".

Aiming to create a "dance party" album, Perry worked with previous collaborators Max Martin, Dr. Luke, and Stargate, while also approaching first-time collaborators Vaughn Oliver and Rocco Did It Again!. 143

features guest appearances from German singer Kim Petras and American rappers 21 Savage, Doechii and JID. Three singles preceded the album's release: "Woman's World", released as the lead single on July 11, 2024, peaked at number 63 on the US Billboard Hot 100, number 47 on the UK Singles Chart, and number 65 on the Billboard Global 200, becoming Perry's second-highest charting entry on the latter chart. It was followed by the single "Lifetimes" on August 8, and "I'm His, He's Mine" featuring Doechii on September 13.

Commercially, the album debuted at number six on both the US Billboard 200 chart and the UK Albums Chart, while reaching the top ten in eight other countries. It received negative reviews from critics, who marked the record as an all-time low for the singer. Criticism was directed at the album's outdated production and lackluster songwriting, with several comparing 143 to AI-generated music. It became the worst-reviewed album of Perry's career and one of the lowest rated albums on Metacritic. Dr. Luke's involvement in the album was widely panned due to sexual assault allegations by Kesha.

A digital reissue entitled 1432 (meaning "I love you too") with four additional songs was released on December 20, 2024, including the track "OK", which was released as the album's fourth single on the same day. In support of the album, Perry embarked on the Lifetimes Tour on April 23, 2025.

## Katy Tur

daytime news coverage for the network since 2017; her show has been named Katy Tur Reports since 2021. She has also reported for the NBC news platforms - Katherine Bear Tur (; born October 26, 1983) is an American author and broadcast journalist working as a correspondent for MSNBC. She has anchored daytime news coverage for the network since 2017; her show has been named Katy Tur Reports since 2021. She has also reported for the NBC news platforms Early Today, Today, NBC Nightly News, Meet the Press, and WNBC-TV, and for The Weather Channel.

## Katy B

professionally as Katy B, is an English singer. She released her debut studio album, *On a Mission*, in 2011, which spawned two top five hits, "Katy on a Mission" - Kathleen Anne Brien (born 8 May 1989), known professionally as Katy B, is an English singer. She released her debut studio album, *On a Mission*, in 2011, which spawned two top five hits, "Katy on a Mission" and "Lights On". In 2014 she released her second studio album, *Little Red*, which produced her third top five hit, "Crying for No Reason". Her third studio album, *Honey*, was released in 2016.

## Teenage Dream

*Teenage Dream* is the third studio album by American singer Katy Perry. It was released on August 24, 2010, through Capitol Records and succeeds her multi-platinum - *Teenage Dream* is the third studio album by American singer Katy Perry. It was released on August 24, 2010, through Capitol Records and succeeds her multi-platinum sophomore album *One of the Boys* (2008). Primarily a pop record, *Teenage Dream* also contains elements of disco, electronic, rock, funk, house, Hi-NRG, and hip hop, that revolve around young love, partying, self-empowerment, and personal growth. Perry co-wrote the album, and worked with a number of producers such as Max Martin, Dr. Luke, Benny Blanco, Stargate and Greg Wells.

With "California Gurls" (featuring Snoop Dogg), "Teenage Dream", "Firework", "E.T.", and "Last Friday Night (T.G.I.F.)", *Teenage Dream* is the second album in history to have five singles (after Michael Jackson's 1987 album *Bad*) top the US Billboard Hot 100, and the first by a woman to do so. Its sixth single was "The One That Got Away", which peaked at number three on that chart, becoming the third after Janet Jackson's *Rhythm Nation 1814* and George Michael's *Faith* to have six top-five songs in the United States. *Teenage*

Dream topped the album charts in Australia, Austria, Canada, Ireland, New Zealand, Scotland, the United Kingdom, and the United States. It has sold more than 12 million copies worldwide and received Diamond certifications in Brazil, Canada, and the United States while being certified multi-platinum in Australia, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, India, Ireland, Italy, New Zealand, Norway, and the United Kingdom.

Upon its release, Teenage Dream received mixed reviews from music critics, who complimented its production, themes, and Perry's vocal ability while criticism was largely focused on the lack of focus and image, and vulnerability on the album. However, retrospective reviews have praised the album, ranking it on multiple decade-end best albums lists. Billboard named Teenage Dream "one of the defining LPs from a new golden age in mega-pop" and The A.V. Club called the album "pop perfection". The album and its singles earned Perry seven Grammy Award nominations including Album of the Year, Best Pop Vocal Album, and Record of the Year. It also won International Album of the Year at the Juno Awards of 2011.

All six of the aforementioned singles, in addition to two from its 2012 reissue Teenage Dream: The Complete Confection ("Part of Me" and "Wide Awake"), have sold over two million digital downloads each in the US, setting a record in the digital era for the most multi-Platinum singles from one album, breaking the previous record of Fergie's debut album, The Dutchess (2006), which had five multi-Platinum songs. When "E.T." and "Teenage Dream" certified Diamond by the Recording Industry Association of America (RIAA), Perry became the first artist to have four Diamond-certified singles from same album in the country, the others being "Firework", the title track and "California Gurls".

To promote the album, Perry embarked on the California Dreams Tour from 2011 to 2012, which was also an international success and featured guest appearances from Rebecca Black and opening acts such as Ellie Goulding, Janelle Monáe, Robyn, and Marina and the Diamonds, alongside others. The Teenage Dream era officially concluded with the autobiographical documentary film Katy Perry: Part of Me, which featured numerous guest appearances from popular musicians and footage from the California Dreams Tour.

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