



Tom O'Connor is a 29-year old singer/songwriter from Binghamton, New York that has released two full length albums and amassed a large fan base in his adopted hometown of Washington, D.C.

While attending West Virginia University he played on the ice hockey team, spending his off seasons learning guitar and writing his first songs. By the time he graduated in 2005, he was routinely performing throughout the area eventually relocating to Arlington, Virginia.

With influences ranging from Dave Matthews, Ryan Adams and John Mayer to Neil Young, Tom Petty and Paul Simon, his sound is an acoustic driven mix of pop rock and alternative country with an emphasis on solid songwriting and powerful vocals.

O'Connor has played over 200 shows in venues throughout the United States and his highly anticipated third full length record will be released in 2012 followed by a full time touring schedule.

- New 3 song EP, recorded in Ventura, California and produced by Aaron Goldberg and Chris Jay (Army of Freshmen)
- Dates throughout the east coast in 2010, west coast tour in early 2012 and SXSW performances in March
- Two full length records, *Frozen in Anticipation* (2008) and *Heart, Body & Soul* (2010)
- Multiple sold out shows in Northern Virginia and the Washington, D.C. area
- Over 200 shows at notable venues on the east and west coast
- Opened for a host of singer/songwriters including John Oates (Hall & Oates), Jaron and The Long Road To Love, Jimmy Wayne, Clay Cook, Levi Lowrey and Charlie Robison
- Wrote and performed the theme song to the film, *Desert Rain*
- Performed at a number of festivals including Takoma Park Folk Festival, D.C. Downtown Holiday Market Festival, Cape May Singer/Songwriter Festival, Millennium Music Conference, Northern Virginia Fine Arts Festival and Del Rey Music Fest

"Enough hooks for commercial radio but lyrically maintains the depth and poignancy of a great singer/songwriter"

—VC Reporter

"An incredibly talented lyricist that knows how to strike an emotional chord with listeners"

—insidenova.com

"A sincere and melodic artist with a warm and soulful voice"

—Alt Country Magazine

"A solid writer with a compelling voice"

—OnTap Magazine

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