

# TABOOQUEEN



Taboo Queen is a soulful five-piece band that has emerged with a new take on rhythm & blues. A sound that is built on the distinct foundation of guitar-centric rock and roll while harking back to an era of bluesy chain-gang choruses with unique vocal harmonies.

Driven by the powerful vocals of Mandy Cee, whose voice is smooth, vulnerable and raw; Taboo Queen is being likened to Alannah Myles, Sass Jordan, and Melissa Etheridge.

Taboo Queen released their debut EP, *Fever In Your Eye* in May of 2016. This EP includes five bluesy rock tracks and features a very special guest, legendary Canadian guitarist, Jerry Doucette.

Taboo Queen is Mandy Cee, Jason Lane, Frankie Starr, Gord Wilson, and Chantal Sayers.

"The sound is smooth, tight, and confident, with great vocals throughout, lots of added heat from the guitars, and a bluesy groove and r&b vibe that makes the whole thing shine." - Rock n Roll Review Magazine.

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## FEVER IN YOUR EYE

Chains of Love

Someone To Lean On

Damage Is Done, w Jerry Doucette

When Im With You, w Jerry Doucette

What A Feelin, w Jerry Doucette



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## EP review – TABOO QUEEN ‘Fever In Your Eye’

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Vancouver band Taboo Queen has been gigging regularly in and around Vancouver since starting out in 2015, and that live experience definitely pays off on the band's debut EP 'Fever In Your Eye'. The sound is smooth, tight, and confident, with great vocals throughout, lots of added heat from the guitars, and a bluesy groove and r&b vibe that makes the whole thing shine.

This five track release has well-crafted melodies, and a cool, laidback vibe: like something you'd love to listen to while chilling out with a cold drink on a hot day. To quote the band's own bio: "Taboo Queen drives straight down the road of rock and roll smack into the heart of old school rhythm and blues".

Canadian guitarist Jerry Doucette steps in on three of the tracks: if you've heard the track 'Mama Let Him Play', then you've heard Jerry Doucette!



First track 'Chains Of Love' is a catchy, bluesy number with a real hook to it, while 'Someone To Lean On' shows off a softer, more wistful sound from the band.

'The Damage Is Done' has a darker mood and a steady hooky beat that is embellished with some terrific guitar work, putting the rock'n'roll flavour in Taboo Queen's blues-rock. It's followed by what is probably my favourite track on this EP: 'When I'm With You', a tune with a gorgeous, bluesy groove.

'Fever In Your Eye' closes out in style with 'What A Feelin'', wrapping up a great debut release from Taboo Queen. This is an EP with an ear-pleasing, smooth, and smoky sound that gives you that excellent "lounging in an old-school nightclub" feel!