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SIMON McBRIDE OF DEEP PURPLE ANNOUNCES NEW ALBUM *RECORDINGS: 2020-2025*

FIRST SINGLE – A UNIQUE TAKE ON DURAN DURAN'S "ORDINARY WORLD" – IS OUT NOW — [LISTEN](#)

Simon McBride, one of the most celebrated guitarists to emerge in recent years, announces the release of his new album ***Recordings 2020–2025*** out March 14 on **earMUSIC**.

The first single, a fascinating take on **Duran Duran's** 1992 hit track "**Ordinary World**," is available now for streaming and download. "This is such a beautiful song," **Simon McBride** shares about the single. "I wanted to try a different feel on it. Like with any version of a song, it's important to me to be creative but also pay respect to the original."

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McBride's meteoric rise has been nothing short of remarkable. Since joining **Deep Purple** in 2023, he has captivated audiences worldwide, playing a crucial role in the band's latest chart-topping album **=1**. His journey — from years of hard work as a solo artist to gracing the covers of music magazines and celebrating multiple number one chart positions — is the kind of story rock and roll dreams are made of.

Recordings 2020–2025 showcases McBride's unique musical style, a dynamic blend of blues, hard rock and jaw-dropping guitar mastery. Featuring raw, intense studio sessions, it captures the essence of McBride's high-energy live performances. Alongside original material, the new album includes handpicked covers such as

"Ordinary World"; Mr. Mister's "Uniform of Youth"; and Bryan Adams' "Kids Wanna Rock."

With flawless performances and exceptional production quality, this collection of rare tracks is essential for rock fans. For those who have followed Simon McBride's journey with Deep Purple, the new album offers an exciting glimpse into his versatility and musical brilliance.

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Simon McBride will embark on a European tour in March and April. Fans will have the chance to experience his breathtaking live performances at the dates listed below.

Tickets are available [on Simon McBride's website](#).



ALBUM FORMATS:

CD (Digipak)
2LP (black, 180g)

RECORDINGS: 2020-2025 TRACKLISTING:

"Uniform Of Youth"
"Kids Wanna Rock"
"Ordinary World"
"Grandma's Hands"
"I Gotta Move"
"Lovesong"
"Dead In the Water"
"Gimme Something Good"
"Don't Dare"
"Heartbraker"
"The Stealer"
"Hell Waters Rising"
"Dead Man Walking"
"Fat Pockets"
"So Much Love to Give"

