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MMGI ARTIST NATALIE CREEL TO BEGIN RECORDING AT INTEGRITY STUDIO IN APRIL



Integrity Studio will be opening its doors to record McLaughlin Music Group International's artist, Natalie Creel, April 18-21. The 21-year-old Mississippi girl will head to Mobile, Ala. to start the process of her first full length album.

Natalie Creel is a singer/songwriter who sings about her faith and love, while including raw lyrics. One of her goals is to use music to connect her to her listeners and say the things they are too afraid to say.

Creel is excited to have her new songs come to life and hopes to use this opportunity to further God's kingdom and glorify His name. Creel is also looking forward to working with producer, Jeff Quimby and the other talented musicians who will be on the album.

Quimby has been part of the music business for more than 20 years, and has been the musician, producer and recording engineer involved in the creative process of developing music for a variety of artists and projects. Quimby will be playing drums on the project and recording alongside with Jeremy Redmon, guitarist and producer for Big Daddy Weave.

"I can't wait to be surrounded by such talented musicians. I'm so grateful for the guys that will be playing on my album," said Creel. "I know they are going to do a wonderful job at helping me make these songs all that God wants them to be."

Quimby was an A&R Manager of Artist Development for Integrity Music from 2000 through 2008. Quimby has worked as a session musician, live performer and producer in Nashville with artists such as Lincoln Brewster, Big Daddy Weave, Nicole Nordeman, Margaret Becker, Charlie Peacock, Susan Ashton, Out Of The Grey, Wayne Watson and Twila Paris. He has spent 10 years working as a drummer and band director for Dove Award-winning artist Margaret Becker.

"This album consists of the deep, intense questions and feelings we all have, but also the joy and hope we have in Christ," said Creel. "We all have those two sides to us, we can see that all over the Psalms."

Creel's hit song, "Pure White", went to #5 on Global CHR, #22 Global AC and #22 on Global INSCO. She has been featured on more than 460 radio stations across the country and internationally. Creel was a finalist in the 2011 International Songwriting Competition with her single, "To California."

"I hope that everyone who hears these songs will meet God through them, experience healing and freedom, and come to realize that the purpose of the cross was to give us a way to God and we don't have to run away from Him anymore, because He changed everything," said Creel.

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