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HURT SO BAD

LITTLE ANTHONY & BROOKE MORIBER



BEST POP DUO/ GROUP PERFORMANCE

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Rock and Roll Hall of Fame inductee "Little Anthony" Gourdine, the Brooklyn native whose explosive yet tender delivery made classics like "Goin' Out Of My Head" and "Hurt So Bad" timeless, has inspired generations from The Temptations and Michael Jackson to Bruce Springsteen. His decades of masterful performances across arenas and intimate venues solidified his status as one of popular music's most celebrated vocalists. Now he joins forces with rising country powerhouse Brooke Moriber, a native New Yorker who transformed personal adversity into artistic triumph. After starting as a Broadway performer, Moriber turned to songwriting while battling a rare eye disease that threatened her sight. When the disease went into remission, she traveled to Nashville to tell her stories, eventually signing with Reviver Records and earning acclaim as a "force to be reckoned with" in country music. When not opening for artists like Scotty McCreery, The Castellows, and Dylan Scott, she bridges musical worlds through her "Nashville In New York" series at the iconic Bitter End. Dropping 8/22, their sweeping duet transforms Anthony's 60-year-old classic into a powerful cross-generational dialogue between two hearts longing for second chances.

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"Brooke and Anthony have done the impossible. They re-recorded Little Anthony's "Hurt So Bad" with a version so beautiful, it rivals the original." ~ **Paul Shaffer, fmr bandleader, 'The Late Show with David Letterman'**

"Brooke is a star waiting to happen... and Anthony still sounds like 1965!! This is a great record!"
~ **Lou Simon, Host, The Jukebox Diner on SiriusXM 60s Gold**

"Great song remake from a true music legend, and an incredibly talented newcomer!"
~ **Scott Shannon, Creator and host of The True Oldies Channel**

"Having recently duetted with "Little" Anthony, I know firsthand that he's still at the top of his game. I'm so excited that "Hurts So Bad" is getting a new life. To hear him singing it 60 years later is double-super cool and when you add Brooke's vocals, it takes on a whole new personality. Congratulations to you, both!"
~ **T. Graham Brown / LIVE WIRE, SiriusXM Prime Country Channel 58**

"Great re-imagination of a classic tune"
~ **Glenn Rosenstein, Grammy Award Winning Producer & Partner FAME Recording Studios**

"Little Anthony is an icon and this new rendition of his classic all time hit "Hurt So Bad" with the talented vocals of Brooke Moriber accompanying him on it are pure gold!"
~ **Robby Bridges, Host, The True Oldies Channel**

"How do you improve on an iconic '60s classic, especially when it's your own? Little Anthony has risen to the occasion, with a fresh take on his iconic ballad "Hurt So Bad". Anthony recaptures all the heart-wrenching emotion of the 1965 hit, blended with Brooke Moriber's breathtakingly beautiful counterpoint, in a version that stands toe-to-toe with the original."
~ **Jim Murphy, Director, Country Programming Music Choice**

