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Recordings

Solo/The Search Party

All Of Us Are Some Of These 2025

Ancestry 2020

Inside My Head 2019

Just Because 1997

Vincent's Chair

The New Vibe 2014

It's Time 2010

Stretch 2007

At The First Sign 2003

Performance Highlights

Adelaide Cabaret Festivals

Adelaide Fringe Festivals

European Tours – Germany, Paris, UK, & Romania

Space Theatre, Adelaide Festival Centre (CD Launch)

East End Jazz Festival

Hoot Festival

Darebin Music Festival (Melbourne, VIC)

Collaborations

Dave McEvoy (piano), Ben Todd (drums, Cirque du Soleil), Adam Page (saxophone), Hugh Stuckey (guitar), Karen De Nardi (viola), Belinda Gehlert (violin/arranger), Sam Leske (guitar), Erin McKellar (composer), Lauren Henderson (vocalist), Dave Polain (trombone/arranger), Sisters Of Invention (Australian girl pop group with disabilities), Damien Steele Scott (guitar), Rod Ennis (arranger), Steve Todd (drums), Shaun Duncan (bass), Tyler Venter (guitar), Tom Pulford (saxophone)

Artist Profile

Kathie Renner

Singer-Songwriter

👤 Biography

Kathie Renner is an Australian singer-songwriter, piano player and guitarist, who eschews stylistic boundaries to create new contemporary songs. Inspired by Joni Mitchell, Sting, and Paul Simon, Kathie brings dedication and depth to her craft. She has released eight independent CDs and performed in Germany, the UK, Paris, Bucharest, and across Australia. With a unique stage presence and personable manner, she connects effortlessly with audiences.



Reviews

Ray Smith

Renner's songs are stories, personal narratives that allow us into the character, history, and philosophy of the writer, yet are broad and familiar enough for an audience to easily identify with them. Her lyrics are clear and poignant, and her voice, often used as another instrument, as her nonverbal vocalisations add yet another direction within the song structure. There are so many flavours on offer, each one presented with care and attention to detail as a five-star feast.

Renner herself has an easy, comfortable feeling onstage. It is where she is supposed to be, and that easiness allows an audience to relax and completely immerse themselves in the work being presented. Her backstories, told with such integrity, wit and confidence, leave the listener feeling like they are in conversation with an old, trusted friend

Broadway
World

Michelle Nicolle

Thank you for your beautiful CD, 'Inside My Head', Kathie Renner! Your attention to detail and gorgeous voice need to be heard!"

Australian
Jazz Vocalist

Peter Combe

Congrats on a great launch last night, Kathie. Great band. Can't go wrong with Steve Todd and Shaun Duncan! Lovely vibe in the room. I particularly liked 'The One'. 'Invisible' is also a lovely track. Beautifully recorded album, nice mix and the musicianship is wonderful.

'Such Is Life': Love the line, 'can you share a joke or two with the ones who sweep the floors of your empire.' Your sustained note on empire gives me goosebumps.

Legendary
Children's
Writer &
presenter

Martin Cheney

Those familiar with Renner's oeuvre will cite many and varied reasons why her music resounds so strongly. Some will connect with her lyrics, which are often both profoundly insightful and effortlessly spontaneous and conversational. Some will relish the way she blends folk, country and jazz stylings, while remaining distinctly original. Some will envy her uncanny ability to formulate melodies that, once they embed themselves in your subconscious, are very difficult to unhook. Some will just love listening to that voice. And some will emphatically endorse all of the above.

Pianist &
Composer



Online presence

Website

www.kathierennermusic.com

Bandcamp

www.kathierenner.bandcamp.com

Instagram

www.kathierenner.bandcamp.com

Spotify

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