

The daughter of an Australian church minister who turned his family into an itinerant Christian music group (à la The Partridge Family on bibles), Sandrine became a six year old traveling minstrel, playing at religious gatherings to sell CDs from their bus-turned-home. At 15, already accomplished on piano, Sandrine moved into her own trailer and began playing guitar and writing music that was very different from what she was raised to sing. At a pivotal moment, someone handed her an old record that had a big impact on her direction: *Sticky Fingers* by the Rolling Stones. In 2004, Sandrine wrote her acclaimed debut album *Trigger* (Sony), from which the title track hit the Top 20 on the Australian charts. She was named "Songwriter of the Year" by one of the major commercial radio stations.

After she caught the ear of Grammy Award-Winning producer Malcolm Burn (known for his work with Daniel Lanois, Bob Dylan, Emmylou Harris, Chris Whitley, Rachel Yamagata, Kaki King and many more), Sandrine decided to make the move to the United States. The result of their collaboration is her sublime second album, *Dark Fades Into the Light* (Nettwerk) in 2008, which became an instant success in France with the hit single 'Where Do We Go'. Her music became well known throughout Europe and the US through song placements in numerous movies, television shows and commercials, such as:

- End credits and preview trailer song in the Oscar nominated film *Last Chance Harvey*, starring Dustin Hoffman and Emma Thompson
- Major European TV and Radio campaign for ORANGE mobile phone
- French TV and Radio campaign for FNAC (France's largest music and electronics retailer)

From being invited to play at Levon Helm's 'Midnight Ramble' to being a guest on France's famous *Taratata*, and touring the UK with Teddy Thompson, there's been plenty to do while she's been writing her third album. Musicians on the new recordings with Malcolm Burn are friends Sandrine has been playing with live: members of Ryan Adams' band The Cardinals - Jon Graboff and Neal Casal, as well as Bill Dobrow (Martha Wainwright, Sean Lennon) and Jeff Hill (Rufus Wainwright, Teddy Thompson).

UPCOMING TOUR DATES

Opening for CITIZEN COPE Tour in April 2010. Further performances will be scheduled in the New York City area throughout the spring of 2010.

PRESS

'Let the Love' by Sandrine

"Each strum of the acoustic on this bouncy, '60s-tinged pop track from the album "Dark Fades Into the Light" is like the glow of the sun on your face. Singer Sandrine Daniels cuts shadowy swaths through the warmth with her wistful vocals."

-Luke O'Neill, Boston Globe

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