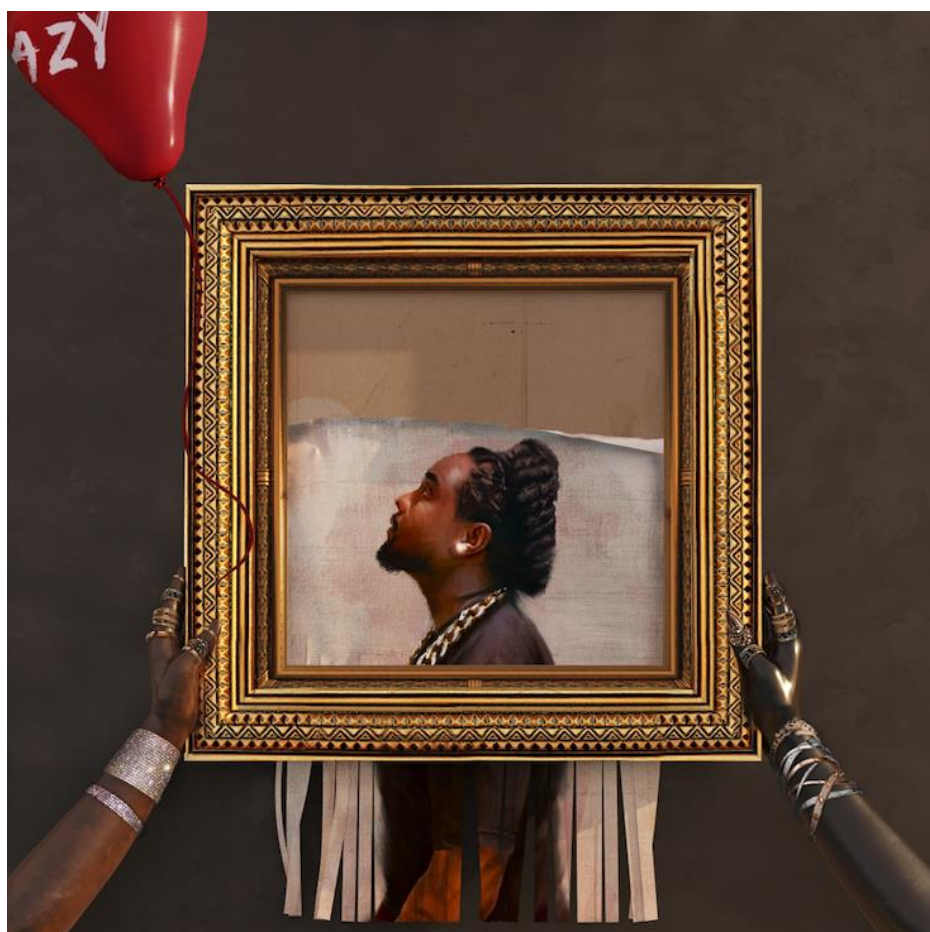




**WALE SHARES “LOVE & LOYALTY” FEATURING MANNYWELLZ IN  
RECOGNITION OF NIGERIAN INDEPENDENCE DAY**

**SINGLE “ON CHILL” IS #1 AT URBAN RADIO**

**NEW ALBUM *WOW... THAT’S CRAZY* OUT OCTOBER 11TH**



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**October 1, 2019 (Los Angeles, CA)** – Continuing a momentous 2019, Grammy nominated rapper/actor/agitator **Wale** taps into his African roots with a new track entitled “**Love & Loyalty**” [feat. **Mannywellz**]. Produced by Sango, the infectious sound breaks down global sonic

boundaries and pays homage to Nigerian church hymns. **Wale** fittingly chose to drop this banger today (October 1st) in honor of **Nigerian Independence Day**. Get it [HERE](#).

The song sets the stage for next week's release of Wale's anxiously awaited new album, and first for **Warner Records, *Wow...That's Crazy***—available everywhere on Friday October 11th. The pre-order and pre-save just went live with unlocked merchandise bundles and exclusive packages [HERE](#).

Regarding the music, he commented, *"'Love & Loyalty' has no genre, but several influences. There are so many melodies in the hook that remind me of Nigerian church. It's very unique and brings me back to that every time I hear it."*

**Wale's** current hit single **"On Chill" [feat. Jeremih]** is #1 at Urban Radio with 197 million in total audience after only 9 weeks on the charts! Featured on the hottest Hip-Hop and R&B playlists across all DSPs, it's approaching 164 million streams. Watch the Daniel CZ-directed music video [HERE](#).

Wale kicked off his tour last night! Check out the "Everything Is Fine Tour" itinerary below and purchase tickets on Wale's website [www.walemusic.com](http://www.walemusic.com).

#### TOUR DATES:

Monday September 30 - Fort Lauderdale, FL - Revolution Live  
Tuesday October 1 - Orlando, FL - Celine  
Thursday October 3 - Raleigh, NC - The Ritz  
Friday October 4 - Atlanta, GA - Center Stage  
Monday October 7- Asheville, NC - Orange Peel  
Tuesday October 8 - Charlottesville, VA - Sprint Pavilion  
Wednesday October 9 - Silver Spring, MD - The Fillmore  
Thursday October 10 - Philadelphia, PA - TLA  
Saturday October 12 - Queens, NY- Rolling Loud Festival New York  
Monday October 14 - Boston MA - Paradise Rock Club  
Wednesday October 16 - Louisville, KY - Mercury Ballroom  
Thursday October 17 - Chicago, IL - Concord (Subject to change)  
Friday October 18 - Detroit, MI - El Club  
Monday October 21 - Boulder, CO - Fox Theater  
Thursday October 24 - San Francisco, CA - Mezzanine  
Saturday October 26 - Portland, OR - Hawthorne Theater  
Monday October 28 - Seattle, WA - Neumos

#### ABOUT WALE:

There's only one **Wale**. Since arriving in 2006, he has consistently gone against the grain. An old school lyricist with new school energy, otherworldly hooks and a sense of irony tailor-made for its own *Seinfeld* episode, he instantly set himself apart. 2008's inventive ***Mixtape About Nothing*** cemented him as a critical favorite and preceded the major label debut ***Attention Deficit*** in 2009. Bowing at #2 on the *Billboard* Top 200, the now-classic and gold-certified ***Ambition*** yielded the GRAMMY® Award-nominated platinum-selling **"Lotus Flower Bomb."** Two more blockbusters followed as ***The Gifted*** [2013] and ***The Album About Nothing*** [2015] both crashed the *Billboard* Top 200 at #1 back-to-back. ***Shine*** [2017] gave the world **"My PYT,"** which is RIAA certified platinum, as **Wale** continued dropping heat. Along the way, Wale covered magazines such as *Complex*, *Billboard*, *XXL* and *Vibe*, and would receive honors at the BET Awards, BET Hip-Hop Awards, Soul Train Awards and more. To date, Wale has achieved four platinum or multi-platinum

singles, three gold singles and two gold albums. Wale has over 7 million monthly listeners on Spotify and has reached over half a billion channel views on YouTube.

**Wale** also made history as *“the first rapper to open the State Of The Union,”* gracing the stage with an unforgettable performance before President Obama’s final State Of The Union Address. A regular guest of the First Family, he participated in First Lady Michelle Obama’s “Reach Higher” initiative for higher education as well. Expanding his cultural influence, Wale teamed up with Villa for a limited-edition line of sneakers. These included the Asics “Bottle Rocket,” the Timberland “Gift Box Set” and the VILLA x Wale x ASIC Gel Lyte III “IC Champion.” Wale’s label imprint, **Every Blue Moon**, encompasses the scope of his creative vision with musicians, comedians and screenwriters under its umbrella.

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