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**VOCAL POWERHOUSE TEDDY SWIMS TO LAUNCH THE *TOUGH LOVE WORLD TOUR* 2022**

***TOUGH LOVE* EP OUT EARLY 2022**

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**September 21, 2021 (Los Angeles, CA)** – Today, ace Atlanta singer/songwriter **Teddy Swims** reveals the details for his **Tough Love World Tour** in 2022. The marathon three-month global run kicks off in Belfast, UK at Limelight 1 and takes over the UK and Europe before returning stateside where it rolls through major markets coast-to-coast and concludes with a hometown show at Buckhead Theatre on May 7th. A special [fan pre-sale](https://www.teddyswims.com/signup) launches September 22 at 10am local time through September 23 at 10pm local time before general on-sale goes live Friday September 24 at 10am local time. Tickets will be available [HERE](https://www.teddyswims.com/).

It will be the first jaunt in support of his forthcoming EP, ***Tough Love***, arriving at the top of 2022. ***Tough Love*** season began with the release of his latest single **“Simple Things**.**”** He also just delivered a seismic and show-stopping performance of the song on *The Late Late Show with James Corden*—watch it [HERE](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RUp5dDpt2e4).

Receiving critical acclaim, [*American Songwriter*](https://americansongwriter.com/teddy-swims-rags-to-riches/) recently noted, *“His vocal talents certainly speak for themselves, but he goes much deeper than most,”* and [*Consequence of Sound*](https://consequence.net/2021/08/halsey-easier-than-lying-song-of-the-week/2/)raved, *“Teddy Swims can truly move mountains with his colossal voice.”*

Additionally, he shared a remix of his buzzing **“Bed On Fire”** with GRAMMY® nominated singer-songwriter **Ingrid Andress** last week. It’s available [HERE](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=O9377uLJWeI).

Not to mention, **Teddy** just enchanted audiences everywhere on a sold-out summer tour opening for GRAMMY® Award-winning country rock leaders **Zac Brown Band**. He also lit up multiple festival stages this past weekend, including Life Is Beautiful and Music Midtown.

“**Simple Things**” arrived on the heels of his debut EP, ***Unlearning****.* [*American Songwriter*](https://americansongwriter.com/teddy-swims-rags-to-riches/) described the EP as “*fluttering between sunny, arena-worthy anthems and introspective examinations of self*,*”* and [*Atwood Magazine*](https://atwoodmagazine.com/tdsw-teddy-swims-unlearning-ep-interview-music/) extolled how it *“ebbs and flows with the steady rhythm of a tide, easing the listener from one realm to the next”* and[*Rolling Stone*](https://www.rollingstone.com/music/music-country/teddy-swims-interview-1122488/) applauded his *“silky voice that slides right into country, hip-hop, and classic soul*.”

***Unlearning*** includes **“L.I.F.E.”**, which was co-written by mega-songwriters Poo Bear (Justin Bieber, Usher) and John Ryan (Maroon 5, John Legend), “**Bed On Fire”** and the incendiary [music video](https://youtu.be/lVVSEL0WGbw) that stars Leila George from TNT’s *Animal Kingdom* along with fan favorites **“Broke” (feat. Thomas Rhett)** and **“Til I Change Your Mind.”**

Earlier this year, Teddy appeared on *A Little Later With Lilly Singh* (watch [HERE](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fAPRfdjki1g)) and delivered his late-night television debut performance with **“Bed On Fire”** on *The Late Show With Stephen Colbert* (watch [HERE](https://youtu.be/9o9dmglNc2I)). Teddy started out the year by being named a 2021 *“Artist To Watch”* by [*Rolling Stone*](https://www.rollingstone.com/music/music-country/teddy-swims-interview-1122488/) who praise *“A boundaryless approach comes through in Dimsdale’s original songs, which blend elements of hip-hop, R&B, country, and classic soul*.*”*

**ABOUT TEDDY SWIMS:**

After dedicating his life to music as a kid, Teddy Swims—a.k.a. Atlanta native Jaten Dimsdale—unassumingly knocked on the door of stardom and claimed the payoff of a decades-long grind in 2019. Broadcasting covers from a bedroom studio, he lit up the Internet with hundreds of millions of views and a following of over 4 million. That was just the first step though. Teddy fashioned a show-stopping signature style out of soaring soul, intimate R&B, rock energy, and hip-hop swagger all uplifted by his earthquaking vocals. Leaving tastemakers such as *American Songwriter*, *Billboard*, *Flaunt*, and *Idolator* and idols like Shania Twain speechless, *Rolling Stone* christened him a 2021 *"Artist T*o Watch.” During this time, he went from singing covers of his favorite artists on YouTube to performing his own original music *The Kelly Clarkson Show* and *The Late Show with Stephen Colbert*. Teddy continues to spread his wings, unveiling his 2021 debut graphic novel, *Teddy Swims: Swimmy and the Valley of the Last Song* [Z2 Comics] and hitting the road with GRAMMY® Award-winning Zac Brown Band for a series of stadium gigs. In between, he released his 2021 debut EP *Unlearning* to critical acclaim. However, he only picks up the pace with the *Tough Love* EP in 2022 supported by his massive *“Tough Love”* World Tour.



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