

## **NEW SINGLE 11.01.24**











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The Braided Janes is a fem-fronted, post punk, latin alt band from Chicago. The trio was founded by family members Jessica "Museica" Rodriguez (vocals, guitar), wife Juny Alvarez (drums, percussion), and brother-in-law Andrew Doyle (bass, electric guitar). Bilingual and multicultural, their statement making music has set them apart as, "one of the best Latin alternative bands from Chicago" - The Advocate and has achieved national attention from public institutions such as NPR and PBS who dedicated a segment to their participation in Tour Corazon Migrante 2023 Adelante | Corazon Migrante | Season 25

2023 was a big year for The Braided Janes who released their 2nd studio album, "Renacer" recorded in Minca Colombia with Grammy winning producer Christian Castagno. The "Tropi-alt rock" album was released September 2023, the release show was held at the National Museum of Mexican Art in Pilsen, Chicago where they curated Noche De Musas II Queer Fiestas Patrias, a multifaceted cultural event feat. guest performer Niña Dioz. The band completed their first cultural tour Corazón Migrante with performances in over a dozen cities across the U.S including New York, NY, Nogales and Tubac, AZ, El Paso and Houston TX, Kansas City MO, Viola and LaCrosse, WI, Atlanta, GA, Philadelphia, PA and Los Angeles, CA. and ended the year with a SOLD OUT show alongside Aterciopelados.

The Braided Janes are currently co-producing their next album with Grammy-nominated audio engineer and award-winning producer Jeanne Montalvo. Their first single, "Bésame" will be released November 1, 2024 on all streaming platforms accompanied by the music video the same day. Bésame is a love song inspired by the love between singer Jessica and wife and drummer Juny who'll soon celebrate 20 years together. It's a whimsical dance down memory lane. The band recorded and co-produced the song from their home studio in Chicago for the first time, working remotely with Montalvo who provided incredible support. The song was mastered by Margret Luthar making it their first production fully spearheaded by women.

## RECOGNITIONS

2da Jornada Binacional De Artistas - CDMX 2021 3ra Jornada Binacional De Artistas - Tijuana, MX 2022

Singer Jessica Rodriguez is 1 of 37 U.S artists selected by the Mexican Secretary of External Affairs to participate in the Bi-national Artist Conference where artists were recognized for their imperative role as cultural agents of Mexico in the music and the arts.

23 artists including The Braided Janes went on to co-curate and participate in the multidisciplinary art tour Corazón Migrante which started in Tijuana Mexico and traveled throughout the United States via the Mexican Consulates culminating in Complejo Cultural Los Pinos CDMX December 2023

## **BEHIND THE SINGLE**

Bass player Andrew Doyle makes his debut on Electric Guitar, "Electro-tropical meets New Wave" is how Andrew describes the initial concept "I wanted this song to be filled with different melodies and to counter the formulaic structures of Pop music with a more wandering and complex structure filled with surprises... I pictured being in Minca, Colombia when I wrote this, on one of the many sunny days while we were there, where the sun feels therapeutic and spiritual. I wanted the song to take you to somewhere sunny and warm." - Andy



esposa, y la inocencia y el amor puro que existe cuando encuentras a la persona que es para ti. Porque el amor es un lenguaje mundial, el denominador común que nos une a todos."

- Museica























## **UPCOMING TOUR DATES**

10/05 Viola, WI - Driftless Curiosity's Dia De Muertos

10/06 Sauk City, WI - Art D-Tour

03/01 Tubac, AZ- International Women's Day Event

"Music is a safe space to express ourselves. I wanted to write a song that reflected the innocence and pure love that you feel when you find your person regardless of gender. At the end of the day, love is love and it's something that unites us all." - Museica

