

HOUSTON DECLARES 'LYRIKAL DAY,' HONORING INTERNATIONAL SOCA ARTIST FOR MUSIC AND COMMUNITY IMPACT

*August 22 Officially Recognized as "Lyrikal Day" in
Celebration of His Contributions to Soca, Caribbean
Culture and Community Service*

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/EINPresswire.com/ -- International Soca artist
Lyrikal is celebrating a major career and community
milestone after being honored in Houston with an
official proclamation declaring August 22 as "Lyrikal
Day."

The recognition came during the Trinidad & Tobago
Association of Texas (TTAT) 2026 Independence
Celebration in Houston. The honor recognizes
Lyrikal's contributions to Soca and Caribbean
culture, as well as his continued commitment to
education, philanthropy and community service.

As part of his partnership with TTAT, Lyrikal committed to sponsoring two \$1,000 scholarships
for deserving students and donated his performance fee from the Independence Celebration
back to the organization to support its educational and
community initiatives.

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Music has given me so
much, and being able to use
my platform to create
opportunities, support our
youth and pour back into
the people who have
supported me means
everything.”

Lyrikal



The proclamation arrived during an especially meaningful
month for the Trinibagonian artist. On August 16, Lyrikal
continued his commitment to youth through his own
nonprofit, hosting his 12th Annual Back-to-School
Giveaway in Brooklyn in partnership with the Caribbean
American Center of New York. The initiative provided local
children and families with free backpacks, school supplies,
music, games and activities.

Just one day after receiving his Houston honor, Lyrikal returned to Brooklyn on August 23 to perform at Angela Yee Day with Power 105.1, where he delivered the event's only Soca performance. His high-energy set had the crowd singing and dancing alongside a Caribbean lineup featuring Cham, Vanessa Bling, Ding Dong, Tina (HoodCelebrity) and more.

A DECADE SINCE THE JOURNEY

The milestone also comes as Lyrikal celebrates the 10th anniversary of his debut studio album, *The Journey*. Released July 22, 2016, the 20-track project features fan favorites including "Cloud 9," "25/8" and "Loner," along with collaborations with Kes, King Bubba and Kerwin Du Bois. Since *The Journey*, Lyrikal has continued to evolve as an artist, releasing three studio albums in total and building a catalog that has helped establish him as a consistent voice in Soca music. From the release of his debut album to now having a day officially recognized in his honor, Lyrikal Day represents a full-circle moment in a career built on music, culture and community.

ABOUT LYRIKAL

Lyrikal is an internationally recognized Trinibagonian Soca artist known for his high-energy performances, infectious records and commitment to Caribbean culture. Throughout his career, he has used his platform to support youth, education and Caribbean communities throughout the diaspora.

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