

AARON WATSON

New Single: "Kiss That Girl Goodbye"

Written by: Aaron Watson

New Album: *Red Bandana*

Releasing in 2019

- Aaron Watson continues to be "one of country music's biggest DIY success stories" (*Forbes*) with his latest effort, "**Kiss That Girl Goodbye.**" The solely self-penned lead single from his forthcoming studio album just released to radio and has already amassed over a million streams. The lyrically driven, up-tempo percussive stunner is the first glimpse into Watson's brand-new studio project, *Red Bandana*. Slated for release in 2019 on his own BIG Label Records and distributed by ADA Worldwide, the album has already landed on "the most anticipated country albums of 2019" lists including Saving Country Music and The Boot.
- Watson wrapped 2018 with two new projects, *Live at the World's Biggest Rodeo Show*, Watson's 14th album and his first live album in nearly a decade, and his first ever Christmas collection, *An Aaron Watson Family Christmas*.
- Aaron Watson's 2017 studio album *Vaquero*, co-produced by Marshall Altman and released on his own BIG Label Records, **debuted at #2 on Billboard's Top Country Albums chart** - only a few thousand units shy of topping Little Big Town's *The Breaker*. The album also opened at #1 Indie Album Chart, #1 iTunes Digital Country and All Album chart, #1 iTunes all genre, #1 Amazon Physical & Digital and #1 Google play.
- *Vaquero* was a **top 10 country album debut**, outselling artists such as: Luke Combs, Brett Eldredge, Brad Paisley, Brett Young, Dustin Lynch, Toby Keith, Old Dominion, Rascal Flatts, and more.
- The album's lead track, "**Outta Style,**" written by Aaron Watson, hit **Top 10** on the *Billboard* and Mediabase charts, breaking a *Billboard* record, marking **his first widespread release to national radio in his career. The song earned Watson his first-ever BMI Award as one of the 50 Most Played Country Songs of 2018, marking the only 100% self-penned solely published song to receive the honor.**
- From *Vaquero*, "**Run Wild Horses**" was a **Top 40 hit** and the video premiered via **CMT Music** and features his wife, Kimberly.
- 2015 release, *The Underdog*, **debuted at #1 on the Billboard Top Country Albums chart, making him the first-ever independent, male country artist to debut in the coveted top spot.**
- **TOURING** - Aaron has sold nearly a **half-million headlining tickets** in the past 18 months with 100+ sellouts, covering 40 states and 10 countries. Watson just returned from his **8th international tour**, highlighted by a headlining set at the UK's Long Road Festival after Carrie Underwood cancelled due to illness. He just announced his 2019 headlining tour, including **a return play at the Ryman in January 2019** and **headlining the opening night of San Antonio Rodeo** in February.
- This **CLIP**, a video bio of his musical life, has been viewed over **7.2 million times** and **shared over 50,000 times** on Facebook proving his phenomenal connection to fans and everyday people, dreaming the dream.
- Twenty years, over a dozen recorded albums, more than 2,500 shows in the U.S. and Europe, and a newly inked global distribution partnership with ADA Worldwide, the Texas native is determined to stay true to his roots and deliver music directly to his fans.

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