

# Melva Williams Bio

Melva Williams, Psalmist, Gospel Recording Artist is a native of Longview, Texas. She discovered her gift and love for music at the age of four. She is an anointed Musician, Psalmist, Songwriter, Producer, Choir Director and Radio Station Owner. She served as a Music Educator in the Texas Public School System for 31 years and Director of Music since the age of 15 for many churches throughout Texas and Oklahoma. She is active in many church and community venues and has received numerous awards for music performances and service. She is the Owner of 4ever Gospel Radio Station and also Editor of the Gospel Music Forum Magazine.

She was selected as one of the finalists of the 2019 Prayze Factor Awards Season 12 in the Traditional Solo Category. She was also selected to receive the River and Word 2019 "Music Minister of the Year" Award. Melva was nominated in 2 Categories of the Texas Gospel Music Excellence Awards, 5 Categories of the 2020 S&M Gospel Indie Music Awards which she received the "CD of the Year" Contemporary Award for "Going In Jesus Name" and nominated in 5 Categories of the 2020 Prayze Factor Awards Season 13 where she won "Song of the Year" for "Going In Jesus Name." She was also selected as a Finalist in the Texas Gospel Music Excellence Awards 2021 where she received the "Song of the Year" Award for "Going in Jesus Name." Melva is also a part of the distinguished laExpose Organization where she received the 2021 Extraordinary People Awards for "Christian Publication Editor of the Year." She was also recognized by the Prestigious Newsome Awards receiving the "Newsome Queen's Recognition Awards." Recently her Radio Station 4ever Gospel Radio was selected as one of the Finalists in the 2022 Texas Gospel Music Excellence Awards Category, "Gospel Radio Station of the Year."

She has released two music Album projects, "There's No Other Name" and "Going In Jesus Name." The power of her gentle compositional style brings a spiritual peace and freshness to the gospel world. Her stylish musical savvy unites traditional and contemporary melodies to create a distinctly unique sound that mesmerizes and fills its listeners with the spirit of the Lord.

Melva enjoys sharing her love of music with others by writing and ministering the word of God through song. Her constant prayer is that her life and the songs that God has given her will touch people all over the nation and bring lost souls to Christ. She believes music has the power to heal and to change lives and convey a message of healing and deliverance to those who need encouragement and hope; for music not only serves as a universal language but also as a major tool for witness and evangelism for the Kingdom of God.