

Throwback: Robbie Nevil-C'est La Vie



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Robbie Nevil is a singer/songwriter from Los Angeles, California. He attained a publishing deal in 1983 and wrote songs for El DeBarge, The Pointer Sisters and Earth, Wind & Fire. In 1986 he received his first recording contract and "C'est La Vie" was the debut single that became a pop hit. The follow-up singles ["Dominoes"](#) and ["Wot's It To Ya"](#) did well on the dance music charts. His sophomore album *A Place Like This* came out in 1988 and two singles ["Back On Holiday"](#) and ["Just Like You"](#) did modestly well. The 1991 *Day 1* was his third and last album as a performer with ["For Your Mind"](#) and "Somebody Like You" being his final solo singles. Nevil is no longer a solo performer but he has written and produced records for Luther Vandross, El DeBarge, Raven, SWV, K-CI & Jojo, Babyface, Jessica Simpson, Melissa Etheridge and many others.