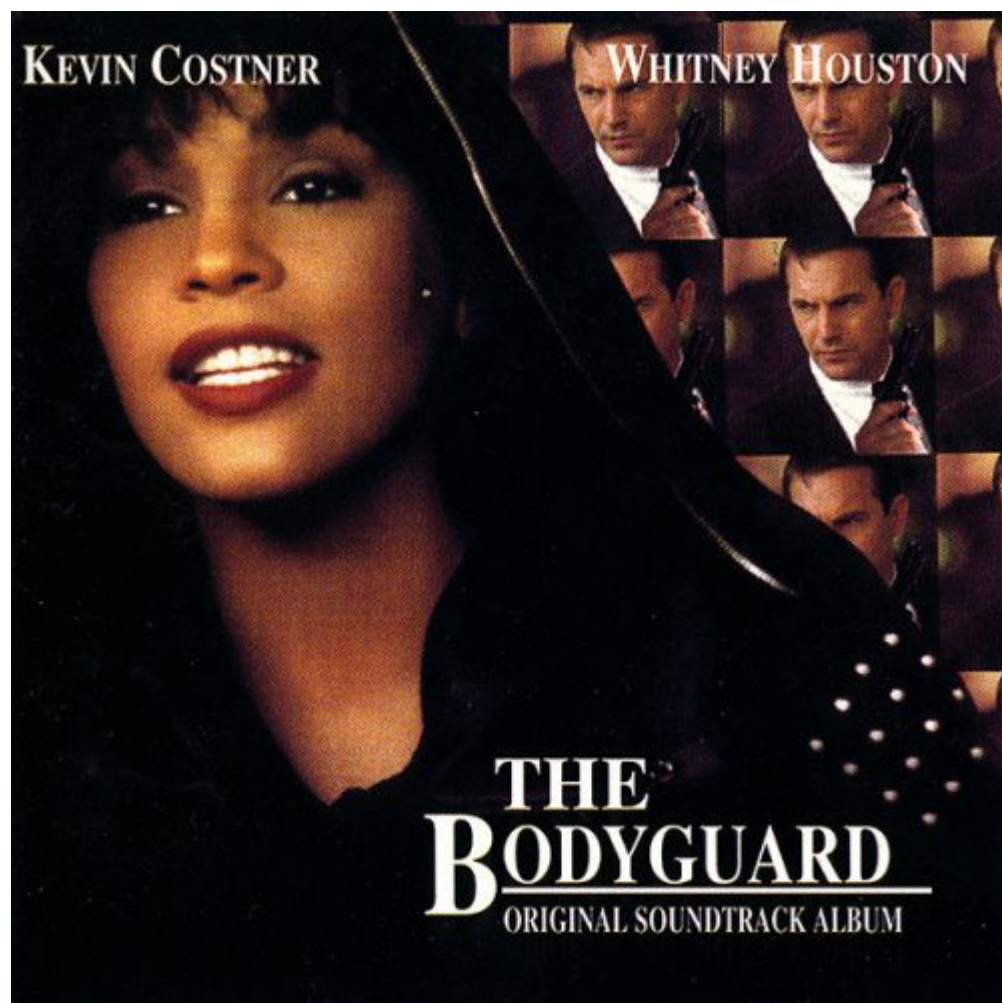


# Throwback: Whitney Houston - I'm Every Woman



Whitney Houston covered Chaka Khan's "I'm Every Woman" for the 1992 soundtrack for *The Bodyguard*. Narada Michael Walden, Robert CivillÃ©s and David Cole produced the song that was released as the second single from the collection. Houston's version was buoyant and had a strong presence on the charts and in the clubs just like Khan's did years before. Rande St. Nicholas directed the video that was a celebration of Black women dancing mixed with clips from the movie. Houston was visibly pregnant in the clip that had guest appearances from Valerie Simpson who co-wrote the song with her partner Nicholas Ashford, Cissy Houston, Chaka Khan, TLC and Martha Wash. Houston would later perform the song with Chaka Khan For

VH1's *Diva's Live '99* and a 1994 performance of the song was included in the 2014 release, *Whitney Houston Live: Her Greatest Performances*.<sup>Â</sup> It was announced in April 2020 that a Whitney Houston biopic *I Wanna Dance With Somebody* was being developed with Clive Davis, screenwriter Anthony McCarten and director Stella Meghie. [youtube id="H7\_sqdkaAfo"]