

Media Questions Of The Week



Who will play Teena Marie
in her biopic?

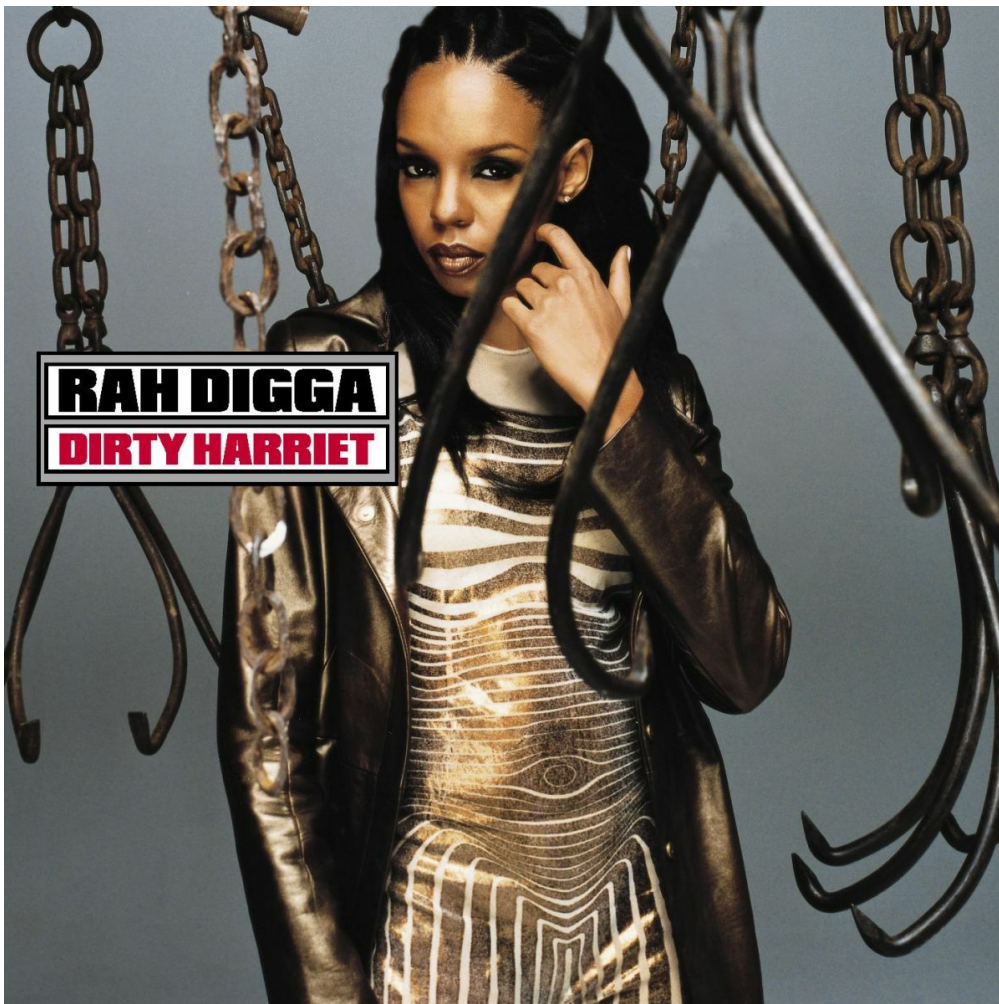
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Busta Rhymes took the stage at the MTV VMAs on Sunday to accept the inaugural Rock the Bells Visionary Award and memorialized Ananda Lewis— despite the awards ceremony surprisingly paying the late TV legend they employed, dust. More on BOSSIP.com ? : @mtv

[? original sound – Bossip.com](#)

Why didn't the VMAS pay tribute to Ananda Lewis?

Throwback: Rah Digga Feat. Busta Rhymes: Imperial



Rah Digga's "Imperial" is from her 2000 solo debut album, *Dirty Harriet*, and one of her collaborations with Busta Rhymes. Powered by Shok of Ruff Ryder's production, Digga and Rhymes showed their skills over video game signals and

tumbling drums. Digga's raspy flow eliminated any sexist questions about her holding the microphone when she said, "Black chick, with intellect, who want to match wits? Write my own rhymes so can't no n**** tell me jack s***." She declared her space as a bona fide rhymer of the New Jersey canon that includes Lauryn Hill and Queen Latifah. Dirty Harriet gave Digga immediate respect in the rap world, and "Imperial" revealed undeniable musical chemistry with Rhymes, who recruited her for his Flipmode Squad after she was introduced to him by Q-Tip. Rah Digga released her sophomore album, *Classic*, in 2010. She currently co-hosts the podcast Yanadameen with Lord Jamar.

Missy Elliott Going On Arena Tour



Credit: Derek Blanks With CrowdMgmt

Missy Elliott is going on her first-ever headlining tour with Busta Rhymes, Ciara, and Timbaland. The rap legend announced the tour on social media today. All of them have worked together in the past. The Out Of This World Tour will travel through more than 20 cities in North America. Missy and Busta Rhymes are known for their colorful high-tech videos and fans

are already excited about what their stage sets will entail. She stated that she was thrilled about making a few firsts including the tour and being the first woman rapper inducted into the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame. [Tickets](#) will go on sale Thursday at 10 AM local time.

? "OUT OF THIS WORLD" TOUR

across NORTH AMERICA!!!! With my fam [@ciara](#) [@BustaRhymes](#) & my bro [@timbaland](#) The Spaceship will be Landing at an ARENA NEAR YOU??

RUN 4 COVER! ????????????????

PRE SALE starts this THURSDAY 10 am Local time
<https://t.co/VKk4wJUHCy> pic.twitter.com/hBkkLeKsni

– Missy Elliott (@MissyElliott) [April 8, 2024](#)

Out Of This World Tour Dates

Thursday, July 4 – Vancouver, BC – Rogers Arena

Saturday, July 6 – Seattle, WA – Climate Pledge Arena

Tuesday, July 9 – Oakland, CA – Oakland Arena

Thursday, July 11 – Los Angeles, CA – [Crypto.com](#) Arena

Saturday, July 13 – Las Vegas, NV – T-Mobile Arena

Tuesday, July 16 – Denver, CO – Ball Arena

Thursday, July 18 – Austin, TX – Moody Center

Saturday, July 20 – Houston, TX – Toyota Center

Sunday, July 21 – Fort Worth, TX – Dickies Arena

Wednesday, July 24 – Tampa, FL – Amalie Arena

Thursday, July 25 – Sunrise, FL – Amerant Bank Arena
Saturday, July 27 – Atlanta, GA – State Farm Arena
Thursday, August 1 – Baltimore, MD – CFG Bank Arena
Friday, August 2 – Hampton, VA – Hampton Coliseum
Saturday, August 3 – Belmont Park, NY – UBS Arena
Monday, August 5 – Philadelphia, PA – Wells Fargo Center
Thursday, August 8 – Washington, DC – Capital One Arena
Friday, August 9 – Newark, NJ – Prudential Center
Saturday, August 10 – Boston, MA – TD Garden
Monday, August 12 – Brooklyn, NY – Barclays Center
Thursday, August 15 – Detroit, MI – Little Caesars Arena
Saturday, August 17 – Montreal, QC – Bell Centre
Monday, August 19 – Toronto, ON – Scotiabank Arena
Thursday, August 22 – Rosemont, IL – Allstate Arena

The Grammys Celebrate 50 Years Of Hip-Hop

Sunday night The Grammys celebrated 50 years of hip-hop with a lineup of some of the most prominent rappers of the genre. Grandmaster Flash, Melle Mel, Run DMC, DJ Jazzy Jeff, Queen Latifah, Salt-N-Pepa, Rakim, Mr. Scarface, Busta Rhymes, Too Short, Ice-T, Method Man, Lil Baby, GloRilla, LL Cool J and

Public Enemy performed the compact tribute on the stage outfitted like 1520 Sedgwick Ave in the Bronx where DJ Kool Herc hosted the earliest hip-hop parties. Black Thought narrated the segment while The Roots provided the music. Questlove curated the evening and he, unfortunately, had to remove many artists because of time constraints.