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Christina Custode up for Nomination in the 58th Annual Grammy Awards

Eastman School of Music Graduate Continues to Receive Accolades for Original Music



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Local Singer-Songwriter <u>Christina Custode</u> (Best Female Vocalist, Artvoice "Best of Buffalo" 2015, 2013, 2011, 2010) is up for nomination in five categories to receive a Grammy Award for her original song "<u>Fire</u>"! Detailed information and the official video can be viewed at: <u>www.ChristinaCustode.com</u>

"Fire", the personally inspired single released from the award winning singer-songwriter, was written and performed by Christina Custode, produced by the legendary Stuart Epps (Elton John, George Harrison, Led Zepplin, Kiki Dee) of London, England, and re-mastered by Kevin Stratton (Grammy Award Winning producer for such artists as Chicago, Toto, Stevie Wonder, Thomas Dolby, and Van Halen). According to the artist, "Simply being up for nomination to receive a Grammy Award is a dream come true".

Performed as a piano driven contemporary piece, one in which Christina Custode's vocal performance shines throughout, "Fire" is up for nomination in the following five categories: "Best New Artist", "Song of the Year", "Best Pop Solo Performance", "Record of the Year" and "Best Arrangement, Instrumental & Vocals" (with Stuart Epps). The 58th Annual Recording Academy's Award Ceremony will air on CBS, Monday, February 15, 2016 from the Staples Center in Los Angeles, California.

Christina Custode is a classically trained pianist, vocalist, composer/arranger and graduate of the prestigious Eastman School of Music, Rochester, New York. Additional information: www.ChristinaCustode.com

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