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A DC-bred storyteller who's shared a stage with NBC's *The Voice* (Kelly Clarkson's team), SXSW, and Broccoli City, now leading The Free Will Tour, her first headline run and a rallying cry for a generation choosing to bet on itself.



The Voice · Team Kelly

SXSW2025 · Official Artist

American Songwriter · Contest Winner

Sold-Out Union Stage

Broccoli City Festival

TheFreeWill Movement · Summer 2026

Ainae writes Cinematic Soul: soulful vocals and story-driven songwriting set against modern, intense production, carrying her ethnic roots into every song. Trained at Howard University and the Lillehammer Institute of Music Production and Industries (Norway), she's moved through NBC's *The Voice* (S20, Team Kelly Clarkson), winner of the American Songwriter contest, an official artist slot at SXSW 2025, Broccoli City Festival, and New Skool Rules in Rotterdam, Netherlands, plus a sold-out headline of her own at Union Stage.

"Why do we keep forgetting we have free will? A choice in the life we've been given.
So chase the dream and live it loud."

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MUSIC

Looking Glass: debut EP (2025), 5 tracks, mixed by Grammy Award-winning engineer Dani Perez.

I'm Caught Up · Partay · Weekend Lover (feat. Saint Ciré) · Concentration · Overboard

New Single: "Runnin' Red Lights"

AUG 2026

LIVE & TOUR

Opened for: Samm Henshaw, Kyle Dion, James Vickery

JUL 29	Brooklyn, NY	The Sultan Room
JUL 30	Philadelphia, PA	Secret Location
AUG 07	Catonsville, MD	Morsberger's Tavern
AUG 13	Washington, D.C.	Homecoming: Union Stage

17.7K

Peak monthly Spotify listeners (Oct 2025)

140.7K+

Total tracked streams, Jan '24–Mar '26

14K

Instagram followers

141

Paid tickets: sold-out Union Stage headline

120–150

Cap venues: intimate, full-band

PRESS

American Songwriter (Contest Winner) · 96.3 WHUR (Interview) · MEAWW (The Voice S20 Profile)

BOOKING & TALENT

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