

Giorgia Fumanti -

JE SUIS CD - EMI Records
Out in worldwide from November 2008.

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Giorgia Fumanti is an Italian-Canadian [soprano](#) and singer of [operatic pop](#). Her music is compared to that of [Andrea Bocelli](#), [Sarah Brightman](#) and [Enya](#). She has performed at the [Special Olympics](#), [NHL](#), [PBS](#), with Chinese Pop Icon [Wei Wei](#), Italian star [Zucchero](#), and toured around the world with [Jose Carreras](#). She is also a spokesperson for [AMEIPH](#), an organization which works to integrate immigrants with disabilities into society.

Career

Giorgia Fumanti was born in the [Tuscan](#) village of [Fivizzano](#) and grew up in the nearby town of [Aulla](#), which remains her family home. As a teenager she sang in the Città di [Aulla Choir](#). She nearly completed a law degree, but left [law school](#) 2 exams from finishing. She became a [yoga](#) teacher then. At the age of 23 she decided to sing professionally. Giorgia enrolled in the [Conservatorio di Musica "Arrigo Boito"](#) in [Parma](#), where she studied for three years.

In 2002, Fumanti relocated to [Montreal](#), Canada to work with manager, Maurice Velenosi of MCM Entertainment Management, and in 2004, her first album, entitled *Like a Dream* was released on Canadian independent label [Isba Music Entertainment](#). The album featured her take on the music of [Vangelis](#).

She was soon signed with [Angel Records/EMI](#), and in March 2007, she released the album *From My Heart* worldwide. *From My Heart* was produced by [Craig Leon](#), and features her musical version of [Sting](#)'s 'Fields of Gold' (Campi d'Oro), and four [Ennio Morricone](#) pieces including themes from [The Mission](#), [Cinema Paradiso](#) and [Once Upon](#)

Background information

Origin	Aulla , Italy
Genre(s)	Crossover , operatic pop
Occupation(s)	Soprano singer
Years active	2002–present
Label(s)	Angel Records , EMI Classics
Associated acts	Heavenly Voices José Carreras
Website	www.giorgiafumanti.com

a Time in the West. It was recorded in the [Abbey Road Studios](#) in London with the [English Chamber Choir](#), and the [Netherlands Media Orchestra](#).

Performances

In January 2007, Fumanti made her U.S. TV debut, singing the [Canadian National Anthem](#) for the [NHL All-Stars Game](#) in [Dallas, Texas](#).

In March 2007, she performed on the [PBS Concert Special *Heavenly Voices*](#) along with musical artists [Ryland Angel](#), [Sasha & Shawna](#), and the [Tim Janis Ensemble](#). The concert, now available on DVD, was filmed in [Miami, Florida](#), and featured footage of each performer's [hometown](#).

Jan. 18, 2008, Wei Wei and Giorgia Fumanti sing in Vancouver, Canada. Broadcasted to an estimated audience of over 1 billion people, on SMG/Fairchild TV, in February 2008.

She toured [Southeast Asia](#) in the winter of 2006/2007 with star [tenor José Carreras](#), including performances in [Korea](#), [Hong Kong](#), and [Taiwan](#) (for a New Year's Eve Concert). In June 2007 she performed again with [Carreras](#) at the [Hampton Court Palace Festival](#), along with the [Royal Philharmonic Orchestra](#).

She recorded a [Christmas](#) Concert with Canadian-Irish Tenor [John McDermott](#) at the [Rose Theater](#) in Brampton, [Ontario](#), on June 26, 2007 (to be aired in November and December 2007). The concert was also recorded on CD and DVD.

Fumanti performed in an American Summer Tour along with the other performers of the [PBS Special *Heavenly Voices*](#). The tour included [Philadelphia, PA](#); [Nashville, TN](#); [Raleigh, North Carolina](#); [San Francisco, CA](#); [Portland, OR](#); [Seattle, WA](#) and [Minneapolis, MN](#).

In the Autumn of 2007, she toured with the Asian musical group, [12 Girls Band](#), with shows in North America and [Hawaii](#).

In September 2007, she performed in four [Canadian](#) concerts with Italian singer, [Zucchero](#).

On October 11, 2007, Giorgia went to [Shanghai, China](#), for the [Special Olympics World Summer Games, Closing Ceremonies](#). She was chosen to represent the Americas, among 4 other singers from 5 continents to sing a new version of "[We Are The World](#)".

Early in 2008, Giorgia sang a duet with superstar Chinese pop icon [Wei Wei](#), and the Fairchild TV/ Shanghai Media Group's "Chinese New Year All Star Show 2008". The show also marked the first time she sang in the Mandarin language.

Charity work

Giorgia Fumanti is the Spokesperson for the Québec Multi-Ethnic Association for the Integration of Persons with Disabilities [AMEIPH](#). She is also the World Ambassador for the [Cerebral Palsy Association of Quebec](#) (L' Association de paralysie cérébrale du Québec), performing concerts, meeting with members and doing what she can to increase awareness of the condition.

Discography

Like a Dream CD

- Release date: 2004
- Label: Isba Music Entertainment/The Orchard
- UPC: 829410412964

From My Heart CD

- Release date: March 6, 2007 in North America and December 29, 2006 in Asia
- Label: Manhattan Records
- ISBN: P2872852

From Je Suis CD

- Release date: November 2008 in North America, Europe and Asia.
- Label: EMI Records
- ISBN: ISB CD 5113

Heavenly Voices DVD

- Release date: March 6, 2007
- Co-performers: Ryland Angel, Giorgia Fumanti, Sasha & Shawna
- Label: Manhattan Records
- ISBN 978E91R79598

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- [Giorgia Fumanti, an Italian who sings from her heart, KZN Entertainment News](#)
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- [Youtube Video of Giorgia in the 2007 Special Olympics Closing Ceremonies](#)

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