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Artist Information

IAN CAREY *(Soul Providers, Saturated Soul)*

(Defected, Ministry of Sound, Hed Kandi, GFAB Records etc.)

For those not in the know, Ian "45" Carey is and has been over the past couple years a key player in the house scene in the USA and Europe.

His recordings and remixes have been released on labels such as Élan, Defected, Universal UK, AM:PM, Ministry of Sound, Warner Brothers Germany, Hed Kandi, Azuli, Tommy Boy Records, East West Germany, Houseworks Switzerland, Oxyd Records Italy, Slip N Slide Records UK and countless others...

His first vocal production, with Jason Papillon as Soul Providers, "Rise" was a crossover hit around the world. When asked, Ian and Jason both say they had no intention of making a mainstream record; it just worked out that way. Since then Ian and Jason have made many underground anthems (such as "Try My Love", "I Don't Know", and "Let The Sunshine In") staying true to their soulful sound and not compromising their music to fit the mold of current radio trends.

Ian grew up in a small town in Maryland, USA about 2 hours from Washington DC. He had been exposed to music at a young age, as his father (RIP) was a live sound engineer and ran a sound reinforcement company and had engineered for such groups as Kool and The Gang and The Duke Ellington Orchestra and his mother played guitar and sang as a hobby.

By the time he was 7 or 8 years old he was able to mic a stage for a concert and when possible, Ian would travel along with his father during the summer vacation making tour stops and seeing America from east to west. Throughout grade school Ian never got very good grades, but when he reached high school he realized the only way to get out of the



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small town he lived in was to go to college, he decided to put a little more time into school and at graduation he got many scholarships and went on to "study" at University of Maryland in Baltimore. This is where he discovered dance music.

Ian had already been apart of the graffiti-writing scene in Baltimore, Maryland, and through that he met hip-hop DJs throughout the city. This was Ian's next passion; he put down the spray can and bought some turntables. For the first few years of Djing he was playing mostly hip-hop and went on to do a Tuesday night hip-hop party in Baltimore's Club Midnight. At this point he started working in Music Liberated record store as a buyer and sales rep. This is where he was properly introduced to house music.

At the same time hip-hop was coming out of the underground and becoming more materialistic and more poppy, so Ian needed to find something else to give him that underground feeling. He started fingering through the house music bins in the store and he was hooked, a new passion!

Soon after, he met Jason Papillon, Ian's partner in the project Soul Providers. Jason and Ian would go every Saturday to Paradox in Baltimore to hear DJs such as Teddy Douglas, DJ Spen, DJ Karizma, Tony Humphries and Joe Clausell. At this point Ian knew that house music would become his life, and decided to put his audio knowledge to a use and start producing records.

At a certain point in 2003 Ian got really fed up with the house music scene in America and decided if he were to continue on his journey it need to be in Europe where the house music scene still thrives. So after some convincing, his wife quit her day job, and they went all in, sold their house and moved to The Netherlands, where Ian now resides.

Since then he has been busy producing under different projects and names including his latest project Saturated Soul, a collaboration with Eddie Amador. Ian now has some solo productions under his belt including "The Power" on Defected/Fluential Records.



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He has also been very busy with remixes. With Jason as Soul Providers they have remixed records by King Britt/Ursula Rucker, Silverstone, Hardsoul and E-Smoove (AKA Thick Dick).

On the solo tip, Ian has remixed records by Kid Crème, Danny Marquez and Ferry B., Dina Vass, Stonebridge, Cindi Lauper and Blue Chakra, for labels such as Defected, Élan, Hed Kandi, Soulfuric and Houseworks. DJ wise, Ian is very busy in The Netherlands and abroad, he has played in countries such as Switzerland, Italy, Sweden, Finland, Latvia, Poland, The Ukraine, Austria, England, Spain, Canada, and the USA.

Currently very busy DJing in The Netherlands and all around Europe, Ian is available for DJ dates and bookings worldwide. Ian continues to pay his dues and give whatever it takes to help the house music scene make its way out of the dark ...

Stay tuned for new productions, remixes and dj gigs, and be a witness to Ian's magic as he rise, rise, rises to the top!

ASSOCIATIONS:

Defected Records

Fluential Records

Soul Providers

Saturated Soul

Élan Records

GFAB Records

Defected In The House (club concept)

Charlie Spirit (club concept)

Ministry of Sound Records

Hed Kandi Records

Houseworks Records



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DJ IAN CAREY DJ RESUMÉ

Ian has Djed at the following events and clubnights (partial list):
InnerCity, Amsterdam, The Netherlands (festival for 30,000 people)

Bed Suppperclub, Bangkok, Thailand

Njoy Festival, Six Flags, Holland, The Netherlands

Sensation Festival, The Netherlands

Bed, Sheffield, England (House club of Gatecrasher)

El Divino, Ibiza

Goliath 9, Winterthur, Switzerland (festival for 12,000 people)

Heineken Dance Parade, Rotterdam, The Netherlands (mainstage,
250,000 people)

Opium Garden, Miami, USA

INVITED by Tiësto, Panama, Amsterdam, The Netherlands

Andalu, Washington, DC, USA

Utopia, Warsaw, Poland

Nautilus, Riga, Latvia

Chaikovsky Club, Kiev, The Ukraine

Kinyobi, Helsinki, Finland

Café Ursula, Helsinki, Finland

Ra, Gothenburg, Sweden

Club Oxa, Zürich, Switzerland

Club Miami, Ancona, Italy

Player, Northampton, UK

Pascia, Rimini, Italy

Melkweg, Amsterdam, The Netherlands

T Dansant, The Netherlands

Sinners in Heaven, The Netherlands

To See Club, Fribourg, Switzerland

Amsterdam Studios, Amsterdam, The Netherlands

Hotel Arena, Amsterdam, The Netherlands

Sol Pro Sessions at Club Five, Washington DC, USA (residency 2002-
2003)

Good Love Bar, Baltimore, MD, USA

De Waakzaamheid, Amsterdam, The Netherlands

Club Stalker, Haarlem, The Netherlands

Bar None, Los Angeles, CA, USA

Queensday Open Air Festival, Amstelveld, Amsterdam, The Netherlands

Bloomingdale, Bloemendaal, The Netherlands



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Republique, Bloemendaal, The Netherlands
Club XS2, Den Haag, The Netherlands
Garden Club at Voksgarten, Vienna, Austria
Lipton Ice Beach Lounge, Scheveningen, The Netherlands
Bamboo, Birmingham, UK
Angel Deelite, Manchester, UK
Off Corso, Rotterdam, The Netherlands
Offset Club, St. Gallen, Switzerland
Sonar, Baltimore, MD, USA
P1 Club, Vienna, Austria
LOS, Den Haag, The Netherlands
Vakzuid, Amsterdam, The Netherlands
Seabreeze Outdoor Festival, IJmuiden, The Netherlands
Mazzo, Amsterdam, The Netherlands
Red Maple, Baltimore, MD, USA
Orpheus, Baltimore, MD, USA
Club Midnight, Baltimore, MD, USA
Paradox, Baltimore, MD, USA
Unit Club, Biel/Bienne, Switzerland
Pravda, Luzern, Switzerland
Manhattan, Arnhem, The Netherlands
Jam Disclub, Valencia, Spain
And countless others...

CURRENT ARTIST PROJECTS

The Visionaries - Ian's more experimental electro side of production is showcased in this project. Teaming up with DC's Mike Fiorita, they have released "Find Another Way" on Spinnin' Records. An album is due out early next year under this name!!

Soul Providers - Ian's original project! With partner Jason Papillon they have made and are making some of the most well produced soulful house in the market today.

Players Inc. - Players Inc. is a collaboration of Amsterdam's DJ Jani, Jason (Soul Providers) and Ian. These releases tend to be in the clubby raw disco/funk vein. So far they have one record released ("Feelin' Alright") and 2 more in the works!



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Ian Carey - With the name Ian Carey, he releases raw, funky essential type house music. Ranging from soulful to electro, deephouse to techhouse, Ian sees no genre boundaries when he is creating a new project.

Saturated Soul - A project together with Eddie Amador, signed to Defected Records UK, the first single features Ms. Bunty from The Netherlands. As Saturated Soul the guys have also completed a remix of Bobby Blanco and Mikki Moto – "3AM" for Defected.

IAN CAREY PRODUCTIONS and REMIXES
CD RELEASES

Soul Providers present "Work That Body Vol. 1"
CD/DVD compilation mixed live from Hotel Arena Amsterdam, Élan Records

IAN "45" CAREY DISCOGRAPHY

Ian "45" Carey – "Mobtown Sound" Elan US/Houseworks CH
Ian "45" Carey – "It's Alright"/"Party Time" FC/Elan Records US
Saturated Soul – "Got To Release" Defected Records UK
The Visionaries – "Find Another Way" Spinnin' Records NL
Ian Carey – "Nonstop" Houseworks Records CH
Ian Carey presents Illicit Funk – "The Power" Defected/Fluential UK
Ian Carey presents The Good Guys – "Give Up The Funk" Elan/El
Dance/Stereo Seven Records
Ian Carey and Mochico - "Say What You Want" Nero Records Sweden

Soul Providers "Tango" Basement Boys Records
Soul Providers feat. Michelle Shellers "Rise" Azuli/Look At
You/Universal/OceanTrax/Legato
Soul Providers-"Montebello Groove" K2/Vinylicious Records
Soul Providers- "The Hand that I've Been Dealt" Look At You Records
Soul Providers- "I don't know" POJI Records US
Soul Providers feat. Carolyn Victorian- "Try My Love" Élan Records/Caus
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Soul Providers feat. Shellers- "Movin' On" Élan Records/Oxyd Italy
Soul Providers-"The Spaghetti Disco EP" Élan Records
Soul Providers - "Hold On" Look At You Records
L'enfant D'amour - "Deep Inside Your Love" Élan Records
Robin Rush - "After The Storm"



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Soul Providers feat. Robin Rush - "Let The Sunshine In" Élan
Soul Providers – "After Dark" EP Jamayka Records
Yug and Soul Providers – "Nobody Knows" Élan
Soul Providers – "No Pressure" Élan
The Sunday Morning Breakfast Club – "So Confused" Élan Bleu
IAN "45" CAREY REMIXES
Devoted-"Gotta Have" Houseworks CH
Stonebridge-"Put em High" Hed Kandi UK
Dina Vass- "Now I'm Free" Egoiste CH
Soul Providers- "Set Me Free" Élan Records
Soul Providers- "Let The Sunshine In" Élan Records
Blue Chakra - "Free From You" Houseworks CH
Bonanza Brothers - "Why" Egoiste CH
Cindi Lauper – "Inferno" Houseworks CH
Bobby Blanco and Mikki Moto – "3AM" Defected Records (w/ Eddie Amador)
Kid Crème –"Doing My Own Thing" Sureplayer Records
Golf Club – "Spandex" Spinnin Records
Danny Marquez and Ferry B – "Afrocatalans" Defected Records
Praful "Inspiracao" Élan Rouge Records
Mediterranean Vibes – "Beso" Élan Bleu Records
Soulsearcher – "Feelin' Love" Ian Carey Mix (Soulfuri Records)
DJ Disciple – "Yes" Ian Carey Mix (Catch 22 Recordings)
First Choice – "Love and Happiness" Ian Carey Mix (Élan Rouge Recordings)
Menchu – "Play Me With Your Sounds" Ian Carey Mix (Stealth Records)
Michael Grey – "The Weekend" Ian Carey Mix (Eye Industries/Spinnin Records)
Thomas Falke – "High On Emotion" Ian Carey Mix (Manifesto/Universal UK)
Ian Carey presents Illicit Funk - "The Power" (Fluential/Defected Records)
Ian Carey presents The Good Guys – "Give Up The Funk" (Élan/StereoSeven/El Dance)
Rockefeller – "Do It Right" (Manifesto/Sipinnin)
Dj Disciple "Yes" Hed Kandi Records UK
Scape "I'll be Your Friend" Ministry of Sound UK



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Blaze featuring Barbara Tucker "Most Precious Love" Defected Records
UK

SOUL PROVIDERS REMIXES

Scottie B- "2000" Unruly Records 2000
Dj Pope- "I Need You" Black Vinyl Records UK
Devin Deveaux- "Burn it Up" Fermaldehyd Germany
Mr. Mike- "House it Up" Stellar Italy
D-Weed- "It's Gonna Be Alright" Caus n f ct Germany
Silverstone- "If I Had A Choice" Spinnin Records NL
Beat Freakz- "Get Out of My Life" Spinnin Records NL
Yug- "You Don't Love Me" Ministry/YUG
Lovesick- "Stay Together" Warner DE
Devin DeVeaux - "The Love Game" Élan
King Britt - "Supernatural" Slip N Slide UK
Nightgroovers - "All Night" Spinnin' Records NL
Helen Garcia - "Soul Soothing Sunshine" Élan
The Right On Brothers - "Soulis.." Élan
Players Inc. - "Feelin' Alright" Élan
Phillip Ramirez - "Happy People" Élan
E-Smoove - "Something Special" SlipNSlide UK