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BIOGRAPHY

Emmanuel Essel Ackom known professionally as Jah Lead is a Ghanaian singer, songwriter, and performer from Anomabo. Jah Lead has emerged as one that continuously exuberates vibes, energy, and heart-warming lyrics with powerful vocals. He is a truly versatile artiste whose music can easily be described as an urban blend of Reggae, Dancehall, and Afro beats with a touch of R&B.

Jah Lead started his professional career as a musician with Globe Wave Studio in Adenta, Accra with engineers CashTwo and Dr. Ray. He later joined Samini's HighGrade Family alongside Stonebwoy, Kofi Kinaata and Hus Eugene with Brainy Beatz as the in-house producer.

He gained mainstream recognition after his single” Lonely” with producer JMJ was released on 30th March 2021. “Lonely” charted as number 67 of the most-played songs on Ghanaian Radio by Muse Africa. On his musical journey for about seven years now, Jah Lead has been consistently releasing music with different studios and managements including Root Vybes Records and Extra Large Music group. His musical inspirations come from listening to artists from different parts of the world with major influences from Ghana, Jamaica, and the USA as well as the United Kingdom.

He grew up listening to Jamaican artists like Bob Marley, and Burning Spear, with some Ghanaian artists like Amakye Dede, Kojo Antwi, and Daddy Lumba. Some of his more recent influences are Daville, Kevin Little, Wayne Wonder, and Queen Ifrica. Jah Lead has released other well- received songs such as “Marry Me” and “Pretenders” and hints at new music on the way. He is gradually amassing a very strong global appeal and a rapidly growing fan base, so keep a listening ear out for this superstar.

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3Music Awards 2021 nominee Jah Lead talks about hit song 'Lonely'

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I know what music Ghanaians need, and I give it- Jah Lead

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Jah Lead releases new single 'Marry Me'

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MAJOR PERFORMANCES



Muse Introlude Virtual Concert



3Music Awards 2021 Main Awards Night



Highlife Train Music



Jah Lead Live EP Experience



Rapperholic Concert 2021



Citi Breakfast Show

OTHER MAJOR PERFORMANCES

Launch of Ghana Music Awards 2021
Kentefest UK launch

GENRES

Reggae
Dancehall

Afrobeats
Highlife

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WORK & ACCOLADES

AWARDS AND NOMINATION

2021 - 3Music Awards - Reggae/Dancehall Song of the Year (Nominated) (Lonely), Reggae/Dancehall Act of the Year (Nominated) (Himself)

2021 - Ghana Music Awards - Reggae/Dancehall song of the year (Nominated) (Lonely)

2021 - Ghana Music Awards USA - Reggae/Dancehall Artist of the Year (Himself)

2022 - Ghana Music Awards Dubai - Reggae/Dancehall Song of the Year (Nominated) (Sre Keke), Reggae/Dancehall Act of the Year (Nominated) (Himself)

ARTIST WORKED WITH

Samini
Kofi Kinaata
E.L
Guru
Kofi Ntl
Recognize Ali
Ofori Amponsah

DISCOGRAPHY

Lonely
Pretenders
Melanin
Sre Keke
Baby Done Talking
Marry Me

EP

Love Is Coming
EP (2021)

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