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Marionette Noir Reimagines The Cure's "Pictures of You" for Valentine's Day Launch

MINNEAPOLIS, MN — Independent songwriter and producer Marionette Noir today announces the launch of her latest project, *Pictures of You*, releasing tomorrow, February 14, 2026. The project features a haunting, cinematic reimagining of the iconic 1989 track by The Cure, a song that has resonated with the artist for decades and has now been recreated to fit the dark world of Marionette Noir.

In this showcase of her proprietary SovereignAI™ process, Marionette Noir architects a vocal performance that captures the deep nostalgia and longing of the original while grounding it in a modern, "Red Theater" soundscape. By utilizing technology as a specialized instrument, she breathes new life into the track, emphasizing that while the performance is synthesized, the creative control and emotional intent remain entirely hers.

"I have loved this song for decades," says Marionette Noir. "Recreating it was about taking a piece of music from my history and architecting it to reflect the Melodic Noir aesthetic. By using SovereignAI™, I am able to honor the original's vulnerability while documenting my own creative sovereignty".

The project is defined by its **Melodic Noir Aesthetic**, blending atmospheric piano with gritty, soulful undertones. This vision is represented visually by the project's cover art: a shadowed silhouette fading into a textured haze, mirroring the fractured and dissolving nature of memories preserved in time.

Pictures of You will be available to experience tomorrow, **February 14, 2026**, exclusively at MarionetteNoir.com.

About Marionette Noir: Based in Minneapolis, Marionette Noir is a songwriter and music producer exploring the intersections of human psychology and dark cabaret. She specializes in architecting vocal performances through her proprietary SovereignAI™ process.

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