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**INDIE ICON SINGER/SONGWRITER ANI DIFRANCO RELEASES 23RD ALBUM
UNPRECEDENTED SH!T, PRODUCED BY BJ BURTON**

LISTEN TO LATEST TRACK "SPINNING ROOM" [HERE](#)

**1-800-ON-HER-OWN DOCUMENTARY PREMIERING
AT TRIBECA FILM FESTIVAL ON JUNE 10 WITH INTIMATE LIVE PERFORMANCE
SCREENINGS THROUGHOUT THE SUMMER**

CURRENTLY STARRING AS PERSEPHONE IN HADESTOWN ON BROADWAY

THIRD BOOK SHOW UP AND VOTE TO BE RELEASED IN AUGUST

"Who else can cut to the heart of the important issues affecting our everyday lives while still making it catchy as hell? Ani DiFranco once again has us dancing and thinking at the same time. She's one of the greatest because she continues to be one of the greatest." – Kyle Meredith, WFPK/Consequence

Nashville, TN – Today, prolific singer/songwriter Ani DiFranco releases *Unprecedented Sh!t*, produced by BJ Burton (Bon Iver, Low), on her label, Righteous Babe Records. The newest album track "Spinning Room" tackles environmental destruction, intertwining the perspectives of nature and the individual seamlessly, blurring the lines between the two. The song highlights our tendency to individualize a dis-ease which is essentially global and environmental in nature. Listen to "Spinning Room" and *Unprecedented Sh!t* via DSPs [HERE](#).

The title *Unprecedented Sh!t* is not only representative of how much of a sonic departure the 11-track album is from Ani's other work, but also a political and social commentary on the current state of the world. DiFranco shares, "We find ourselves in unprecedented times in many ways, faced with unprecedented challenges. So our responses to them and our discourse around them, need to rise to that level." With Burton, DiFranco experiments with different sonic elements, leading to a sound that feels both authentic and polished.

A new documentary on DiFranco's rise entitled *1-800-ON-HER-OWN* will premiere at the [Tribeca Film Festival](#) on June 10, with an intimate live performance by DiFranco. The film is a vulnerable look at her life today, as she struggles to balance artistry with the demands of family. Other festival appearances include: [Provincetown Film Festival](#) on June 15, [DC/DOX](#) on June 16, [Montclair Summer Film Showcase](#) on June 28 and more.

DiFranco is currently starring as 'Persephone' in the Tony and Grammy Award-winning Best Musical, *Hadestown*. DiFranco's history with *Hadestown* began in 2010 when she invited Anais Mitchell to release the original studio album of *Hadestown* on Righteous Babe Records. DiFranco originated the role of 'Persephone' on the album, leaving an enduring impression on the character as the show evolved over the course of several years.

DiFranco is also a published author. Her memoir *No Walls and the Recurring Dream* was a *New York Times* Top 10 best seller in 2019, and her debut children's book *The Knowing* is out now. Her next children's book [Show Up and Vote](#) is due in August of 2024.

Widely considered a feminist icon, Grammy winner Ani DiFranco is the mother of the DIY movement, being one of the first artists to create her own record label, Righteous Babe Records, in 1990. She has released 23 albums, traversing folk, punk, hip-hop, soul and electronic genres and addressing a range of autobiographical, political and social issues. *Unprecedented Sh!t* follows the June 2023 25th Anniversary Edition reissue of her seminal effort *Little Plastic Castle*.

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