

# Gotye

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Often times at a concert, I just close my eyes. Music is very transportive and visual for me like that.

~Gotye

I could quite happily just make music because it conjures up a whole visual world for me in my mind.

~Gotye

You can get addicted to a certain kind of sadness, Like resignation to the end, Always the end.

~Gotye

Through the music I hope to give it an arc that gives it a greater sense of a journey through the set rather than a bunch of songs.

~Gotye

Emotionally, I feel mostly out-of-depth, like I will never quite learn how to be what I should be. And that makes me feel pretty vulnerable a lot of the time.

~Gotye

What makes me vulnerable? Well, my ego, probably. I kind of like to try to let go of it. Or feeling out of my depth. In various aspects of my life, whether it's musical or personal.

~Gotye

When I started covering The Beatles and The Rolling Stones in a rock 'n' roll band, it helped me realize that my natural voice is actually really high. It helped me find my voice.

~Gotye

Have your friends collect your records and then change your number.

~Gotye

Music makes me want to dance but I'm not sure that's something anybody wants to observe.

~Gotye

I tend to just do whatever I want on an album and try to make it work. I'm just adventurous. It's most exciting to be at the edge of your abilities. I want to see how far I can push things.

~Gotye

I've been very lucky to work with many amazing animators and directors who can interpret and extend the music I make. When it's done well, it can create extra meaning and new context for the song.

~Gotye

I'm open to whatever. I think sometimes when people collaborate these days, it's a little bit convenient.

~Gotye

All the records I've put out have had either artwork that I did while I was young or something that my Dad painted.

~Gotye

I do get a bit of a sense, just from e-mails some people send me, just a little sense of how people in different countries seem to respond differently to certain lines in a song.

~Gotye

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