## Lwazi Ike Nkiwane

Trainee, Singer, Songwriter and Creative Writer
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I work as a trainee at Link-Up workshop since 2006 and I write all kinds of stuff including stories and ideas for television.

I am a singer and songwriter myself as well. I've recorded demo recordings with James Eddings and Graeme Rawson and recently released an album of my favourite cover songs and two originals that I have co-written with Eddings.

I live in Reading in Berkshire in the UK and I have been living there for two decades.

I've been singing songs since I was little and writing songs since I was 16.

I wrote and recorded two songs 'How Wonderful You Are' and 'Love Don't Change Your Mind' with my now deceased friend and collaborator James Eddings in Swindon in June 2006.

James was a good man and he played in Heatwave among others.

In addition to that we wrote 'How Wonderful You Are' and a few songs but we never got around to finishing them.

My heart broke when he died suddenly aged in his 50's five years ago. I was completely devastated by the loss.

Since then, I've been working with Graeme Rawson in 2016 and recently I've been releasing an album of my favourite songs last year but my voice needs to be in the right shape.

It also contains two originals that I have co-written with my now deceased friend and collaborator James Eddings, and they are 'How Wonderful You Are' and 'Love Don't Change Your Mind'.

I've been working with my singing teacher and she and I have a wonderful working relationship which it lasts to this day.

## **CREDITS:**

2006 – Inner sound Demo Recording
2006 – A Boy Called Lwazi autobiography
2016 – The Graeme Rawson Sessions

## **WORK EXPERIENCE**

Trainee

Link-Up - Newbury - September 2006 to Present

I've been an trainee at Link-Up for 16 years and I did bookmarks, etc.

**EDUCATION** 

**OCR** in Workskills

Reading College - Reading

2004 to 2008

OCR in Workskills

Farleigh Further Education College - Swindon

2004 to 2006

Diploma in Workskills

Ashford College - Kent

2003 to 2003

Addington School – Reading

2002-2003

Moselle School – Tottenham

1999-2002

Whitfield School – Walthamstow

1988-1999

SKILLS

Project Planning, Writing, Singing, Computer Skills

PREVIOUS LIVE SHOWS

1991-2022 Various Shows

LINKS

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