

esperanza spalding

[JAZZ]

[VOCALIST]

[BASSIST]

[COMPOSER]

**ESPERANZA
SPALDING**
AMERICAN
COMPOSER,
BASSIST, VOCALIST,
+ EDUCATOR

Classically trained from childhood, Spalding gravitated to jazz, her favorite genre. Her music incorporates

elements of classical, pop and hip hop, and has earned her four Grammy Awards. When she's not composing or performing, Spalding is a professor of music at Harvard University.

Above, Esperanza Spalding performs at the 2017 Jazz in the Gardens Music Fest in Miami Gardens, Florida. She has toured widely and has released 12 albums, seven of which are solo.