

# BILLIE EILISH



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# Biography

Billie Eilish Pirate Baird is an American singer and songwriter. Eilish was born in Los Angeles, California, on December 18, 2001. She is the daughter of actress and screenwriter Maggie Baird and actor Patrick O'Connell. Eilish is of Irish and Scottish descent. She was homeschooled and her mother taught her and her elder brother Finneas O'Connell basics of songwriting. Eilish wrote her first "real" song at age 11 for her mother's songwriting class. The song is about the zombie apocalypse, inspired by the television series *The Walking Dead*.

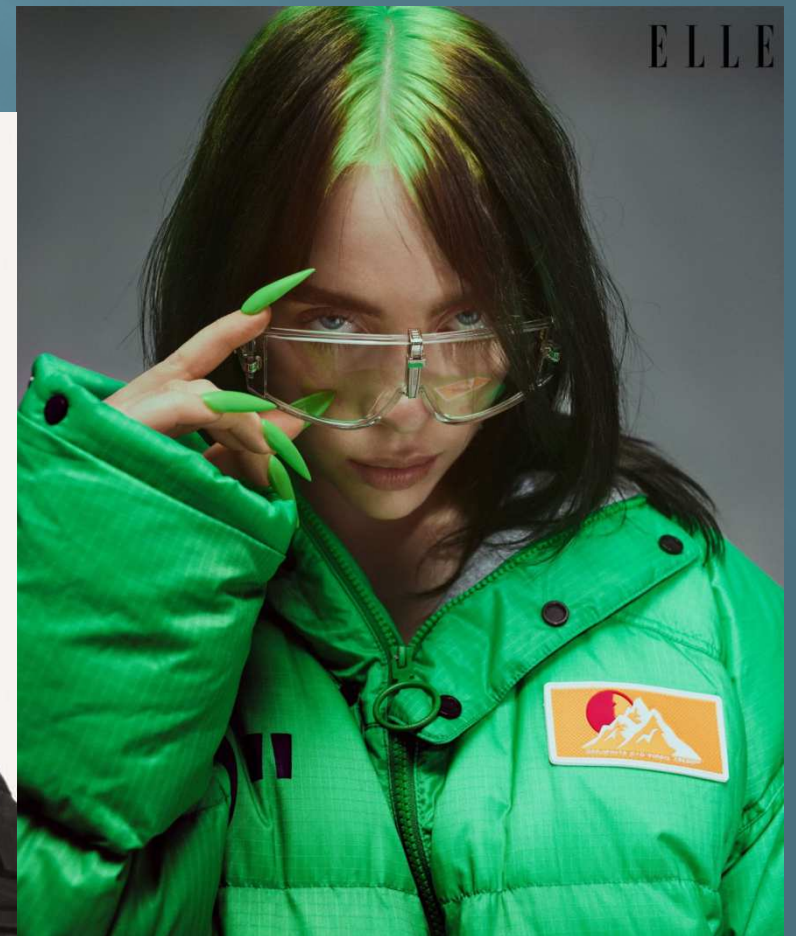


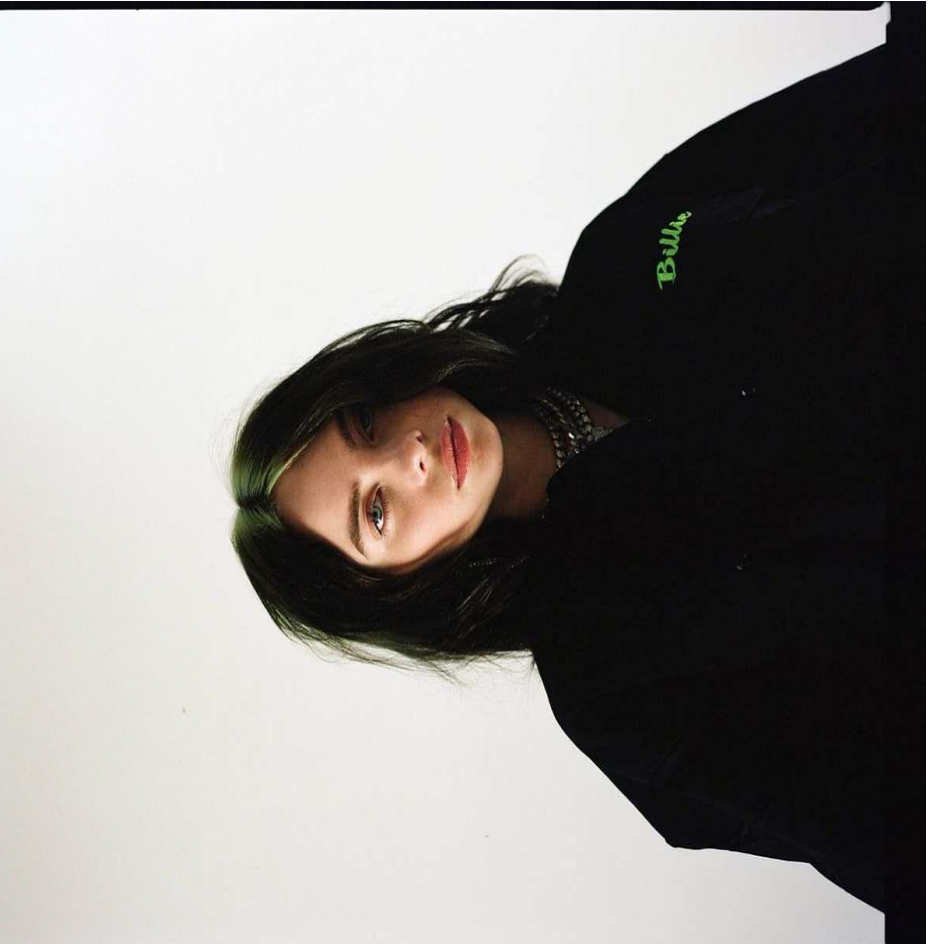
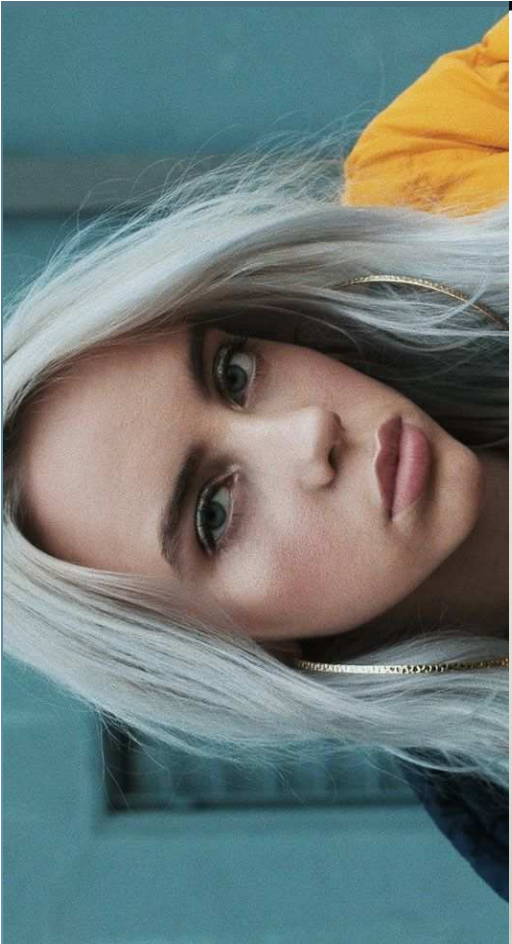


# Career

2015-2017

In October 2015, Eilish recorded the song "Ocean Eyes", written and produced by Finneas. In June 2017, Eilish released the single "Watch", "Copycat" and "Don't Smile at Me". These singles included "I don't want to be you anymore" and "My Boy", both of which were certified gold by the RIAA.





## 2018 and 2019



In February 2018, Eilish collaborated with American singer Khalid for the single "Lovely", which was released in April 2018 "Lovely" was certified platinum in the US. She also released the and "You Should See Me in a Crown" who was in top 10 on Billboard. She was placed on the 2018 Forbes Under top 10 list in November.

In early January 2019, Eilish's song Don't Smile at Me reached 1 billion streams on Spotify, making her the youngest artist to top 1 billion streams on a song. That month, Eilish released "Bury a Friend". "Bury a Friend" peaked at number 2 on the Billboard Hot 100.



2019-2020

Billie is the first artist born in the 2000s to have a number one album in the US, and the youngest female ever to have a number one album in the UK. The fifth single from the album, "Bad Guy" has 3 awards. She is the first artist born in the 2000s and the youngest to have a number-one single. On November 20, Eilish was nominated for six Grammy Awards including Record of the Year and Song of the Year for "Bad Guy" as well as Album of the Year and Best New Artist. At the age of 17, she became the youngest artist to be nominated in all four General categories. In the same month, Eilish was crowned 2019 Billboard Woman of the Year. On January 14, 2020, At the 62nd Grammy Awards, she became the youngest person and first woman to win the four main Grammy categories, Best New Artist, Record of the Year, Song of the Year, and Album of the Year.

