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ZANOXOLO

ZAH-NOH-TLOH-LOH · STYLISED ZNXL

Johannesburg artist, producer and engineer Zanoxolo makes pop, soul, funk and disco-rooted hip-hop, built by hand from the board up.

BIO

Zanoxolo, known as ZNXL, is a Johannesburg artist who builds his records from the ground up as his own producer and sound engineer. He came up as one half of Black Faces, the hip-hop duo he formed with Synclair Jacobs, whose single "Oceans" became their calling card. Solo, his sound pulls pop, soul, funk and disco into conversation with hip-hop: warm, cinematic and earthy. He has released steadily since his 2015 debut Young, Black & Broke, and captured his live show on A Sunday Between Us (Live) in 2025. His songs are about resilience, love and identity.

LIVE

Zanoxolo brings a live show built on soul, funk and disco-rooted hip-hop, with the polish of an artist who engineers his own sound. Recent stages: YAMS | You Are My Sunday (regular), Something's Cooking with J, The Obscene Parrot, Market Theatre. Available as a DJ-plus-vocal set, with a full-band show in development. A blanket licence covers the DJ, dancers and band. The live team: DJ Hugo Bxngz and dancers The Tiny Steppers, available on request. On request: licence certificate, DJ packs, tech rider and stage plot.

ROLES
Artist, producer, sound engineer, founder of Vth Legacy

SOUND
Pop, soul, funk, disco, hip-hop

RELEASING SINCE
2015 · 44+ released tracks

PREVIOUSLY
Black Faces, with Synclair Jacobs

DUO
Our Little Secret, with Dominic C.

LIVE FORMAT
DJ + vocal · full band in development

REGULAR STAGE
YAMS | You Are My Sunday



A SUNDAY BETWEEN US (LIVE) · 2025



HURTING · OUR LITTLE SECRET · 2025



TATTOO · 2023



FIND ME · 2023



SOMEWHERE · BLACK FACES · 2019



YOUNG, BLACK & BROKE · 2015