**Polyphia research for homepage**

**Polyphia** is a primarily instrumental [progressive rock](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Progressive_rock) band based in [Plano, Texas](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Plano,_Texas), formed in 2010. The group consists of guitarists Tim Henson and Scott LePage, bassist Clay Gober, and drummer Clay Aeschliman.

Polyphia's sound is noted for incorporating virtuosic guitar parts with other styles of music.[[1]](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Polyphia#cite_note-1) Initially rooted in a metal-focused tone in their early releases, they developed their music into a more progressive rock sound, combining electronic music and hip hop in their later productions. Polyphia has released four studio albums, two EPs, and numerous singles. Their fourth album, *Remember That You Will Die*, released in October 2022, was the first to chart, debuting at number 33 on the [*Billboard* 200](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Billboard_200).

**Polyphia’s style**

The band initially became popular on YouTube for making guitar covers of hit songs, and their debut EP “Inspire” showed that they were mostly influenced by pop music. They became more metal-oriented in their following songs, and were soon associated with the progressive metal sub-genre called Djent.

It was after their second LP “Renaissance” that they were branded as a progressive rock band, while Polyphia then began mixing funk, hip-hop and EDM elements in their new songs.

 The band's fourth studio album, *Remember That You Will Die*, has continued in this vein, further exploring "trap percussion and hip hop stylings", as well as incorporating a variety of genres, such as [bubblegum pop](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Bubblegum_music" \o "Bubblegum music) and [bossa nova](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Bossa_nova).[[11]](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Polyphia#cite_note-11)

In September 2022, Polyphia released the single "Ego Death", the fourth from their latest album, *Remember That You Will Die*. The release was accompanied by a video, both of which feature guitar virtuoso [Steve Vai](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Steve_Vai). *Remember That You Will Die* was released on October 28, 2022, and includes guest appearances by [Brasstracks](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Brasstracks" \o "Brasstracks), [Snot](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Snot_(rapper)), [Chino Moreno](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Chino_Moreno) and the aforementioned Vai. The band have announced a 15-date European tour to support it.

**Band members**

* Tim Henson – guitar (2010–present)
* Scott LePage – guitar (2010–present)
* Clay Gober – bass guitar (2012–present)
* Clay Aeschliman – drums (2016–present)