

## = Favorite Girl =

" Favorite Girl " is a song by Canadian recording artist , Justin Bieber . The song was written and produced by D 'Mile , and Antea Birchett , Anesha Birchett , and Delisha Thomas also receive writing credits . Bieber debuted the acoustic version of his song in his official YouTube account after American country pop singer Taylor Swift used Bieber 's single " One Time " as background music in one of her video tour diaries . The song was later released exclusively to iTunes as the second promotional single from his debut studio release , My World on November 4 , 2009 .

The song is mid @-@ tempo , and merges teen pop and R & B elements . The song debuted at number twelve and twenty @-@ six , in Canada and the United States , respectively . It also charted at number ninety @-@ two Australia , and at numbers seventy @-@ six and twenty @-@ seven in the United Kingdom , and the UK R & B chart , respectively Bieber performed the song on several occasions , most of them being the acoustic version of the song , including as a supporting act on Swift 's Fearless Tour .

## = = Background = =

In August 2009 , country pop singer Taylor Swift used Bieber 's " One Time " as background music and music that she and her friends were dancing to in a tour video diary that she posted on her official YouTube account . In response to Swift using his song , Bieber posted an acoustic rendition of the then never @-@ before heard " Favorite Girl " on his YouTube . When asked about his learning of Swift using his song , Bieber stated , " It was really funny because I heard about it from a fan . I watched it and it was hilarious ! " Bieber and Swift then met in person at the 2009 MTV Video Music Awards , and she later invited him to be a special guest on her Fearless Tour when she returned to the United Kingdom .

The song was written by Dernst " D 'Mile " Emile II , Antea Birchett , Anesha Birchett , and Delisha Thomas . Emile also has production credits . The song was recorded by Blake Eisemen at Icon Studios in Atlanta , Georgia , where Bieber 's career is based . Mixing was done by Dave Pensado and Jaycen @-@ Joshua Fowler , at Larrabee Studios in North Hollywood , California . The song became a popular trending topic on Twitter on the day of its release . " Favorite Girl " be is a teen @-@ pop song , which integrates characteristics of R & B music . According to the sheet music published at Musicnotes.com by Universal Music Publishing , Ltd . , " Favorite Girl " is set in common time , and has a moderate tempo of 88 beats per minute . It is composed in the key of E minor with Bieber 's vocals spanning from the low @-@ note of G3 to the high @-@ note of B4 . The song follows in the chord progression of C ? Em ? G

## = = Chart performance = =

The song had hot shot debuts and limited stays on the U.S. Billboard Hot 100 and Canadian Hot 100 due to the single being released via iTunes only . It debuted in the U.S. at number twenty @-@ six on the week ending November 21 , 2009 , and remained on the chart for two weeks . The same week it debuted at number fifteen in Canada , remaining on the chart for two weeks . The song returned to the Canadian Hot 100 at number ninety @-@ nine on the week ending January 9 , 2009 . In 2010 , the chart also appeared on the UK Singles Chart at seventy @-@ six , and on the UK R & B Chart .

## = = Performances = =

Most Bieber performances of the song are of the acoustic rendition . Bieber originally performed the song for the first time , acoustically , when he appeared for a second time on The Ellen DeGeneres Show on November 3 , 2009 , the same day the song was released to iTunes . Regarding the performance , MTV News praised the song as a " funky , groovy , swaggerific jam " . Bieber performed the song on the Fearless Tour , during Winter 2009 while performing at radio station

@-@ hosted Jingle Ball concerts , and during a live session with MTV , in which he was named MTV 's Artist of the Week . During the live session with MTV , he performed the song while playing the keyboard . In a review of his acoustic performance of the song at Z100 's 2009 Jingle Ball , Jon Caramanica of The New York Times called it his best performance of the night .

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