

= All Around the World ( Justin Bieber song ) =

" All Around the World " is a song by Canadian recording artist Justin Bieber , from his third studio album , Believe ( 2012 ) . It was written by Bieber , Sir Nolan and Nasri of The Messengers in collaboration with Ludacris , who guest features . This was the second collaboration between Bieber and Ludacris , having previously collaborated on " Baby " ( 2010 ) . It was first released on June 4 , 2012 , as a promotional single from the album . The song was released as the fourth international single , and the fifth and final US single on February 26 , 2013 . The Eurodance track features a similar instrumentation to songs by Britney Spears , Chris Brown and Usher . Lyrically , it features Bieber singing to his love interest that " all around the world , people want to be loved " . " All Around the World " received mostly positive reviews from music critics , who welcomed the song 's Eurodance style . The song had moderate success worldwide , reaching the top ten in several countries , such as Belgium , Canada and Norway . Bieber promoted the song through live performances and a music video .

= = Background and composition = =

In late 2011 , Bieber confirmed to radio network Capital FM that he was recording material for his third studio album , which was originally going to be released in early 2012 . He later spoke to MTV News and revealed that Believe would surprise people in different ways , since it is musically a departure from his previous works . " All Around the World " was written and produced by The Messengers and Nolan Lambroza , while Bieber and Ludacris wrote additional lyrics . On May 25 , 2012 , an unmastered version of the track leaked online . The cover art for the promotional single was unveiled on June 4 , 2012 , and features Bieber holding an acoustic guitar over his shoulder , standing on the surface of the world , while the moon is glowing behind him . The same day , the track was released on iTunes Store through The Island Def Jam Music Group . The song was later released as the fourth international single , and the fifth and final US single on February 26 , 2013 .

It is an Eurodance song , which incorporates heavy synthpop elements in its instrumentation and is similar to previous works by producer David Guetta . Contemporary critics compared the track to Britney Spears ' " Till the World Ends " ( 2011 ) and Chris Brown 's " Beautiful People " ( 2011 ) . Lyrically , Bieber sings for his love interest and says that " all around the world , people want to be loved " . The track opens with he singing , " You 're beautiful , beautiful / You should know it / I think it 's time , think it 's time / That you show it " , lines that were compared to One Direction 's " What Makes You Beautiful " ( 2011 ) . As the track follows , Bieber encourages girls to release their inner beauty : " Light it up , so explosive / Why you acting so shy , holding back / DJ bring that back . " During the rap section , Ludacris references their previous collaboration on " Baby " ( 2010 ) , saying , " Once again , the dynamic duo is back at it ! / JB , Ludacris ! / I love everything about you / You 're imperfectly perfect / Everyone 's itching for beauty / But they 're just scratching the surface . "

= = Reception = =

= = Critical response = = =

" All Around the World " received mostly positive reviews from music critics . Jenna Rubenstein of MTV thought that the " fist @-@ pumping club banger " is a complete departure from Bieber 's previous work , while Diadem Pambid of the International Business Times stated that the singer joined the " ' synth @-@ pop ' bandwagon " along with Britney Spears , Chris Brown and Usher . Jocelyn Vena also of MTV stated that the song could have been recorded by Usher , due to its " grinding , fist @-@ pumping " background . Entertainment Weekly columnist Ray Rahman gave " All Around the World " a positive review , and stated : " a Euro beat worthy of The Wanted ? The vocal swagger of Chris Brown ? Lyrics smacking of One Direction ? Check , check , and check , please ! " Rick Florino of Artistdirect rated " All Around the World " five out of five stars , and commented that

the track is not only a sequel to " Baby " , but is also " a whole new level for pop itself . " Becky Bain of Idolator explained that the song is a good example of how Bieber is taking " baby steps to ' swaggy ' adulthood through the evolution of his music ? keep the content G @-@ Rated , but make the beat something the older club @-@ going crowd can enjoy . So far , it ? s working . " Amy Sciarretto of Pop Crush gave the track a mixed review , and deemed it as highly similar to the work of Spears , stating : " If you told us this song was penned for Britney Spears for her last album Femme Fatale , we 'd Believe it , because the computerized style and the thick vocal effects remind us of recent Brit material . It 's safe to say that ' All Around the World ' is a club banger . And while we love Bieber , it 's not our favorite song on Believe so far . "

= = = Chart performance = = =

In the United States , " All Around the World " debuted at its peak number 22 on the Billboard Hot 100 chart on June 23 , 2012 , becoming the week 's best @-@ debuting single . On the Pop Songs chart , it peaked at number 19 . On the Canadian Hot 100 , it peaked at number ten . " All Around the World " debuted on the UK Singles Chart at its peak of number 30 , for the week ending June 16 , 2012 . In Denmark , it debuted at its peak of number seven , remaining five weeks on the chart . On the Norwegian Singles Chart , it peaked at number three . " All Around the World " debuted at number 56 on Sweden 's national singles chart , later peaking at number 41 and then fell out after two weeks . The track also peaked at number 34 in Australia and 15 in New Zealand , lasting for two weeks in both countries .

= = Music video = =

The official video was premiered on April 12 , 2013 . " Blessed and grateful to do what i do # AllAroundTheWorld . Thanks " , he wrote linking to the video . It is a " tour video " which is entirely composed of Bieber showing his point of view while he is touring the world and is largely based on his performance over Mexico City . It also illustrates vistas from the places he visited and documents national monuments including the Elizabeth Tower , the Eiffel Tower , the Sydney Opera House , Taj Mahal , pyramids of Giza , the Coliseum and Christ the Redeemer statue in Brazil . Ludacris , joins Bieber in the video during the rap portion of the song . It also included images of the singer posing with fans , and others crying and screaming for him .

Nardine Saad from Los Angeles Times noted that the video " briefly makes us sympathetic toward the Biebs and his eyebrow @-@ raising behavior this last year , which has included speeding , possibly smoking pot and frequently walking around shirtless " and named the fans ' part " memorable " . The same noted Ryan Seacrest 's website , saying " proves that no matter where he goes , there will always be plenty of fans to support him " . Entertainment Weekly notes that it " show off Justin Bieber in an all @-@ white suit and in a leather @-@ jacket outfit . Ludacris appears for a guest @-@ verse , indicating that this may all be a stealth prequel to Fast & Furious 6 " . Idolator 's Christina Lee described the video as " flashy " and wrote that it " offers a rose @-@ colored view of his superstar status " .

= = Live performances = =

Bieber performed " All Around the World " at the Capital FM Summertime Ball 2012 . For the performance , he sported fingerless gloves , a Union Jack tank with matching vest , and jeans . The singer also performed the track during a promotional concert in Europe on June 4 , 2012 , along with " Boyfriend " and " Die in Your Arms " . Bieber also performed " All Around the World " and " Boyfriend " at the 2012 MuchMusic Video Awards on June 17 . The song is also used as Bieber 's 2012 @-@ 13 Believe Tour 's opening song . Entering from the upper portion of the arena , Bieber was lowered onto the center of the stage wearing a massive pair of charcoal @-@ colored wings . He was quickly joined by a troupe of male backing dancers as the song was played . Fireworks exploded , laser lights shot wildly from the ceiling , confetti fell to the floor and plumes of smoke

were released from the bottom of the stage . Sophie A. Schillaci from The Hollywood Reporter gave a negative review for the performance and wrote that " if you can move past Justin Bieber ? s bizarre stage entrance , flying in on a set of ginormous metal wings to the tune of ' All Around the World ' , it 's hard not to smile at his show " .

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= = Release history = =