

= Who Said =

" Who Said " is a pop song by American recording artist and actress Miley Cyrus . She is performing as Hannah Montana ? the alter ego of Miley Stewart , a character she plays on the Disney Channel television series Hannah Montana . The song was written by Matthew Gerrard , Robbie Nevil , and Jay Landers and produced by Gerrard . It was released on July 11 , 2006 by Walt Disney Records as a promotional single from the series ' first soundtrack , Hannah Montana . " Who Said " bears teen pop aspects musically , while its lyrics are about individualism .

In the United States , the song peaked at number eighty @-@ three on the Billboard Hot 100 and within the top seventy on the Pop 100 . Its appearance on the Billboard Hot 100 made Cyrus the first act to have seven songs appear on the chart in the same week . A music video for " Who Said " was released , taken from footage of a concert performance .

= = Background and composition = =

" Who Said " was composed by Matthew Gerrard with the aid of Robbie Nevil and Jay Landers . Gerrard co @-@ wrote a total of six songs on Hannah Montana while Nevil co @-@ wrote four and Landers two . A karaoke version appears on Disney 's Karaoke Series : Hannah Montana ( 2007 ) , while a remixed version appears on Hits Remixed ( 2008 ) . The song first premiered on Radio Disney on March 10 , 2006 in order to promote the series and was afterward released as a promotional single from Hannah Montana on July 11 , 2006 to digital retailers . The album artwork for the release was the same as the soundtrack 's .

" Who Said " is pop song with a length of three minutes and fifteen seconds . The song incorporates various teen pop styles within its music , according to Allmusic . The song is set in common time and has a moderate tempo of 120 beats per minute . It is written in the key of E major and Cyrus ' vocals span two octaves , from B3 to C ? 5 . " Who Said " follows the chord progression of E ? A. Chris William of Entertainment Weekly perceived the lyrics of " Who Said " pertained to individualism , noting the lines " I 'm individual / I 'm not like anyone " .

= = Reception = =

= = = Critical reception = = =

Chris William of Entertainment Weekly described " Who Said " ' s style as a simultaneous mimic of the styles of Avril Lavigne , Ashlee Simpson , and Britney Spears , which he felt contracted its lyrical theme .

= = = Chart performance = = =

As it was not released as a single , " Who Said " received exclusive airplay on Radio Disney , thus its chart appearances consisted mainly of digital downloads . On the week ending August 5 , 2006 , the song debuted at number ninety @-@ two on the Billboard Hot 100 ; succeeding the appearance , the song dropped from the chart . Following the release of the Hannah Montana soundtrack , the song entered Billboard 's Hot Digital Songs Chart at number forty @-@ four , which led to a reappearance on the Billboard Hot 100 on the week ending November 11 , 2006 . " Who Said " re @-@ entered the Billboard Hot 100 at its peak of eighty @-@ three , thus becoming one of the songs to make Cyrus the female act with the most songs charting in the same week . The record was later duplicated by Taylor Swift . The song also peaked at number sixty @-@ three on the now @-@ defunct Pop 100 Chart . " Who Said " peaked at number sixty @-@ five on the Hot Canadian Digital Singles chart .

= = Live performances = =

Cyrus , costumed as Montana , first performed " Who Said " , along with six other songs , at the concert taping for the first season of Hannah Montana . In the performance , Cyrus dressed in a white tank top embroidered with a rhinestone cross , blue jeans with a loose , black miniskirt on top of it , black leather boots , and silver leather jacket . It began with Cyrus entering from behind a huge , illuminated sign that spelled " Hannah Montana " . She then roamed throughout the stage singing the number . The performance was later released as the song 's music video on April 10 , 2006 on Disney Channel . Cyrus also performed the song on twenty dates in the fall of 2006 , when she opened for the Cheetah Girls ' 2006 and 2007 concert tour The Party 's Just Begun Tour .

= = Track listings = =

U.S. Digital Download

" Who Said " ( Radio Edit ) ? 3 : 17

U.S. iTunes Digital Download

" Who Said " ( Radio Edit ) ? 3 : 17

" Radio Disney Interview " ? 1 : 25

= = Charts = =