

# FRANCESCA DE VALENCE

*a musician inspired by all things creative*



## Happy Friday

This year looked like it was going to be a year of solo adventures for me, then I found myself teamed up with the phenomenal Emma Dean and all was right with the world.

## Songs of Love and War

Emma Dean and I are taking on East Coast Australia in April. We are putting on a show called "Songs of Love and War" and touring to Sydney, Melbourne and some regional areas. Here is a little more about our tour:



Songs Of Love and War pairs Brisbane/New York based songstresses, [Francesca de Valence](#) and [Emma Dean](#). Together, performing new songs and old favourites from their extensive repertoires, these two piano playing chanteuses will enchant you as they explore themes of love, heartbreak and what it truly means to be a fighter.

"100% addictive" (New York Post)  
"Pop/folk goddesses" (Warp Magazine)

Click [here](#) to see our full list of show dates or see below

## Did you know just \$38 buys 15 mins of time in the studio for my new album?

Can you help financially support my new album with a small donation?  
I have a crowd-funding project registered with the Australian Cultural Fund. Donations are tax-deductible. I would be

grateful for any amount you could support me with.

Click [here](#) to make a donation to my album fund.

### Seeking a house concert opportunity in Sydney:

If you live in Sydney, think you can get 40 of your friends together for an event on the weekend of April 5/6 and would like to host a house concert, then please reply to this email. We'd love to play at your place.

### Other shows:

There are LOTS of shows coming up. Here they all are, including the "Songs of Love and War" tour dates with Emma Dean. We'd love to see you at a show.

Sat 22 Mar

Judith Wright Centre, Brisbane

7.30pm

supporting "Emma and the Hungry Truth"( I'm also in this band)

All Ages Show

[Ticket info and booking link](#)

Sat 22 Mar

Lockyer Valley Multicultural Festival, Gatton

time: TBC (around 12pm)

More information on [fdvmusic.com/shows](http://fdvmusic.com/shows) coming soon

Fri 4 April

The Newsagency, Sydney

Songs of Love and War

with Rosie Catalano

8pm Doors / 8.30pm Show

Booking essential as there are only 40 seats, so get in quick

Venue is BYO (Food and Drink) and All Ages

[Ticket info and booking link](#)

Fri 18 April

House Concert, Lockyer Valley Qld

Songs of Love and War

Invitation Only

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Fri 18 April

Easterfest, Queens Park Toowoomba

10pm

Epicentre Stage

[Ticket info and booking link](#)

Sat 19 April

The Armidale Club, Armidale NSW

Songs of Love and War

Doors: 8.30pm/Show: 9.30pm

Ticket price: \$10 at the door

Sun 20 April

Pyramids Road Wines, Wyberba Qld (near Stanthorpe)

Songs of Love and War

Show time: TBC in the afternoon

Tickets: \$15

Reservations essential: (07) 4684 5151 / [info@pyramidsroad.com](mailto:info@pyramidsroad.com)

Fri 25 April  
Burrinja Café, Upwey Vic  
Songs of Love and War  
with "The Mercurials"  
8pm Show  
Tickets: \$15  
Dinner, snacks and full bar available  
Book tables on (03) 9754 5707

Sat 26 April  
The Butterfly Club, Melbourne  
Songs of Love and War  
10.30pm Show  
[Ticket info and booking link](#)

Sun 27 April  
House Concert, Ballarat Vic  
Songs of Love and War  
Invitation Only

Please reply to this email if you would like to host your own House Concert

And in amongst that I'm moving house, making a new music video and starting an exciting new job teaching singing at the Qld Conservatorium of Music - wish me luck.

And finally, a big thank you to you for your ongoing support. I am grateful and appreciative of every one of you who reads these newsletters, writes back, comes to a show, listens to my music, sings along, donates to my album fund, and who spreads the word about what I do. I wish you a fabulous month!

Love

FdV x

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