



# K.O.

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## **BIOGRAPHY**

K.O. is a rapper and singer originally from Enid, OK now based in Oklahoma City. The self-proclaimed 'Illest Bitch Alive' has dropped 4 albums since 2018 creating significant buzz in the OKC hip-hop scene.

Her childhood has been a direct influence on her musical style. Her grandmother was a gospel singer and her mother was a nightclub DJ. She was raised on gospel, R&B, rap and blues.



K.O. recalls wanting to listen to the music that was being played on the radio, but her grandmother made her listen to gospel. The final song on her sophomore album, "IBA Outro", is dedicated to her late grandmother.

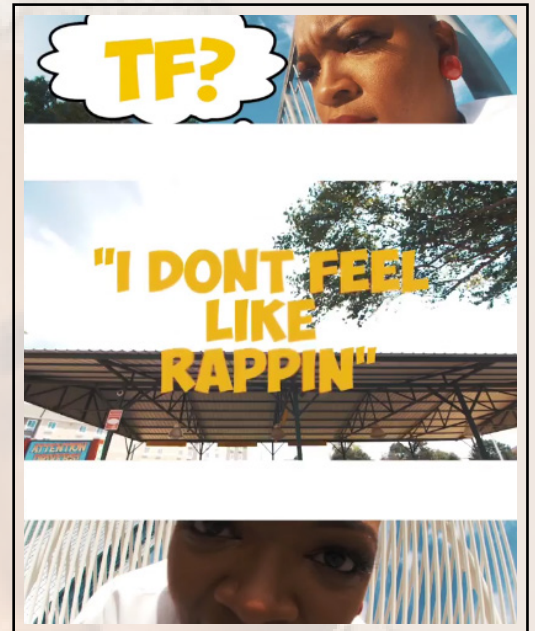
K.O. released her first single, "Trickin'", in 2018 and followed it with her debut solo album, *Hypothetically Speaking*, in 2018. Her second album, *Illest Bitch Alive*, was released in October 2019 and included the hit single "For Free". She followed up in 2020 with *Gentlemen Prefer Blondes* and her latest project *In The Meantime* was released February 2021. In May of 2021 K.O. also appeared on the compilation album *Fire In Little Africa* distributed through Motown's Black Forum Records.

K.O. was heavily influenced musically by Missy Elliot, Eve and Jay-Z. Her style is raw and edgy, but when displaying her R&B side it's soft and honest. K.O. has been compared to the likes of Megan The Stallion with a mix of Erykah Badu. K.O. is the future of music worldwide.

## TRACK2TRACK: I DON'T FEEL LIKE RAPPIN

Kobe said it would be days like this! Days when you don't feel like working hard. Where you don't feel like proving the naysayers wrong. Days where you just want to BE. Anyone that knows Kobe knows this isn't possible. He's the black mamba.

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## MOTOWN'S BLACK FORUM LABEL REVISITS THE PAST THROUGH HIP-HOP'S FUTURE ON 'FIRE IN LITTLE AFRICA' ALBUM

The 100th anniversary of the Tulsa Race Massacre, one of the most significant yet long-suppressed chapters in Black history, will be commemorated on the May 28 album Fire in Little Africa.

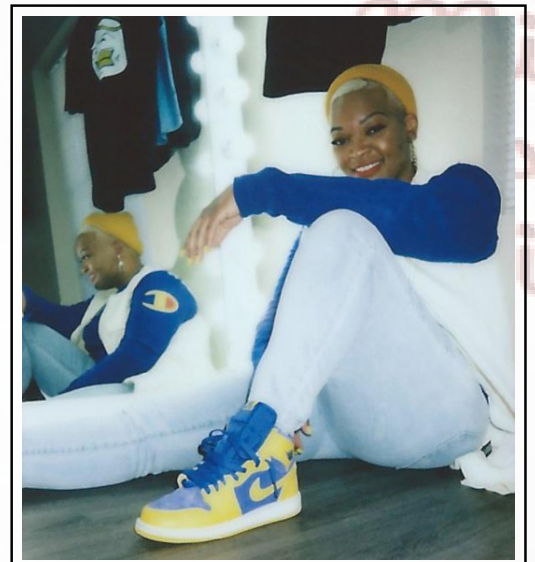
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## Snapshots: K.O.

I perform without my glasses because I'm very shy, and I don't want to see the people just in case I bomb.

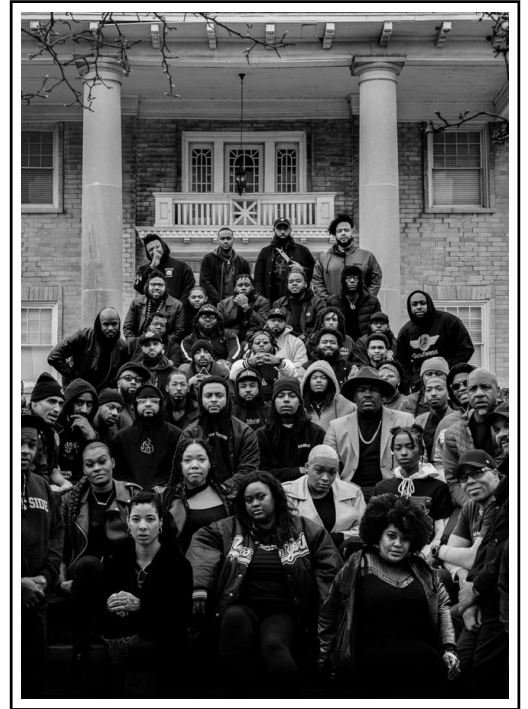
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# FIRE IN LITTLE AFRICA ALBUM TO BE RELEASED AMID 100TH ANNIVERSARY OF 1921 TULSA RACE MASSACRE

"Fire in Little Africa is a body of work filled with purpose and prolific storytelling" that aims to carry "the legacy of the Black Wall Street community," says Motown Records' Chairman and CEO

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