



## NATALIA VASSILIAN

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LOS ANGELES, CA  
HT: MISSION VIEJO, CA  
STUDENT

SINGLE / NO KIDS

 @nataliavassilian

TRIVIA: 14/20

GENRE: POP

INSTRUMENTS: GUITAR/PIANO/DRUMS

## ABOUT

Natalia is a USC music student and native California girl. Once she discovered music, it was simultaneously a creative outlet and a way to cope with bullying she endured at school. Now, Natalia's following her dreams (and her mom's dreams for her) by studying Music Business at USC. As a singer who loves most genres, she's prepared to sing anything and everything – all while straying from copying industry trends and doing what other singers are doing.



## THE DETAILS

- ⦿ Growing up, Natalia played 14 sports including karate, tennis, jujitsu, water polo, ice skating and countless others. She also played baseball and was the only girl on a boys' team for a couple of years.
- ⦿ In high school, she struggled with bullying. While she navigated her way to building self-confidence, Natalia used music as a way to cope with the stresses of school.
- ⦿ She loves to do impressions of famous singers. Some of her favorite artists are Shakira, Ariana Grande and Britney Spears.
- ⦿ Nowadays, Natalia is studying Music Business at USC since she wants to know how the industry works from a financial perspective (and not just the creative side). Natalia's brothers are in finance and medical school, so she's always been the artsy outsider of the family.
- ⦿ The running joke at school right now is that Natalia cannot keep to one genre. She sings it all: pop, country, R&B, jazz, classical and everything in between.
- ⦿ Natalia has struggled with looking different her whole life – whether it's body type or her red hair, she has always felt like there hasn't been representation of people like her in the music industry. She hopes to be the example for the next generation of girls doing things their own way instead of following trends.

