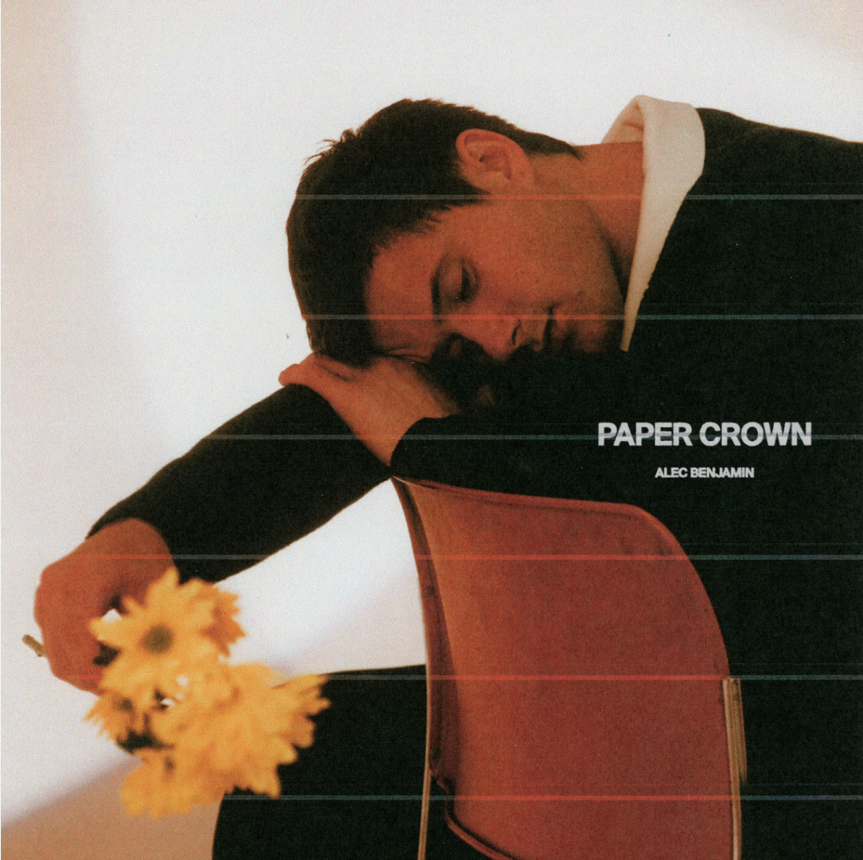
**ALEC BENJAMIN RELEASES**

**“PAPER CROWN”**

**NEW VERSION OF FAN FAVORITE**



Singer-songwriter Alec Benjamin releases a new version of the fan-favorite track **“Paper Crown,”** out now via Elektra. Listen to the track [HERE.](https://wct.live/papercrown) Watch the lyric video [HERE.](https://youtu.be/lTXpy_Glx_E)

Alec says, “This is a very special song for me and I can’t wait for the world to hear it ❤.“

The original version of “Paper Crown” was Alec’s first release off his mixtape *Narrated For You* (2018)*.* ***Billboard*** declared it as “nostalgia-inducing,” and ***Teen Vogue*** claimed the track would, “charm you senseless,” Since then, it has been a long-time fan-favorite and regularly requested during Alec’s live performances and through social media.

Alec also recently released the Mandarian version of his ***(Un)Commentary*** track “Shadow Of Mine” called “Ying Zi Dui Shou (Shadow Of Mine)” ft. Duan Aojuan. Listen to it [HERE.](https://alecbenjamin.lnk.to/som-mandarin)

Alec released his latest album ***(Un)Commentary*** in April 2022, which was met with praise by fans and critics alike. “A storyteller who’s mastered the art of turning everyday heartbreak into compelling pop songs,” raved ***PAPER Magazine***, while ***TIME*** went on to call Alec “a pop storyteller for the next generation.” Benjamin has an already impressive resume which includes 8B+ global streams, 12M+ social media followers across his platforms, 70M+ in playlist reach, and 1.4B+ YouTube views on his channel. Alec has achieved notable success with his tracks **“Let Me Down Slowly”** (Triple-Platinum), **“Water Fountain”** (Platinum), and **“Oh My God”** (Gold).

Alec recently wrapped up the 28-city North American leg (including Alec’s debut performances at this year’s Coachella Valley Music and Arts Festival) of ***The (Un)Commentary Tour*** and is currently continuing ***The (Un)Commentary World Tour*** across Asia and Latin America into the top of next year.