

Katie DiCicco

Biography



Who's the girl in the fishnet stockings?

That's what skateboarders hanging in LA's Koreatown and drag queens browsing naughty lingerie at Playmates wanted to know when Katie DiCicco invaded both venues to vamp and camp her way through a musical tribute to her favorite legwear. The sultry spoof, "Fishnet Stockings," (viewable on YouTube) has proved to be a perfect rite of passage for the fashion designer-turned-singer-songwriter.

Music, though a lifelong passion (she had a band called Under the Sink while in middle school), is actually a third career for this recent Cornell grad. Born in New York City into a showbiz family (her dad, Bobby DiCicco, achieved screen popularity in the 70s and 80s and her sister is Emmy-nominated actress Jessica DiCicco), Katie began acting at six, appearing on stage at Lincoln Center, the Workhouse Theater, Ensemble Studio Theater, Nuyorican Poets Café, and the Blue Heron Arts Center and on MTV, Nickelodeon, NBC, and *Live with Regis & Kathy Lee*. As a member of the Starfish Theater Works Repertory Company and Writing Program, she had two plays produced, one at Lincoln Center.

She nevertheless decided to major in Apparel Design and Fiber Science at Cornell (causing a commotion on campus with one creation, the Condom Dress) and was pursuing a promising career in fashion (most oxymoronic gig: styling a fashion shoot for *Geek Magazine*) when one day she underwent an epiphany that involved "a dream, a scream, and a sewing machine" (don't ask) and decided to refocus on her music.

Though inspired by a multitude of musical genres, she's "fashioned" her own unique style, one that incorporates pop, R&B, and electronica. Her jazzy flow, catchy melodies, and funky dance moves have captivated a wide variety of audiences at New York night spots including Corio, Fat Baby, Snitch (Citrine), Luke & Leroy (Le Royale), and more.

With her newest venture, a multi-media fundraising production company called Pinky Up Productions, Katie's casting her fishnets, snagging all of her talents, and restyling herself once again, this time as a singing-dancing-songwriting-acting-designing-producing powerhouse!

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