



**PUSHA T's *KING PUSH - DARKEST BEFORE DAWN: THE PRELUDE*
OUT NOW ON G.O.O.D. MUSIC/DEF JAM RECORDINGS!**

***DARKEST BEFORE DAWN* SHORT FILM PREMIERES TODAY ON VEVO**

TICKETS AVAILABLE NOW FOR "DARKEST BEFORE DAWN" TOUR

**TONIGHT: PUSHA T JOINS DEADMAU5 FOR TIDAL X CONCERT AT BARCLAYS
CENTER IN BROOKLYN**

(Dec. 18, 2015 – New York, NY) Grammy®-nominated, multi-platinum artist and G.O.O.D. Music president **Pusha T** releases his eagerly awaited second solo album *today*, ***KING PUSH - DARKEST BEFORE DAWN: THE PRELUDE***, the aptly-titled prequel to his hotly anticipated album ***KING PUSH***, to be released in 2016. Also premiering today at VEVO is the short film "*Darkest Before Dawn*". View the film [HERE](#).

Looking ahead to 2016, tickets for Pusha T's headlining "Darkest Before Dawn" international tour are available today. The tour opens March 3rd at the Vogue Theatre in Vancouver, and wraps up on May 3rd in Warsaw, Poland. Tickets are available *now* at www.KingPush.com. (Please see complete itinerary below.)

In celebration of ***DARKEST BEFORE DAWN***'s arrival, Pusha T will join Deadmau5 for tonight's next installment of the Tidal X concert series at Barclays Center in Brooklyn. Click [HERE](#) for concert details.

DARKEST BEFORE DAWN features collaborations with **Kanye West, A\$AP Rocky, Jill Scott, Khelani, The-Dream, and Beanie Siegel**, with production by **Timbaland, Q-Tip, Kanye West, Pharrell Williams, Hudson Mohawke, and Diddy**. ***DARKEST BEFORE DAWN*** is the follow-up to *My Name Is My Name*, **Pusha T**'s critically acclaimed debut of 2013, which entered the *Billboard* Hip-Hop Album Chart at #2.

Last month, Pusha previewed ***DARKEST BEFORE DAWN*** for a select group at the launch of his sneaker collaboration with **adidas**. The Pusha T-designed **adidas EQT "Black Market"** was subsequently released on Black Friday, at sneaker boutiques across the country.

Pusha T was signed to G.O.O.D. Music (Getting Out Our Dreams) in 2010 by founder and 21-time Grammy Award®-winning superstar Kanye West. Since 2010, Pusha has garnered an impressive track record. He was featured that year on the RIAA platinum Top 10 single "Runaway," from Kanye West's classic RIAA platinum album, *My Beautiful Dark Twisted*

Fantasy. In 2012, Pusha T took the lead on a number of tracks from Kanye's influential *Cruel Summer* album, most notably the #1 triple-platinum "Mercy" (with Big Sean and 2 Chainz).

Pusha T has also become a sought after collaborator with EDM's biggest names following the success of his 2014 track "Burial" with Yogi and Skrillex. Throughout 2015, Pusha T's music has scored many of the biggest moments in film, television and commercials, providing the soundtrack for everything from adidas campaigns to HBO primetime shows to the VMAs.

Pusha T (born Terrence Thornton in the Bronx) emerged in the fertile hip-hop music scene centered in Virginia Beach, not far from where he grew up in Norfolk. In 1992, he and his brother Gene formed the much revered, platinum selling rap duo the Clipse.

PUSHA T DARKEST BEFORE DAWN TOUR 2016

<u>Date</u>	<u>City</u>	<u>Venue</u>
March 3	Vancouver, B.C.	Vogue Theatre
4	Seattle, WA	The Showbox
6	Portland, OR	Crystal Ballroom
8	San Francisco, CA	The Regency Ballroom
9	Los Angeles, CA	Belasco Theater
12	Denver, CO	Ogden Theatre
14	Dallas, TX	South Side Music Hall
15	Baton Rouge	Varsity Theatre
17	Houston, TX	Warehouse Live
18	New Orleans	Republic NOLA
20	Nashville, TN	Marathon Music Works
21	Atlanta, GA	Center Stage
22	Charlotte, NC	Amos' Southend
*23	Washington, DC	9:30 Club
25	Philadelphia, PA	The Trocadero Theatre
26	New York, NY	PlayStation Theater
29	Sayreville, NJ	Starland Ballroom
30	Boston, MA	Paradise Rock Club
April 1	Montreal, Que.	Club Soda
2	Toronto, Ont.	The Danforth Music Hall
4	Royal Oak, MI	Royal Oak Music Theatre
5	Chicago, IL	The Vic
6	Minneapolis, MN	Mill City Nights
April 25	Germany	Berlin Kesselhaus
26	Paris, France	Le Trianon
27	London, UK	Koko
29	Amsterdam, NL	Paradiso

	30	Copenhagen,DK	Vega
May	1	Stockholm, SE	Debaser Medis
	03	Warsaw, PL	Palladium

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