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THE EMOTIONS

Picture taken on the premier day of Wava's Marina Del Rey Farmer's Market.

With Wendi and Warren Vaughn and D Smoke a Rapper from Inglewood California and his wife Angelina.



THE EMOTIONS are an American soul/R&B vocal group from Chicago. The group started out in gospel music but transitioned into R&B and disco music. The Emotions were named by VH1 as one of the 18 most influential girl groups of all time.

Known for their chart-topping hits such as 'Don't Ask my Neighbor,' 'Best of My Love,' 'Flowers' and more....

In 1977, The Emotions won a Grammy for The Best of My Love and in 1980 were Grammy Nominees for Boogie Wonderland. In 2001, they also won a Pioneer Award Nominated by The Rhythm and Blues Foundation.

The group was once with Columbia Records where an association with Maurice White of Earth, Wind & Fire brought them their greatest level of success. Wayne Vaughn co-wrote 'Let's Groove' with Maurice White who with Charles Stepney produced The Emotions, which initially consisted of sisters Wanda, Pamela, and Sheila. The group has gone through several evolutions and now consists of Wanda, her daughter Wyann Vaughn, and Crystal Wilson.

The Vaughn family are a wonderful cacophony of everything that the essence of life represents. They are a musical family with a love of people, food and good wholesome experiences. As they share parts of themselves in this issue, we catch a glimpse of an iconic family who has worked through and come through some pretty challenging and life-changing situations, and yet are still open and authentic enough to say 'I'm a work in progress.' A musical family who are so much more than you see performing. In the following pages we hear from the Vaughn family about their lives

The family consists of mum Wanda, dad Wayne then Wendi, Wyann, Witny, and Waren Vaughn. All are incredibly talented in their own individual way and incredibly busy.