

AL BEAR

Hip-hop from Humboldt County, California

BIO

Al Bear is a hip-hop artist based in Humboldt County, California. He grew up in Farmersville, in the Central Valley. Skateboarding, graffiti and hip-hop were his escape, and he came up on Bone Thugs, Three 6 Mafia and DJ Quik. The name came from a teacher who made a big impact on him.

He moved north to Arcata, where the hip-hop community took him in. Then a collaborator and a song changed his life. He built a foundation in his faith before bringing it into his music. He thought about leaving music behind, and he stayed. He calls the music his praise, and he would rather show love than preach at anybody.

His new EP, Bear His Pain, six tracks, came out on September 18, 2026. He plays sets of 30 to 90 minutes across Northern and Central California and Southern Oregon.



LATEST RELEASE

Bear His Pain

EP, six tracks, September 18, 2026
Spotify, Apple Music, YouTube, SoundCloud

LIVE

Set length: 30 to 90 minutes

Travel: Northern and Central California, Southern Oregon

Clean set: ask when you inquire

PRESS AND INTERVIEWS

The Interview Lab, Talking to the Bear, episode 1, June 2026

El Leñador, Humboldt Hip Hop mic check, March 2024

HipHopHumboldt, Episode 25, December 2022

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