

## What has been going on with Playboi Carti?

When talking about all the rappers that have been trending and doing well in the scene recently, one name that will be brought up without fail is Playboi Carti. Playboi Carti is a trap rapper who hails from Atlanta Georgia and has been dominating the scene since the “Soundcloud Era’ in 2015. After dropping his famous album, Whole Lotta Red, in 2020 he was able to gain recognition as one able to change his sound and gain a whole new kind of audience. Recently, his fans have been patiently waiting for his long-awaited album, “I Am Music. However, on the date he was claimed to have dropped, something unexpected happened instead.

On September 12 8:30 PM Eastern Time, Carti claimed to have an announcement waiting for his fans that many were assuming would be the album. However, to many people’s unpleasant surprise, Carti instead dropped the merch line for the album which included the digital album pre order. When one clicked this pre order, the sale would tell the buyer that they would not receive it sooner than April 2025. Some fans were happy that they finally had a date for when the album would be released, but others were outraged that they had been “baited” once again. However, Carti would silence the haters as he claimed to have one more announcement, via his Instagram story.

At midnight, Carti fans and haters globally went to his YouTube channel and noticed that Carti had posted a new song. This song, “All Red’, ended up being a finished snippet that got leaked years ago. Now the song is sitting crowned at Number 1 on the Apple Music Charts. Do you think Carti will keep this same momentum as he prepares for his upcoming album drop? All I can guarantee is that when the album does drop, the whole world will tune in.