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Internationally-acclaimed collaborative project **Galantis**, superstar DJ/producer **David** **Guetta** & GRAMMY-nominated songwriter/producer/recording artist **MNEK** unite for sensational new single“**Damn (You've Got Me Saying)**” – available now via **Big Beat Records**. Expressing feelings of regret and neglect, **MNEK** effortlessly glides over a pounding beat that fuses classic instrumentation with club-ready synths – mounting to a high-powered crescendo that is sure to ignite dance floors into 2023. The track marks the second collaboration between the dance music titans, following **Galantis** and **Guetta**’s 2021 global smash “**Heartbreak** **Anthem**” with **Little** **Mix** which was just certified Gold by the RIAA and has amassed over 526 million streams worldwide.

*“After ‘****Heartbreak******Anthem****,’* ***David******Guetta*** *and I wanted to team up again for something more house driven. ‘****Damn (You've Got Me Saying)****’ was the perfect storm, it gave us the opportunity to fuse that 2023 sound with early 2000s R&B.* ***MNEK*** *is one of my favorite artists and songwriters, and this record finally felt like the right opportunity to collaborate. His initial ideas for the song struck a chord for me instantly, I’m so excited for the world to hear this blend we’ve created.”* – **Christian Karlsson** (**Galantis**)

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**ABOUT GALANTIS:**

Setting a new standard for songwriting in dance music, **Galantis** is a collaborative project led by **Christian** **Karlsson** (aka **Bloodshy**, one-third of **Miike** **Snow**). **Galantis'** debut album ***Pharmacy*** reached No. 1 on the Billboard Dance album chart on the strength of RIAA gold-certified single “**Peanut** **Butter** **Jelly**” and 2x platinum certified smash “**Runaway (U & I)**” – the latter of which earned GRAMMY nominations for “Best Dance Recording” and “Best Remixed Recording” – while 2017’s sophomore album ***The******Aviary*** (featuring platinum certified single “**No** **Money**”) saw a top 10 debut in 23 countries. The third **Galantis** album, 2020’s ***Church***, featured the chart-topping gold-certified single “**Faith**” with country music icon **Dolly** **Parton** featuring **Mr.** **Probz**, which saw a #1 debut on Billboard’s Dance/Electronic Chart before quickly reaching #1 on the Dance/Mix Show Airplay Chart where it remained for 5 weeks. Meanwhile, 2021’s gold-certified collaborative single “**Heartbreak Anthem**” with **David Guetta** & **Little Mix** proved a global sensation, spending 10 weeks on the Billboard Global 200 chart and reaching #1 on the overall UK Radio chart. **Galantis** has received over 4 billion cumulative worldwide streams, and over 1.7 billion video views to date.

The story of **Galantis** started back in 2009. Working as **Bloodshy**, Karlsson’s songwriting collaborations have included **Madonna**, **Kylie** **Minogue**, **Katy** **Perry** and **Britney** **Spears** (whose “**Toxic**” earned a GRAMMY for “Best Dance Recording”). This collaborative nature led to the birth of the **Galantis** project which had its live debut at 2014’s **Coachella Valley Music and Arts Festival** and has continued on years later as one of dance music's most dynamic and in-demand live performers.

**ABOUT DAVID GUETTA:**

There are artists and entertainers who achieve stardom and popularity, but few have the influence and endurance to redraw borders between genres and reshape the industry's dynamics. In 2009, "**When Love Takes Over**," the first single from his breakthrough album ***One Love*** hit #1 in the UK and the Guetta-produced **Black Eyed Peas** song "**I Gotta Feeling**" became a worldwide hit, topping the charts in 17 countries. Over the decade since, Guetta's success has been off the charts. Globally, he's racked up over 50 million record sales, where as his total number of streams is over 10 billion. He has received numerous Platinum and Gold certifications, was named *EDM Power Player* by **Billboard** and won two GRAMMY Awards out of six nominations. Besides his hard-won DJ skills, he is prolific in the studio, working with superstar artists like **Madonna**, **Rihanna**, **Lady** **Gaga**, **Snoop** **Dogg**, **Martin** **Garrix**, **Usher**, **Sia**, **John** **Legend**, **Nicki Minaj**, **Sean** **Paul**, **Kelly** **Rowland**, **Avicii**, **Ne-Yo**, **Akon** and more.  His seventh studio album titled ***7***, included huge electronic pop tracks like "**2U**" with **Justin** **Bieber**, "**Flames**" with **Sia**, "**Don't Leave Me Alone**" with **Anne-Marie**, "**Goodbye**" with **Jason** **Derulo**, **Nicki** **Minaj** and **Willy** **William** and "**Say My Name**" with **J Balvin** and **Bebe** **Rexha** plus a second disc of underground dance tracks, recorded under Guetta's **Jack Back** alias. With his wide-reaching and game-changing approach, he is more than just a DJ and producer: he's made dance music reach the mainstream, fused urban, electronic and pop music into new popular genres, and managed to stay on top of the game for decades.

**ABOUT MNEK:**

GRAMMY, BRIT and Ivor Novello-nominated artist/producer/writer **MNEK**, has clocked up an astonishing fourteen years in the music business. With over 4 billion streams on **MNEK**-written, featured and produced tracks, he has grown to become a true powerhouse within the British pop world. He has worked alongside some of the biggest names in the industry, collaborating with the likes of **Zara** **Larsson**, **Stormzy**, **Gorgon** **City**, **Years & Years** and **Craig** **David**. He’s written with international stars such as **Beyoncé**, **Little** **Mix**, **Dua Lipa**, **Christina** **Aguilera**, **BTS**, **Mabel**, **Anne** **Marie**, **Madonna**, **Kelly Rowland**, **Selena** **Gomez** and **Clean** **Bandit**. His back catalogue includes a number of worldwide hits including “**Ready For Your Love**,” “**Never** **Forget** **You**,” and “**Blinded By Your Grace**.” His hit with **Joel** **Corry**, “**Head & Heart**,” became a global success, topping the charts in several countries and taking the reign as the longest standing UK #1 single in 2020. This year saw continued success both on and off stage with “**Where Did You Go?**”, his collaboration with **Jax** **Jones**, going platinum and spending an incredible 32 weeks on the charts, plus the launch of Island UK & Republic US’s hotly-tipped female R&B trio **FLO**, and their debut EP *The Lead*, which he executively produced.

Culturally, **MNEK** is considered a musical icon amongst the LGBTQIA+ community and has previously performed at New York World Pride 2019, UK Black Pride and featured on RuPaul’s Drag Race UK as both a coach and guest judge. After setting up a writing camp dedicated to supporting LGBTQIA+ singer/songwriters in 2019, **MNEK** has continued efforts to strive for more inclusivity within the industry as a contributor to the Guardian UK diversity panel and hosting his own YouTube panel ‘MNEKs Inter-Section’ in conversation with 5 Black Queer artists/content creators.



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