



## Oveante

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Jazz, Gospel

Piano, vocals

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OVEANTE, (oh-vee-ahn-tay) born in Memphis, graduated from Berklee College of Music in 2020 where he studied piano, voice and songwriting. A child prodigy and extraordinarily gifted musician, Oveante regularly performs in the Memphis and Boston areas. As a child, he was the soloist for the 2006 Freedom Awards in Memphis, performing in front of Stevie Wonder. Oveante competed and won Omega Psi Phi Fraternity International Talent Hunt, performing at **Caesar's Palace** in 2016. He was also first place winner at **PBS's Celebration of Music** competition in Boston, performing at the **Wilbur Theater** in 2018. Selected from a national search, Oveante played piano with a professional jazz ensemble on the recording of "**Strange Fruit Revisited**" featuring Broadway star, Tonya Pinkins in 2021. In May 2022, he released his debut EP of original piano solos, "**Have a Seat.**" The collection is a stirring, masterful acoustic set that calms the soul and ignites the imagination.

Currently, he is writing and recording with his colleagues in the band, *Mid Air Decision*, and preparing for his next solo EP.

Oveante is the minister of music for his home church at New Galilee Baptist church in Memphis, TN. He hopes that through his music, lives will be impacted for the better and the world will heal.

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"Oveante is one of those magical musicians you'd hope would always come along, just when you think that real artistry is fading. His unique approach to phrasing, his sensitivity to the timing of a note and his mastery over the feel of a song restores your faith in music. I am grateful to come across such a wonderful spirit." Jere B, *The Entremusician Podcast*

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