



## ***Smriti – Lead Singer***

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Smriti has been singing for as long as she can remember. Started humming back anything she heard on TV or radio and when her untrained crooning about the house became too much for her parents to handle, she was enrolled in Indian classical vocal training at age 8 which she continues to date.

Over the years she has taken the stage as a lead vocalist for many genres of music including Carnatic, Indian light music and covering numbers done by pop divas like Whitney Houston, Mariah Carey and Celine Dion. She was introduced much later to singing Rock tunes by her longtime friend and VSM lead guitarist Amit when she added bands like Rush, Rainbow along with pop-rock to her repertoire and now is fully integrated to singing the likes of Rush, Iron Maiden, Van Halen, Toto and whatever else her bandmates throw at her. Being on stage singing classic rock is what she turns to for her dose of adrenalin 'Rush', turns back to softer love ballads for soothing her soul but keeps her singing real and intact by being in touch with her classical roots.

VSM for her is friends, fun, music, and boatloads of positive energy!

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