**🎵 GÖKSENİN RELEASES NEW ALBUM: "GINA"**

**A Blues-Rock Manifesto Against Pain, Discrimination, and Loneliness**

Following the international acclaim of her previous album "Women’s Blues," Turkish singer-songwriter Göksenin returns with her third studio album, **Gına**, released on **May 30, 2025**, across all major digital platforms.

"Gına" is a powerful response to the struggles of life in Istanbul: societal pressure, economic hardships, emotional contradictions, grief, and the urgent need for solidarity. The album blends the universal language of **Blues, Country, and Rock** with Turkish stories and, at times, Anatolian rhythms.

### 🎧 What’s in the Album?

The album features **10 tracks**: 7 original songs and 3 covers:

* Songs fully written by Göksenin, and co-written with guitarist Gürkan Özbek
* Two tribute covers to early female blues legends, **Alberta Hunter** and **Bessie Smith**, reflecting Göksenin’s long-running stage project "Women Blues with Göksenin"
* A heartfelt acoustic rendition of Turkish blues-rock icon **Yavuz Çetin**'s classic, "Bul Beni"

### 🎶 Highlighted Songs

**🪨 Cart Curt İstemem**  
The album opener blends electric blues and rhythmic vocals reminiscent of rap. A humorous yet sharp rebellion against fake emotions and indecisiveness.  
"We’ve got to be together. I don’t want no bullshit!"  
It’s not just romantic — it’s a call for collective integrity.

**🮟 Gına**  
The title track uses acoustic guitar and country-rock sounds to express years of emotional fatigue. A poetic release of frustration, asking weary thoughts to finally leave.

**🌫 Bul Beni**  
An intimate acoustic-bluesy cover of Yavuz Çetin’s iconic track, right after Göksenin’s original "Beni Bulamazsın." A powerful emotional bridge between two interpretations of being lost and found.

**🌍 I Hear Ya**  
Combining classic blues phrasing with Anatolian grooves, this protest track questions the Western world’s double standards on war and justice.  
"When you choose between wars... I don’t wanna hear a word you say."

### 🎵 Musical Diversity

Other tracks include:

* Beni Bulamazsın (Country-Rock)
* Her Şeyim Var (Rock’n Roll)
* Sonbahar (Slow Blues)
* Where Do We Go (Mediterranean Soft-Rock)
* You Can’t Tell the Difference After Dark (Alberta Hunter Cover)
* Young Woman’s Blues (Bessie Smith Cover)

### 👤 About Göksenin

With over 1000 live performances, Göksenin is the founding president of **Turkey’s first and only Blues Association**. In 2024, she received the **"Keeping the Blues Alive"** award from the **Blues Foundation (USA)**. Her previous album "Women’s Blues" earned global praise, numerous awards, and reached the **Top 10 of the Global Blues Charts**.

### 💼 Credits:

* Vocals, Guitars & Keys: Göksenin
* Guitar: Gürkan Özbek
* Bass: Ozan Yeşildal
* Drums: Soner Doğanca
* Recording: Göksenin
* Mix & Mastering: Kıvılcım Konca

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