**2022 Mindi Abair Short Bio**

Two-time GRAMMY nominee Mindi Abair is a saxophonist, vocalist, and author of “How To Play Madison Square Garden.” You might know her as the featured saxophonist on American Idol, or from touring and/or recording with Aerosmith, Duran Duran, Gregg Allman, Smokey Robinson, and more. As a solo artist, she has consistently topped the Contemporary Jazz and Blues charts, earning her 1st GRAMMY nomination in 2014 for *Summer Horns* and her 2nd nomination in 2015 for her solo album *Wild Heart*. In 2019 she launched [www.wineandjazz.com](http://www.wineandjazz.com/) bringing together the worlds of wine and music through her wine club and worldwide adventures.