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Girl in a Band: Tales from the Rock 'n' Roll Front Line

All too often, every great female rock musician has to answer a predictable question - what is it like being a girl in a band?

For many, the sight of a girl shredding a guitar or laying into the drums is still

Kate Mossman aims to look beyond the cliches of fallen angels, grunge babes and rock chicks as she gets the untold stories from rock's frontline to discover if it has always been different for the girl in a band.

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▶ **Brix - Brix Smith Start**



▶ **Viv Albertine - The Slits**

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Carol Kaye on Phil Spector

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VIV ALBERTINE - THE GIRL

DURATION: 01:16



Lita Ford on playing the guitar

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Glen Campbell

Wichita Lineman

00:10

The Breeders

Cannonball

00:49

Blur

Girls & Boys

00:56

Blur

Country House

00:56

Credits

Presenter

Kate Mossman

Executive Producer

Mark Cooper

Producer

Dione Newton

Director

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Participant	Tina Weymouth
Participant	Elkie Brooks
Participant	Carol Kaye
Participant	Lita Ford
Participant	Viv Albertine
Participant	Pauline Murray
Participant	Brix Smith
Participant	Gillian Gilbert
Participant	Kim McAuliffe
Participant	Miki Berenyi
Participant	Jehnnny Beth
Participant	June Millington
Participant	Mary Dostal
Participant	Valerie Nilson
Participant	Kelley Deal
Participant	Josephine Wiggs

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