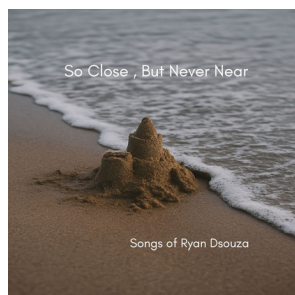

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Ryan Dsouza Unveils Heartfelt Piano-Vocal Ballad “So Close, But Never Near” *A tender piano-vocal ballad about love , closeness and the distance that lingers in between.*

White Rock, BC — Canada — [25 Oct 2025] — Canadian singer-songwriter Ryan Dsouza releases his latest single, “So Close, But Never Near,” a stripped-back piano-vocal ballad that captures the fragile distance between love and silence.

Written in early November 2024, the song tells the story of two people who share the same space but still feel worlds apart. “Sometimes the loudest part of a relationship is the silence,” Ryan explains. “That paradox of being close, yet distant, was something I wanted to put into words — in a way people could see their own story within it.”

With warm piano work, intimate vocals, and introspective lyrics, the song blends timeless balladry with modern sensitivity. Lines like “We don’t talk like before, and we’re too blind to see / All the years slipping away between you and me” reflect on love that lingers even as distance grows.

The arrangement, shaped by India-based pianist and composer Tony Dias, is intentionally sparse. With only piano, strings, and subtle textures, the production leans into simplicity and raw emotion, allowing the melody and lyrics to take center stage. The result is a song that feels both cinematic and intimate.

The track also appears in the Behind the Vibe video series, giving fans a closer look into Ryan’s creative process and storytelling. Beyond his solo work, Ryan also curates the RD Music Collective, a playlist and community platform spotlighting original songs by independent artists.

“So Close, But Never Near” will be available on all streaming platforms from Oct 25, 2025.

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