

Dhurandhar Singer Jasmine Sandlas Recalls Battling Alcoholism: 'I Regret It, But It Was Important At That Time'



Singer Jasmine Sandlas, who recently gave multiple hit songs in the Dhurandhar franchise, has opened up about her struggles and trauma in life. She mentioned that while she is immensely successful now, growing up, she had to face a tough journey, including battling addiction, and did not lead a comfortable life.

"I struggled a lot. I think growing up, I have gone through certain phases in my life, figuring out things for myself in a journey. That was not comfortable. Life happens. It is a lot for the parents, but also for the children," Jasmine shared in a chat with Ranveer Allahbadia.

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She added, "We need guidance and nourishment... Why are parents so tough on their children? When life re-

ally hits you, you do look for support. I do regret some things I did in those 2-3 years when I was drinking."

Jasmine recalled, "A lot of things piled up – I was famous on one side, I was feeling certain things, my family dynamics broke apart, my father was no more, and I was successful. I drank more than I should have, and I regret it, but it was important for me at that time."

"They (parents) broke my heart unknowingly many times, so there is resentment. I love them, but when a child's heart breaks, it remains broken. When you don't have a safe space to run to, you look for a home in everything like crazy. I did that all my life, just yearning and finding home," she said.

Born in Jalandhar, Punjab, Jasmine Sandlas moved to California at a young age, and that dual cultural influence has shaped much of her sound. Her first major breakthrough came with the underground track "Muskan" in 2007, followed by her debut album *The Diamond*.

However, it was her 2012 album *Gulabi*, created in collaboration with rapper Bohemia, that truly established her in the Punjabi music industry. For Bollywood audiences, Jasmine became a familiar name with the chart-buster "Yaar Naa Miley" from the Salman Khan starrer *Kick*.

Over the years, she has lent her voice to several hit tracks, including *Illegal Weapon*, *Ishq Da Sutta*, and, more recently, songs from major film soundtracks like *Munjya* and *Raid 2*. Her recent work on the *Dhurandhar* franchise has once again brought her into the spotlight, with tracks such as *Shararat* and *Jaiye Sajna* earning widespread acclaim.

Rupali Ganguly Beams With Pride As Aditya Dhar Praises Vijay Ganguly's Choreography In Dhurandhar 2

Since the release of *Dhurandhar 2*, the film has been performing exceptionally well at the box office. Director Aditya Dhar has been actively celebrating his team's efforts, giving each member a special shoutout through dedicated Instagram posts. Most recently, he shared a post for Vijay Ganguly, praising his choreography and describing him as a true team player. Vijay's sister and Anupamaa actress Rupali Ganguly cheered for him, beaming with pride as Aditya Dhar applauded his work.

On Saturday, Rupali Ganguly reacted to Aditya Dhar's post for Vijay Ganguly on X (formerly Twitter). She cheered for her brother and beamed with pride. "So so so proud," she wrote, along with a red heart and folded hands emoji. Check out her post below!

What Aditya Dhar Wrote In His Post For Vijay Ganguly

Aditya Dhar took to his social media to share a series of photos with Vijay Ganguly from the sets of *Dhurandhar 2*. He wrote, "Choreographer par excellence- Vijay Ganguly. With Vijay, it always begins with instinct. He doesn't just hear music, he feels it and then translates that feeling into something you can see. What surprised me most on *Dhurandhar* was how much he thinks like a director. It made my job easier in ways I didn't expect. Maybe it's years of experience or maybe it's in his DNA, being the great Anil Ganguly's son, but there's a storyteller in him that goes beyond choreography."

He further added, "I still remember our conversations around 'Shararat.' I wasn't fully convinced about doing a lip-sync dance track in the film. But Vijay just smiled and said, 'Let's go for it sir, it'll be fun.' That one push gave Shashwat and me the confidence we needed. And what came out of it is honestly one of my favorite parts of the film. That's who he is, someone who shows up, not just physically but emotionally. Even on the toughest days his infectious smile



and childlike excitement made everything feel lighter. From 'Didi' to the madness of *Fa9la* (*Flipperachi*) with Akshaye Khanna, he brought heart, detail, and total commitment. He's not just a brilliant choreographer, he's a true team player. Grateful for you, Vijay. Rooting for everything that's coming your way."

Vijay Ganguly Reacts

Vijay Ganguly was overwhelmed with Aditya Dhar's praise, and he replied, "Sir!!!! You are too amazing!! I got so overwhelmed reading this! I can't begin to tell u what an experience it was meeting u and being on set with u, u made the process so easy and effortless. Ur love for your crew and all of us motivates us to a level that we want to bring out the best in us! Ur clarity gives us the confidence that everything is possible, ur patience and trust makes anyone want to deliver to the best of their ability!"



A lover of minimalist beachwear, she knows how to make every trip to the pool/beach a memorable one.

'MTV Walon Ko Sharam Aani Chahiye': Diksha Pawar SLAMS Channel Over 'Biased' Splitsvilla 16 Editing

Splitsvilla 16 contestant Diksha Pawar has levelled serious allegations against MTV India, accusing the channel of prioritising TRPs over fairness and misrepresenting events on the show.

Alleges Unfair Editing and Missing Footage

In a strongly worded statement, Diksha claimed that crucial moments from the show were deliberately edited out. She said, "MTV walon ko is cheez pe sharam aani chahiye ki aaplogon ke liye TRP aur ek insaan itna matter karta hai...." alleging that incidents where she was physically hurt, including being choked and scratched, were not shown in the broadcast.

Diksha further accused the makers of presenting a one-sided narrative and shared what she described as evidence on her YouTube channel. This included images showing scratches and clots from the altercation.

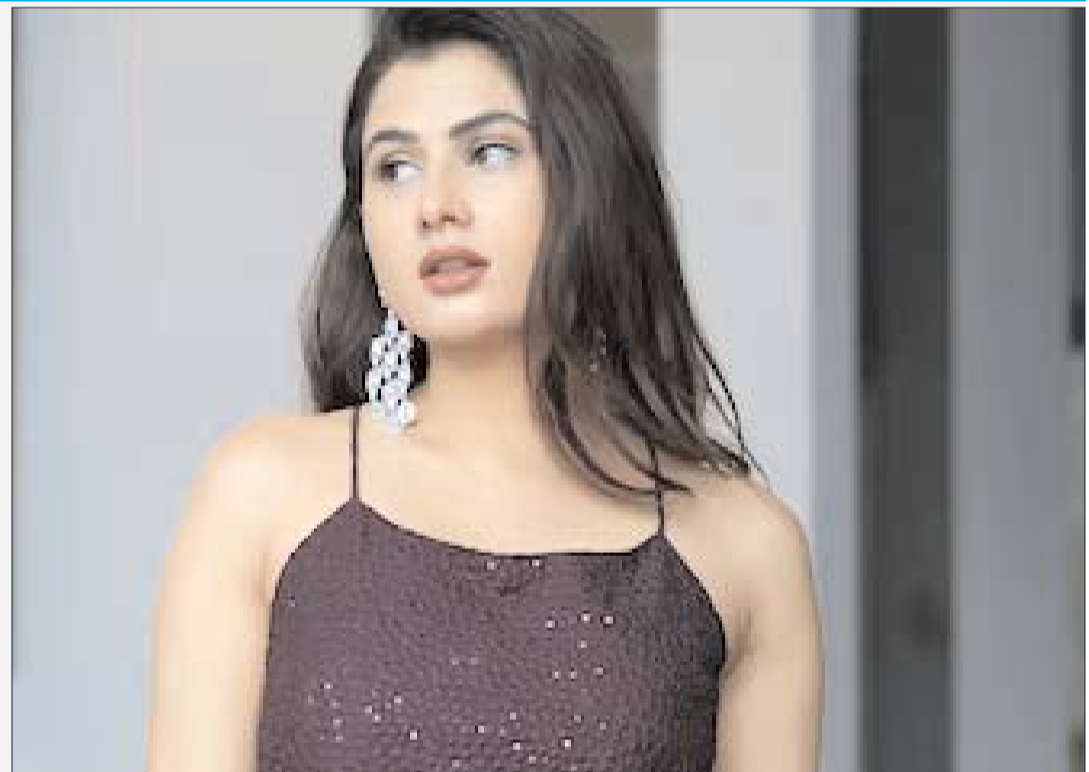
She also claimed that her medicines and makeup were destroyed by fellow contestants Akanksha and Suzzane, adding that this too was omitted from the show. According to Diksha, she even shared a voice note allegedly from an insider supporting her claims.

Claims Online Abuse and Threats

The reality TV contestant also alleged that she and her friends have been receiving rape threats online from bots. Highlighting the severity of the abuse, she cited comments like, "Uske sath tumhara bhi rape kar denge," appearing on her friends' and associated brand pages.

Questions Hosts and Channel's Stand

Breaking down in her video, Diksha said she could not tolerate disrespect directed at her mother. She also accused the channel of



being biased towards Akanksha and Suzzane.

"Agar aisa hi tha to tum mujhe nikal dete na, nikala kyun nahi?" she said, questioning the show's handling of the situation. She also called out hosts Sunny Leone and Karan Kundrra, stating that while both sides were labelled wrong, only her perspective was highlighted on screen.

Raises Concerns Over Religious Mockery

Diksha also addressed an incident involving a bansuri found in her bag, claiming that it led to her religion being mocked online. She clarified that the bansuri was given to her as prasad in Vrindavan and holds personal significance.

Is Thalapathy Vijay's Divorce With Sangeetha Delayed To June 15, 2026? Here's What We Know

Thalapathy Vijay and his estranged wife Sangeetha Soranalingam are currently in the midst of divorce proceedings, with a fresh update now indicating a delay in the case.

Divorce Hearing Postponed to June 2026

After nearly 27 years of marriage, the couple is set to part ways, but their legal proceedings have hit another pause. According to recent reports, the divorce hearing, which was earlier scheduled for April 20, has now been postponed to June 15, 2026.

Sangeetha had reportedly initiated the divorce in late 2025, formally beginning the process to dissolve their long-standing marriage, which began in August 1999.

Allegations and Legal Developments

This marks the second time the hearing has been deferred. As per multiple reports, Sangeetha has alleged that Vijay was involved in an extramarital relationship with an actress and had distanced himself from his family.

Meanwhile, reports also suggest that Vijay's legal team requested permission for him to attend the hearing via video conferencing, a request that has been approved. Sangeetha is also expected to join the proceedings virtually.

Vijay Reacts to Rumours

Amid the ongoing developments, Vijay recently addressed the situation during a public event in Nellore, Tamil Nadu. Without directly naming anyone, he spoke about rumours being circulated around him.

"Certain people are thinking about what to do next to me, and they have tried to use some people around me. They waited after all these years, they have spread a rumor, which all of you clearly know about," he said.

The actor further added, "No matter how many trials and pains



you put me through, you cannot separate me from my people," emphasising that the speculation has not impacted his bond with his audience.

While the legal battle continues, all eyes are now on the next hearing scheduled for June 15, which could mark a significant step in the high-profile separation.