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# HOUNDS

## CATTLE IN THE SKY

Release Date: 2/5/2021

### BIO

From classic rock influences and innovative sonic tech to internet contest winner and a recording contract. The story of **HOUNDS**, and the St. Louis-based quartet's major label debut, **CATTLE IN THE SKY**, just may be the epitome of rock-and-roll success in the 21st century.

After beginning with a shiny pop sound, HOUNDS pivoted to a more aggressive brand of rock laced with rich and resounding harmonies, returning to and embracing old-school influences, The Beatles, The Doors and The Beach Boys. They changed their name to HOUNDS—a wink to alt-rockers, The Districts—and by 2017, released a self-titled LP of tracks cut live in the studio. In 2019, Jordan suggested the band to audition for the second season of the nationwide band competition, *Who Will Rock You?*, a web-series sponsored by TopGolf venues. They went on to win the competition winning a recording contract and partnership with a prominent management company.

Built on vibrant, ringing harmonies and concentrated, muscular riffs, the four crafted a forward-moving, immediate, and pulsing collection of songs ranging from greasy rumble-seat rock to up-to-the-minute, angst ridden modern musings. Start with "Shake Me Up" and follow the quartet down the dragstrip lined with poodle-skirt Bettys and their denim-clad boyfriends; a veritable mash-up of jukebox soul and reformist rock. "We're a rock-and-roll band, and we're never afraid of the technology of today," says Jordan. "We follow wherever the inspiration takes us."

### SALES & MARKETING

- ★ HOUNDS will be a 2021 band to watch
- ★ The group's first single "Shake Me Up" will be receiving support across multiple radio formats worked by In De Goot Ent.
- ★ The band were winners of the 2019 Top Golf Who Will Rock You? band competition
- ★ Top Golf, a national sports venue with locations across the US are committed marketing partners for this release
- ★ National Press Campaign: Emily Ginsberg / Big Hassle Media  
Digital/Social Media Marketing: Crowd Surf



### FOR FANS OF

- ★ Badflower
- ★ Glorious Sons
- ★ Kings of Leon
- ★ Tragically Hip
- ★ Young The Giant
- ★ Moon Taxi

### TRACKLISTING

1. To Be In Love
2. Three Hits of Acid
3. Head In The Sand
4. Make You My Baby
5. Stultus Tibia
6. Long Way Down
7. Shake Me Up
8. Muchanothin
9. In Over My Head
10. Low Life
11. Blue
12. On and On

ARTIST: **HOUNDS** | TITLE: **CATTLE IN THE SKY**  
 RELEASE DATE: 2/5/2021 | LABEL: BMG  
 GENRE: ALTERNATIVE | HOMETOWN: ST. LOUIS, MO  
 FORMATS: DIGITAL, CD  
 CAT #S: DIG: 538652394 / CD: 538652332  
 DIG UPC: 4050538652390



CD UPC: 4050538652338  
 CD SRP: \$13.98 | CD BOXLOT: 30  
 DISCOUNT: 5% | DSNT END DATE: 2/5/2021

AARON WATSON AMERICAN SOUL



## TRACK LISTING

1. Silverado Saturday Night
2. Boots
3. Whisper My Name
4. Best Friend
5. Long Live Cowboys
6. Stay
7. American Soul
8. Out Of My Misery
9. Touchdown Town
10. Dog Tags

AMERICAN SOUL is AARON WATSON's 13th studio album, and his 17th album overall. His most recent four studio albums have debuted Top 10 on the Billboard country album chart with the last three hitting the #1, #2 and #2 positions respectively. To say that he is prolific as a writer and artist is an understatement. Recorded just days before the COVID 19 pandemic shutdown, the 10 tracks on AMERICAN SOUL take the listener on a rollicking journey of love, heartbreak, nostalgia and pride.

Aaron Watson's career is perhaps summed up best by Forbes, who says he's "one of country music's biggest DIY success stories." For the past 20 years, Watson has achieved success on his own terms, hand-building a lauded career through songwriting, relentless touring and more than a dozen self-released albums. His independent Texas spirit and strong work ethic are emblematic of the western lifestyle; virtues which have taken him from humble honky-tonks of Texas to multiple sold-out tours around the world. In 2019 he released Red Bandana – "his most ambitious album yet" (Taste of Country) – whose 20 songs were hailed by The Boot as "a pure expression of his traditional country ethos." This unprecedented acclaim follows Watson's previous album, Vaquero, whose Top 10 hit "Outta Style" earned a BMI Millionaire award, and The Underdog, the first independent album in the history of country music to top the Billboard Country Albums chart. With a dozen additional records under his belt, Watson is exceeding major-label-sized metrics while maintaining his independence, further galvanizing his "Texas country's reigning indie underdog" (Rolling Stone) brand. "There may be no more genuine singer-songwriter at the moment than Watson," says Texas Monthly, pointing to a self-made businessman, chart-topper, and road warrior whose authenticity has made him a country music staple.

CD UPC: 190296810602

Box Lot: 30

List Price: \$11.98



Vinyl UPC: 190296809910

List Price: \$19.98



# TV PRIEST UPPERS

SUB  
POP

CD / LP / CS / DIGITAL

SP 1422

RELEASE DATE: FEBRUARY 5TH, 2021

NON-EXPORTABLE  
OUTSIDE OF THE US.



It's tempting to think that you have all the answers, screaming your gospel every day with certainty and anger. Life isn't quite like that though, and the debut album from London four-piece TV Priest instead embraces the beautiful and terrifying unknowns that exist personally, politically, and culturally.

Posing as many questions as it answers, *Uppers* is a thunderous opening statement that continues the UK's recent resurgence of grubby, furious post-punk music. It says something very different though – something completely its own.

Four childhood friends who made music together as teenagers before drifting apart and then, somewhat inevitably, back together late in 2019, TV Priest was borne out of a need to create together once again, and brings with it a wealth of experience and exhaustion picked up in the band's years of pursuing 'real life' and 'real jobs', something those teenagers never had.

Last November, the band – vocalist Charlie Drinkwater, guitarist Alex Sprogis, bass and keys player Nic Smith and drummer Ed Kelland – played their first show, to a smattering of friends in what they describe as an "industrial freezer" in the warehouse district of Hackney Wick. "It was like the pub in *Peep Show* with a washing machine just in the middle..." Charlie laughs, remembering how they dodged *Star Wars* memorabilia and deep fat fryers while making their first statement as a band.

Unsurprisingly, there isn't a precedent for launching a band during a global pandemic, but among the general sense of anxiety and unease pervading everything at the moment, TV Priest's entrance in April with the release of debut single "House Of York" - a searing examination of the Monarchy set over wiry post-punk and fronted by a Mark E. Smith-like mouthpiece - served as a breath of fresh air among the chaos, its anger and confusion making some kind of twisted sense to the nation's fried brains.

It's the same continued global sense of anxiety that will greet the release of *Uppers*, and it's an album that has a lot to say right now. Taking musical cues from post-punk stalwarts The Fall and Protomartyr as well as the mechanical, pulsating grooves of krautrock, it's a record that moves with an untamed energy. Over the top of this rumbling musical machine is vocalist Charlie, a cuttlingly funny, angry, confused, real frontman. *Uppers* sees TV Priest explicitly and outwardly trying to avoid narrowmindedness. *Uppers* sees TV Priest taking musical and personal risks, reaching outside of themselves and trying to make sense of this increasingly messy world. It's a band and a record that couldn't arrive at a more perfect time.



#### TRACKLISTING:

1. The Big Curve
2. Press Gang
3. Leg Room
4. Journal of a Plague Year
5. History Week
6. Decoration
7. Slideshow
8. Fathers and Sons
9. The ref
10. Powers of Ten
11. This Island
12. Saintless

GENRE: Alternative Rock



CD List Price: **\$11.98**  
CD Packaging: Gatefold altpack  
5% discount on the CD  
through Feb 15th, 2021  
Box Lot: **40**



LP List Price: **\$21.98**  
LP Packaging: Single-pocket jacket  
with double-sided poster  
NON-RETURNABLE  
Box Lot: **25**



CS List Price: **\$7.98**  
CS Packaging: Three-panel  
J-card in clear case.  
NON-RETURNABLE  
Box Lot: **20**

#### DIGITAL:



RETAIL: Posters and play copies will be available.

PUBLICITY: Album serviced to all music & lifestyle media.

ONLINE: Artist page: [https://www.subpop.com/artists/tv\\_priest](https://www.subpop.com/artists/tv_priest)  
Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/TVPriest/>  
Twitter: [https://twitter.com/teevee\\_priest](https://twitter.com/teevee_priest)  
Instagram: <https://www.instagram.com/tvpriest/>  
Website: <https://www.tvpriest.com/>

Advertising will be purchased on select sites.

RADIO: *Uppers* will be worked to commercial and non-commercial/college radio.

TOURING: TV Priest plans to tour as soon as everyone can go to shows again.



# TEN YEARS AFTER

## A STING IN THE TALE (DELUXE EDITION)

**For fans of Alvin Lee, Ten Years After, and Classic Rock!**

Over fifty years since the release of their eponymous debut album in 1967, **Ten Years After** has returned with a new studio album containing twelve tracks titled “**A Sting In The Tale**”. This “**Deluxe Edition**” also contains 4 live tracks from the bands recent tour including an amazing rendition of the smash hit “**I’d Love To Change The World**”, which remains as relevant today as when first released in 1971.

The beginning of their meteoric rise to fame can be pinpointed to their performance at **The Woodstock Music and Arts Festival** in August 1969. The audience were blown away by the intensity of the band’s performance and their unique combination of Jazz, Blues and Rock, and their enigmatic frontman **Alvin Lee**. This made them one of the biggest bands of the early 70’s.

As well as original members **Ric Lee** (Drums) and **Chick Churchill** (Keys), the band now features Bass Icon **Colin Hodgkinson** (*Peter Green, Spencer Davis, Chris Rea*) and multi-award winning Guitarist/Vocalist **Marcus Bonfanti** (*Van Morrison, Ginger Baker, Ronnie Wood*).

The title “**A Sting In The Tale**” reflects the same sentiment Ric & Chick wished to convey in the 2015 live album “**The Name Remains The Same**”. Although the band lineup has changed and the music continues to evolve and grow fifty years on, the sound of the band will always be heavily rooted in the way they paved the way during the late sixties and early seventies and will never forget its incredible heritage. This new record is the ‘Sting’ in the continuing Tale of **Ten Years After**.



### TEN YEARS AFTER “A Sting in the Tale (Deluxe Edition)”

Release: February, 5 2021

Format: CD (Digipak)

CD Cat.no: DEKO1052-2

CD UPC: 691026178271

CD cost/list price: \$10.31/\$15.98  
(Discount: 7% through street date)

Parental Advisory: No

File Under: Rock / Blues



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CD (30 per carton)

#### Tracklist:

Land Of The Vandals  
Iron Horse  
Miss Constable  
Up In Smoke  
Retired Hurt  
Suranne Suranne  
Stoned Phone  
Two Lost Souls  
Diamond Girl  
Last Night Of The Bottle  
Guitar Hero  
Silverspoon Lady  
Land Of The Vandals (live)  
Last Night Of The Bottle (live)  
Silverspoon Lady (live)  
I'd Love To Change The World (live)

WEB: <http://ten-years-after.co.uk/>



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**Sigur Rós**

**Takk...**

**US street date: 12<sup>th</sup> February 2021**

Cat number: KRUNK9LP

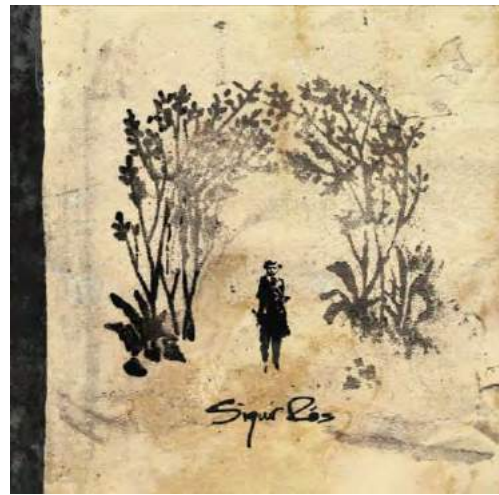
UPC: 190296852848

2 x heavy weight vinyl LP inc 10" single sided etched in sealed compartment.

Debossed gatefold sleeve.

US list price \$49.98

File under: Alternative/Indie



### Description

**Guardian** \*\*\*\*\* 'The glacial Icelandic quartet discover pop and an inner beauty'

**Pitchfork** 'Takk... is a warmer, more orchestral take on the band's defining sound, and easily their most instantly accessible record to date'

Critically acclaimed Icelandic band Sigur Rós reissue Takk... on their own label Krunk. Their award winning highly lauded 4<sup>th</sup> studio album features the singles and fan favourites Glósóli, Hoppípolla and Sæglópur. Pressed on 2 x 12" and including a single sided etched 10" this beautifully packaged record is composed of a debossed gatefold sleeve with a single die cut page that holds the 10". Takk... has been out of print for over a decade and is sold out world-wide. The record went Platinum in the UK and gold in the US.

Takk... - Sigur Rós's fourth album and the one where they finally got happy, albeit in their own inimitable and deeply inscrutable, north Atlantic way. This is the record that gave the world 'Hoppípolla', a song which cemented Sigur Rós's reputation for being the go-to band for anyone wanting a sense of wonderful possibility in their film/TV show. The record also harboured moments of definitive Sigur Rós drama in singles Glósóli and Sæglópur, and high beauty in Sé Lest and Svo Hljótt.

Takk.... - which means "thank you" in the band's native Icelandic - quickly became the band's biggest selling album around the world, fuelled by Hoppípolla's usage in the BBC's Planet Earth nature series. Sung in a mixture of Icelandic and the wordless Hopelandic, Takk... was recorded by the band with producer Ken Thomas in 2005 at their Sundlaugin studio in the Icelandic countryside. The vinyl record comes packaged on 2 x 12-inch, plus 1 x one-sided etched 10-inch single. The album artwork is the original debossed and die-cut sleeve, with printed inner bags, all done to the band's exacting specifications and pressed on heavy weight vinyl.

### Tracklist

1. takk...
2. glósóli
3. hoppípolla
4. með blóðnasir
5. sé lest
6. sæglópur
7. mílanó
8. gong
9. andvari
10. svo hljótt
11. heysátan





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## THE LIVE ALBUM DELUXE REISSUES

Release Date: 2/12/21

- ★ Deluxe Reissues of DIO's live albums, **EVIL OR DIVINE: LIVE IN NEW YORK CITY** and **HOLY DIVER LIVE**
- ★ Newly Remastered and Newly Created Cover Art
- ★ LIMITED EDITION 3LP VINYL Includes Lenticular 3D Album Cover Size Art Piece
- ★ Also Available in 2CD DELUXE MEDIABOOK and 3LP STANDARD EDITION

## EVIL OR DIVINE: LIVE IN NEW YORK CITY

Release Date: 2/12/21

- ★ Reissue of DIO's long out of print 2005 Live release
- ★ Newly remastered & newly created cover art
- ★ LIMITED EDITION VINYL VERSION INCLUDES LENTICULAR 3D ALBUM SIZED ART PIECE ALONG WITH 3LP 180g BLACK VINYL/ TRIPLE GATEFOLD
- ★ Also Available in 2CD Deluxe Mediabook and 3LP 180g Black Vinyl/Triple Gatefold Standard Edition
- ★ Features the complete live show experience as if you were there, including never before released version of "Lord Of The Last Day" and an amazing Simon Wright drum solo not on the original release!
- ★ Both 3LP Vinyl Versions feature special mini 4 track bonus from the 1996-2004 studio albums featuring "This Is Your Life" (from *Angry Machines*), "Fever Dreams" (from *Magica*), "Push" (from *Killing The Dragon*) & "The Eyes" (from *Master Of The Moon*)

LINE UP - Vocals: RONNIE JAMES DIO  
Guitar: DOUG ALDRICH | Bass: JIMMY BAIN  
Drums: SIMON WRIGHT | Keyboards: SCOTT WARREN

### Tracklist:

**SIDE A**  
Killing The Dragon  
Egypt (The Chains Are On)  
Push

**SIDE B**  
Drum Solo - *Simon Wright*  
Stand Up And Shout  
Rock And Roll  
Don't Talk To Strangers

**SIDE C**  
Man On The Silver Mountain  
Guitar Solo - *Doug Aldrich*  
Long Live Rock 'N' Roll  
Lord Of The Last Day

**SIDE D**  
Fever Dreams  
Holy Diver  
Heaven And Hell

**SIDE E**  
The Last In Line  
Rainbow In The Dark  
We Rock

**SIDE F - BONUS**  
**Best of studio albums 1996-2004**  
(On LP Configurations ONLY)  
This Is Your Life - from *Angry Machines*  
Fever Dreams - from *Magica*  
Push - from *Killing The Dragon*  
The Eyes - from *Master Of The Moon*



### LIMITED EDITION 3LP

List Price: \$38.98 | Release Date: 2/12/21  
Discount: No Discount  
Packaging: Limited Edition Lenticular Art Card/3LP 180g Black Triple Gatefold  
UPC: 4050538629668  
Returnable: NO | Box Lot: 10  
Units Per Set: 3 | File Under: Rock



### 3LP

List Price: \$35.98 | Release Date: 2/12/21  
Discount: No Discount  
Packaging: 3LP (180g) tri-gatefold sleeve  
UPC: 4050538629675  
Returnable: NO | Box Lot: 10  
Units Per Set: 3 | File Under: Rock



### 2CD

List Price: \$19.98 | Release Date: 2/12/21  
Discount: 3% Discount (through 2/12/21)  
Packaging: 2CD Deluxe Mediabook  
UPC: 4050538629682 | Returnable: YES  
Box Lot: 25 | Units Per Set: 2 | File Under: Rock

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## THE LIVE ALBUM DELUXE REISSUES

Release Date: 2/12/21

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- ★ Newly Remastered and Newly Created Cover Art
- ★ LIMITED EDITION 3LP VINYL Includes Lenticular 3D Album Cover Size Art Piece
- ★ Also Available in 2CD DELUXE MEDIABOOK and 3LP STANDARD EDITION

## HOLY DIVER: LIVE

Release Date: 2/12/21

- ★ Reissue of DIO's long out of print 2008 Live release
- ★ Newly remastered & newly created cover art
- ★ LIMITED EDITION VINYL VERSION INCLUDES LENTICULAR 3D ALBUM SIZED ART PIECE ALONG WITH 3LP 180g BLACK VINYL/ TRIPLE GATEFOLD
- ★ Also Available in 2CD Deluxe Mediabook and 3LP 180g Black Vinyl/Triple Gatefold Standard Edition
- ★ Features the legendary DIO album **HOLY DIVER** performed live in its entirety plus DIO classics from across his career including **Black Sabbath** and **Rainbow**!
- ★ Recorded Live at the London Astoria

### LINE UP

Vocals: RONNIE JAMES DIO

Guitar: DOUG ALDRICH | Bass: RUDY SARZO

Drums: SIMON WRIGHT | Keyboards: SCOTT WARREN

### Tracklist:

#### SIDE A

Intro  
Stand Up And Shout  
Holy Diver  
Gypsy  
Drum Solo - Simon Wright

#### SIDE B

Caught In The Middle  
Don't Talk To Strangers  
Straight Through The Heart  
Invisible

#### SIDE C

Rainbow In The Dark  
Shame On The Night  
Guitar Solo - Doug Aldrich  
Holy Diver (Reprise)

#### SIDE D

Tarot Woman  
Sign Of The Southern Cross  
One Night In The City

#### SIDE E

Gates Of Babylon  
Heaven And Hell

#### Side F

Man On The Silver Mountain  
Catch The Rainbow  
Long Live Rock 'N' Roll  
Call For Encore  
We Rock



### LIMITED EDITION 3LP

List Price: \$38.98 | Release Date: 2/12/21

Discount: No Discount

Packaging: Limited Edition Lenticular Art

Card/3LP 180g Black Triple Gatefold

UPC: 4050538629620 | Returnable: NO

Box Lot: 10 | Units Per Set: 3 | File Under: Rock



### 3LP

List Price: \$35.98 | Release Date: 2/12/21

Discount: No Discount

Packaging: 3LP (180g) tri-gatefold sleeve

UPC: 4050538629637 | Returnable: NO

Box Lot: 10 | Units Per Set: 3 | File Under: Rock



### 2CD

List Price: \$19.98 | Release Date: 2/12/21

Discount: 3% Discount (through 2/12/21)

Packaging: 2CD Deluxe Mediabook

UPC: 4050538629644 | Returnable: YES

Box Lot: 25 | Units Per Set: 2 | File Under: Rock

# HUEY LEWIS AND THE NEWS

Release Date: 2/12/2021

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- ★ Following on from the hugely successful February 2020 release of **HUEY LEWIS & THE NEWS** latest studio album **WEATHER** (#7 Billboard Top Albums Chart).
- ★ Studio albums **PLAN B** and **SOULSVILLE** now available in newly repackaged and upgraded Digipak format.

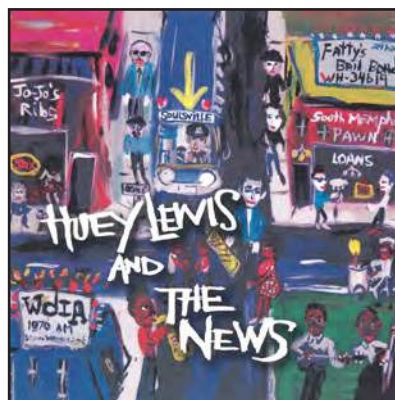


## PLAN B

- ★ The Eighth studio from the American Rock legends, originally released in 2001.
- ★ Includes the singles “Let Her Go & Start Over” which reached the Billboard Adult Contemporary Top 30 and “I’m Not In Love Yet’.”
- ★ The final Huey Lewis & The News album to feature founding member/guitarist Chris Hayes.

### Tracklist

1. We're Not Here for a Long Time (We're Here for a Good Time)
2. My Other Woman
3. I Ain't Perfect
4. When I Write the Book
5. I'm Not in Love Yet
6. Thank You, No. 19
7. Plan B
8. The Rhythm Ranch
9. Let Her Go and Start Over
10. I Never Think About You
11. So Little Kindness



## SOULSVILLE

- ★ Originally released in 2010, Soulsville is the ninth studio album from Huey Lewis & The News.
- ★ A tribute to the influential music of Stax Records, containing 14 Stax cover versions.
- ★ Reached the Billboard Top 200 upon release, peaking at #15 on the US Independent album chart.
- ★ The track “Respect Yourself” is a duet with American Gospel singer Dorothy Combs Morrison, famous for her lead vocal on the Edwin Hawkin Singers classic “Oh Happy Day.”

### Tracklist

1. Don't Fight It
2. Got to Get You Off My Mind
3. Free
4. Respect Yourself
5. Cry to Me
6. Just One More Day
7. Never Found a Girl
8. Soulsville
9. Little Sally Walker
10. I Want To (Do Everything for You)
11. Just the One (I've Been Looking For)
12. Don't Let the Green Grass Fool You
13. Never Like This Before
14. Grab This Thing



1CD | List Price: \$11.98 | Release Date: 2/12/2021  
Discount: 3% Discount (through 2/12/2021)  
Packaging: Digipak | UPC: 4050538615302 | Returnable: YES  
Box Lot: 30 | Units Per Set: 1 | File Under: Rock



1CD | List Price: \$11.98 | Release Date: 2/12/2021  
Discount: 3% Discount (through 2/12/2021)  
Packaging: Digipak | UPC: 4050538615319 | Returnable: YES  
Box Lot: 30 | Units Per Set: 1 | File Under: Rock



# SIRENIA

## RIDDLES, RUINS & REVELATIONS

A modern ride straight into the heart of symphonic metal!



RELEASE DATE: 2/12/2021  
 ARTIST: SIRENIA  
 TITLE: Riddles, Ruins & Revelations  
 LABEL: Napalm Records  
 COUNTRY: Norway  
 FILE UNDER: Symphonic Metal  
 FORMAT: CD Digipak / Digital  
 CATALOG #: NPR950DP  
 LIST PRICE: \$14.98  
 UPC: 840588140916 (CD) / 840588140923 (digital)  
 BOX LOT: 30

5% Discount through 02/16/21 (Returnable)

#### DESCRIPTION:

Symphonic metal institution SIRENIA are renewed in darkness on their tenth studio album, Riddles, Ruins & Revelations, to be released on February 12 via Napalm Records. The quartet around mastermind, bandleader, multi-instrumentalist, composer, songwriter and producer Morten Veland is certainly not afraid of combining a heavy symphonic sound with modern influences, which their latest record, Arcane Astral Aeons (2018) is proof of. This time, SIRENIA offer an exciting new twist to their songs, spicing them with electronic vibes, but never losing sight of their musical core. The four-piece remains as true to their album title word-play as they do to their dedication to symphonic soundscapes, drawing the listener into a pounding narrative about the darkest aspects of life. All eleven songs accumulate step by step to an integral sound artwork, where the versatile mezzo soprano voice of singer Emmanuelle Zoldan always shines in high-profile. In addition, there are many enchanting, instrumental surprises lurking on the way that absolutely need to be discovered: With the opening „Addiction No. 1“ the formation mainly based in Norway delivers an immense and catchy tune that will have fans of bands like Beyond The Black and Amaranthe falling in love immediately. „We Come To Ruins“ offers a contrast of harshness and skillfully portrays the multi-faceted nature of SIRENIA. With „Downwards Spiral“, Emmanuelle is supported by the remarkable voice of longtime friend Joakim Næss on clean vocals, who has joined the band on previous releases. The band's tenth full-length ends with a cover of Desireless' 1986 hit „Voyage Voyage“, where the band again impressively combines symphonic sounds with electronic atmosphere, which doesn't count only for this final epos, but for Riddles, Ruins & Revelations as a whole. Most parts of Riddles, Ruins & Revelations were recorded at Audio Avenue Studios in Stavanger, Norway, and mixed and mastered entirely by Morten Veland himself.

#### KEY SALES & MARKETING POINTS:

- Official music & lyric videos for “Addiction No. 1”, „We Come To Ruins“ & „Voyage Voyage“
- Full servicing to national, regional, rock, metal and lifestyle press & media outlets
- Metal & Specialty Radio promotions via Skateboard Marketing, adding week of release
- Advertising via New Noise, Blabbermouth, BraveWords, Youtube, Facebook and Instagram
- Napalm Socials: 1.67M+ Youtube subscribers, 482k+ Facebook likes, 300k+ Instagram followers, 37k+ Twitter followers
- Newsletter e-blasts to over 75,000 subscribers via [www.napalmrecords.com](http://www.napalmrecords.com) & [www.napalmrecordsamerica.com](http://www.napalmrecordsamerica.com)
- Napalm iPhone and Android Smartphone APP promotion including track-pre-listening, videos, and news updates!
- Co-op marketing, In-store displays, discounts, rebates, and p.o.p. tools available
- For Fans Of: Visions Of Atlantis, Delain, Serenity, Epica, and Leaves' Eyes

#### TOP MARKETS:

New York, Philadelphia, Boston, Washington DC, Chicago, Los Angeles, San Francisco, Denver, Seattle, Phoenix/Tempe



#### TRACK LISTING:

01. Addiction No. 1
02. Towards An Early Grave
03. Into Infinity
04. Passing Seasons
05. We Come To Ruins
06. Downwards Spiral
07. Beneath The Midnight Sun
08. The Timeless Waning
09. December Snow
10. This Curse Of Mine
11. Voyage Voyage



The Seventh Life Path,  
2015 CD



An Elixir For  
Existence, 2004 CD



At Sixes And Sevens,  
2002 CD



#### ALSO AVAILABLE:

Arcane Astral Aeons,  
2018 CD



Dim Days Of Dolor,  
2016 CD



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- /SIRENIAOFFICIAL - 27k+ subscribers
- - 140k+ monthly listeners & 150k+ followers

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# GOD IS AN ASTRONAUT

## GHOST TAPES #10

An ethereal and moving post rock experience  
of infinite atmosphere!



RELEASE DATE: 2/12/2021  
ARTIST: GOD IS AN ASTRONAUT  
TITLE: GHOST TAPES #10  
LABEL: Napalm Records  
COUNTRY: Ireland  
FILE UNDER: Post-Rock  
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### DESCRIPTION:

Reigning as one of the most well-known experimental instrumental groups out there with a respected musical legacy spanning nearly 20 years, Irish four-piece GOD IS AN ASTRONAUT will reach a career benchmark upon the release of their 10th studio album, Ghost Tapes #10. Founded by Niels and Torsten Kinsella in 2002, every piece of music the band has breathed life into since then has offered an intense sonic soundscape, leading the listener through an ethereal and emotional post rock dive into infinite atmospheres. Ghost Tapes #10 rekindles the band's classic line up with Jamie Dean once again on piano and guitar duties, and rather than pick up where the quartet left off in 2018, explores a radically different approach, with the focus fixed on movement and intensity. While the album is certainly the most ferocious GOD IS AN ASTRONAUT full-length to date, it still retains all of the rich musical and emotive elements the band is known for by maneuvering around luminescence whilst offering harsh, deep reflections as well. Works of art like "Burial", "In Flux" or "Barren Trees", with additional guitars by Jimmy Scanlan, amongst others, are proof of these sonic illustrations. The album closer, atmospheric "Luminous Waves", transports the listener into a trance-like mindset – captivating them with a meditative, deep connection to their inner self and as they drift away to stirring tunes of guest cello virtuoso Jo Quail. The album's detailed artwork was created by David Rooney, recognized for his work with band in the past, and plays into the sense of foreboding and uncertain times we live in.

### TRACK LISTING:

- A1. Adrift
- A2. Burial
- A3. In Flux
- B4. Spectres
- B5. Fade
- B6. Barren Trees
- B7. Luminous Waves (ft. Jo Quail)

### KEY SALES & MARKETING POINTS:

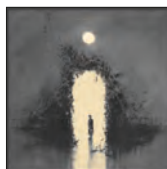
- Official music videos in the works for "Burial", "Adrift" and "Face"
- College & Specialty Radio promotions, adding week of release
- Full servicing to national, regional, rock, alternative, and lifestyle press & media outlets
- Advertising via Stereogum, Brooklyn Vegan, Revolver, Decibel, New Noise, Blast Beat, BraveWords, Youtube, Facebook and Instagram
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# THIS IS THE KIT

## *Wriggle Out The Restless*

“...successful artists have morphed into the only useful A&R forces, and if I could, I'd personally thank the Dessners [from The National] for unearthing Stables.”- **Stereogum**

This Is The Kit is the project of Kate Stables, born in England and based in Paris. They first gained notice due to radio play on BBC 6 and as a hand-picked opening act for The National, Iron & Wine, Sharon Van Etten and Alexi Murdoch—musicians who share a similar independent streak and warm-hearted approach to creating modern yet timeless music.

In the years since *Wriggle Out the Restless* was released in 2010, This Is The Kit have continued to gain momentum. Their 2015 follow-up album, *Bashed Out* was made with The National's Aaron Dessner (producer for Taylor Swift, Hannah Georgas, Mumford & Sons). Stables then sang on The National's 2019 album/film *I Am Easy To Find* and became a touring member on subsequent live dates. Finally, in 2020, *Bashed Out*'s title track became a streaming hit after a sync license usage in a key episode of Netflix's *Sex Education*.

The band is currently signed to the iconic Rough Trade label and has found success on both sides of the Atlantic. Their new album *Off Off On* was just named a 2020 'Album of the Year' by BBC 6 Music (as was 2015's *Bashed Out*). In North America, they are regulars on US Triple A radio stations like KEXP and indie folk festival line-ups.

Musically speaking, Kate sings, plays guitar, banjo, trumpet and percussion, while a cast of carefully chosen friends deliver guitar strums, banjo plucks, hushed horns and electronic textures that sit beneath Stables' easy, earnest lilt. This is delicate music with a full, highly rhythmic sound.

**RIYL: Bonnie “Prince” Billy, Beth Orton, Sharon van Etten, Bon Iver, Father John Misty, Joni Mitchell, Sam Amidon, and Anais Mitchell**

### SELLING POINTS

- First time *Wriggle Out the Restless* vinyl has been available in US.
- The band has huge international 'tastemaker' visibility thanks to glowing coverage by *Uncut*, *The Guardian*, *Q Magazine* and the BBC.
- Major coverage by US tastemakers including websites *Stereogum* and *Pitchfork* — radio/media outlets such as WXPN (Philadelphia) and KEXP (Seattle) — and festivals like Newport Folk.



### TRACK LISTING

1. Sometimes the Sea
2. Easy Pickings
3. See Here
4. Waterproof
5. Spinney
6. Trick You
7. The Turnip
8. White Ash
9. Earthquake
10. Sleeping Bag
11. Moon
12. Treehouse

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