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MYLES KENNEDY

The iconic MYLES KENNEDY uplifts and electrifies the soul with blues rock bastion The Ides Of March!



- TRACK LISTING:**
- A01. Get Along
 - A02. A Thousand Words
 - A03. In Stride
 - A04. The Ides Of March
 - B05. Wake Me When It's Over
 - B06. Love Rain Down
 - B07. Tell It Like It Is
 - B08. Moonshot
 - C09. Wanderlust Begins
 - C10. Sifting Through The Fire
 - C11. Worried Mind
 - Vinyl Only Bonus Track:
 - C12. The Ides Of March (demo)

RELEASE DATE: 05/14/2021
ARTIST: MYLES KENNEDY
TITLE: THE IDES OF MARCH
LABEL: Napalm Records
HOME TOWN: Spokane, WA
FILE UNDER: Rock, Blues
FORMAT: CD / 2LP / Digital
CATALOG #: NPR987JC / NPR987VINYL
LIST PRICE: \$13.98 (CD) / \$25.98 (2LP)
UPC: 840588142835 (CD) / 840588142866 (2LP) / 840588143566 (digital)
BOX LOT: 25 (CD) / 10 (2LP)

5% Discount through 5/18/21 (Returnable, CD Only)

DESCRIPTION:

Iconic frontman and instrumentalist MYLES KENNEDY (Alter Bridge, Slash ft. Myles Kennedy & The Conspirators) proves that tumultuous downtime can spark creative genius with The Ides Of March – the long-anticipated full-length follow up to his 2018 solo debut, Year Of The Tiger. The Ides Of March once again showcases the organic side of Kennedy's musical spectrum and one-of-a-kind voice, but while bright inclusions of lap steel and mandolin have replaced some of the pummeling kick drum and downtuned electric riffage his other renowned projects are known for, each of its offerings maintain the same steadfast energy that never relents. Fluxing between heritage rock outcries featuring Jimmy Page-worthy solos, and stripped-down, blues beckonings, the album manifests as an uplifting refresher arriving when society needs it most. Lyrically, the album's 11 unique offerings embrace all listeners, championing themes of unity and solidarity over separation and spite, allowing the sonic warmth of each track to stand out. Opening stunner "Get Along" proves itself as an anthem for the times, giving listeners a hard-rocking first dose of MYLES KENNEDY's iconic vocal attack and guitar prowess, ushered along by an addictive hook: "Why can't we all just get along?" The album rocks and twangs with timeless spine-tingers like "A Thousand Words" and slide guitar-laden lead single/future classic "In Stride". Kennedy slows it down with triumphant, smooth vocal knockout "The Ides Of March", topped with a jazzy guitar solo and poetic lyricism crooning for camaraderie in our darkest times. Raucous blues-rocker "Wake Me When It's Over" and passionate, ethereal "Love Rain Down" astound, while earworm lead-ignited "Tell It Like It Is" and swaying sing-a-long standout "Moonshot" successfully mark Kennedy's "dual-citizenship" in the realms of rock and country inspiration. Acoustics, mandolin and slide guitar pepper the soft benevolence of "Wanderlust Begins" and classic rock-inspired wakeup call "Sifting Through The Fire", before bluesy success "Worried Mind" provides the listener with one last slab of verification that MYLES KENNEDY is an undeniable talent for the ages. The Ides Of March doubles down on the charging roots rock vibes of its predecessor while exuding an aura of tenderness and inner peace – radiating the sorely needed, uplifting spirit of Americana rock.

KEY SALES & MARKETING POINTS:



- Follow up to 2018's critically acclaimed „Year of the Tiger“ (23k+ sales in USA, 1500+ Canada)
- Official music & lyric videos for "In Stride," „Get Alone," & „The Ides of March"
- Full servicing to national, regional, rock, metal and lifestyle press & media outlets
- Active Rock Radio Campaign via Ken Pittman & CO5 for „In Stride" Impacting February
- Napalm Social Followers: 1.7M+ Youtube, 485k+ Facebook, 313k+ Instagram, 40k+ Twitter
- Advertising via Guitar World, Revolver, Loudwire, Exclaim!, NewNoise, Blabbermouth, BraveWords, YT, FB & IG
- Napalm iPhone & Android Smartphone APP promotion including track-pre-listening, videos, and news updates!
- Newsletter e-blasts to over 75,000 subscribers via napalmrecords.com & napalmrecordsamerica.com
- Co-op marketing, In-store displays, discounts, rebates, and p.o.p. tools available
- For Fans Of: Slash, Alter Bridge, Black Keys, Joe Bonamassa, and Jack White

TOP MARKETS:

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

ALSO AVAILABLE:



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LEVARA

GENERAL INFORMATION

ARTIST: LEVARA
TITLE: LEVARA
HOMETOWN: Los Angeles, CA
GENRE: Rock
PARENTAL ADVISORY STICKERED: No

BIO

LEVARA brings together players that merged this union in Los Angeles, one of the world's epicenters of musical creativity. Singer Jules Galli emigrated from France, while drummer Josh Devine chose L.A. as home versus his native United Kingdom following success behind the kit with One Direction. In L.A., they found common vision with Trev Lukather (guitar), son of Toto's Steve Lukather, one of SoCal's most successful ensembles to ever emerge from the city. On some level these three players believe the universe brought them together. Every tune on the band's debut emanates from inspiration culled from their lives, and their mission is to rally the globe to connect and groove with the band. These songs display a larger than life sound. A realized vision. Anthemic tunes written and recorded visualizing a mass audience becoming one with the body of work. Integrating their personal voices to the live experience. Or simply as a personal soundscape cruising the asphalt with the car stereo cranking.

All of the members have history prior to the emergence of LEVARA. Growing up in Bournemouth, UK, Josh picked up drums as a kid, never put them down, and toured the globe and appeared in two live concert films on the throne for pop juggernaut One Direction. On the other side of the world, California native Trev Lukather ripped on Diamante's debut album Coming In Hot, and on the road in addition to touring with EDM phenomenon What So Not and performing at top festivals such as Lollapalooza, Bonnaroo, and in arenas. He also found success as a songwriter, co-writing "Love/Hate Heartbreak" for Halestorm's certified gold debut album alongside other compositions. After emigrating from France to Florida, Jules Galli relocated to Los Angeles five years ago, and has been an attraction at the popular Hotel Café leading his own ensemble of musicians prior to joining the band. As Galli shares, "When we started to collaborate, we found ourselves in the middle of something really fresh. My lyrics over the instruments created a new vibe none of us had heard before. We thought it would be a shame to not pursue the potential all of us were feeling." Devine offers, "We all love classic rock, but we wanted to pay homage to it with a modern twist. Where's the rock on the radio? Where's the music we grew up loving? Where's the guitar?" Trev Lukather urges, "We bring the feel-good anthems filled with emotion, tension and groove. Providing that much needed mutual escape. We are in it together. Artist to listener."

Prior to recording their debut, the band toured the United States several times and supported Toto on an arena tour last Summer. While in Europe, they staged several headline appearances across Germany and other countries, floored by the response with fans coming out at every date. Late 2018, they began their collaboration with Producer Ethan Kaufmann at Elephant In The Room Studios in East Hollywood. The album unequivocally captured the magic they sought to see take life. In the end, LEVARA offer the ultimate escape and maybe even some welcome inspiration. "We want you to put this on, relax, and take a journey," says Josh. "This is our outlet, so we hope you feel happy and powerful."

LEVARA's self-titled debut album is available May 14th, 2021 via Mascot Records.

5% NEW RELEASE DISCOUNT UNTIL MAY 28TH, 2021

LP (LIGHT BLUE 180 GRAM VINYL) (NON-RETURNABLE)

RELEASE DATE: 5/14/21
CAT#: M 7636 1
UPC: 810020503272
BOX LOT: 15
LIST PRICE: \$ 21.98



CD (RETURNABLE)

RELEASE DATE: 5/14/21
CAT#: M 7636 2
UPC: 810020503289
BOX LOT: 30
LIST PRICE: \$ 12.98

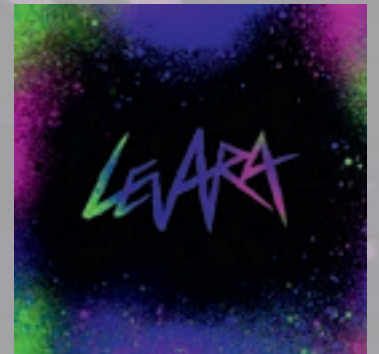


DIGITAL: CAT#: M7636D | **UPC:** 810020503296 | **LIST PRICE:** \$ 9.99

TRACKLIST

- CD:**
1. Heaven Knows
 2. Automatic
 3. Ever Enough
 4. On For The Night
 5. Allow
 6. Can't Get Over
 7. Chameleon
 8. Ordinary
 9. Just A Man
 10. No One Above You

LP:
Side A: 1,2,3,4,5 Side B: 6,7,8,9,10



HIGHLIGHTS

- Extensive global touring is planned with an initial European run of festivals, support, and headline shows overseas in June 2021, with North American plans to follow.
- Each of the songs presented pre-album release will be accompanied by a music video directed by Jake Hays and Olivia DeLaurentis.
- Featured on Spotify's New Alternative, Rock Nation, and Let There Be Rock playlists, along with YouTube Music's Razor's Edge playlist.
- 37k+ followers on social media, along with more than 3,500 monthly listeners on Spotify.

MARKETING & PROMOTION

- Full service to Rock and syndicated radio.
- Long-lead press and publicity campaigns – targets include Loudwire, Alternative Press, Guitar World, Guitar Player, Modern Drummer, Blabbermouth, and more.
- Adverts and editorial coverage in Rock and Guitar magazines.

SCAR OF THE SUN

GREECE'S SCAR OF THE SUN LENDS A VOICE TO SOCIAL INJUSTICE, MERGING SCIENTIFIC LYRICISM WITH ENERGETIC MODERN METAL!



RELEASE DATE: 05/14/2021
ARTIST: SCAR OF THE SUN
TITLE: INERTIA
LABEL: Napalm Records
COUNTRY: Greece
FILE UNDER: Metal
FORMAT: CD Digipak / 1LP Gatefold / Digital
CATALOG #: NPR1038DP / NPR1038VINYL
LIST PRICE: \$14.98 (CD) / \$21.98 (1LP)
UPC: 840588144150 (CD) / 840588144174 (1LP) / 840588144198 (digital)
BOX LOT: 30 (CD) / 12 (1LP)

5% Discount through 5/18/2021 (Returnable, CD Only)

DESCRIPTION:

After sharing the stage with outstanding acts such as Dark Tranquillity and Insomnium, as well as compatriots Rotting Christ, Greek modern metal five-piece SCAR OF THE SUN is poised to reach the next level with the release of their otherworldly third full-length, *Inertia*. The album delivers a fresh take on melodic, atmospheric, often progressively-influenced metal while forging a unique path, and acts as a follow up to their self-titled demo (2005), debut full-length *A Series Of Unfortunate Concurrency* (2011) and sophomore offering *In Flood* (2016). On *Inertia*, SCAR OF THE SUN utilizes scientific terminology to transmit their impassioned messages of difficult trials and social awareness lyrically, conveying an overarching theme that reflects one of society's heaviest burdens – that financial gain has flourished at the expense of humanity and the livelihoods of everyday people. Instrumental intro "Hydrogen" stirs things up before kicking in with hard-hitting title track "Inertia", evoking a truly thunderous verse and, propelled by blasting drums, leads into an undeniably catchy chorus. With its razor-sharp riffs, "I Am The Circle" refuses to compromise and genuinely reflects on the toughest aspects of being a musician, while the "Quantum Leap Zero"-trilogy conveys very intense and dramatic events that occurred in Greece in 2015: Suppression, rise/revolution and huge defeat in the end. Beginning with "Quantum Leap Zero I: Torque Control", SCAR OF THE SUN unveils a whole new instrumental facet of the record, splicing their soundscapes with distinctively desolate vibes. "Quantum Leap Zero II: Transition To Turbulence", on the other hand, calls for an untamed storm to annihilate everything, followed by atmospheric "Oxygen", smashing "The Fallible Experiment" and poignant trilogy-closer "Quantum Leap Zero III: Thrust". *Inertia* ends with "Anastasis" (Greek for "resurrection"), an intense track about the terrible pain of losing someone you love. With this closer, SCAR OF THE SUN manages to put agony into words and turn this palpable despair into emotive music. *Inertia* was recorded and mixed by singer and songwriting mastermind Terry Nikas at Zero Gravity Studios in Athens, Greece and mastered by the legendary Jens Bogren (Opeth, Katatonia, Dimmu Borgir) at Fascination Street Studios, Sweden.

KEY SALES & MARKETING POINTS:

- Official music & lyric videos for „Quantum Leap Zero II,“ „I Am The Circle“ & „Inertia“
- Metal & Specialty Radio promotions via Skateboard Marketing, adding week of release
- Full servicing to national, regional, rock, metal and lifestyle press & media outlets
- Advertising via Blabbermouth, BraveWords, Blast Beat, New Noise, YT, FB & IG
- Napalm Social Stats: 1.7M+ Youtube, 485k+ Facebook, 314k+ Instagram, 39k+ Twitter
- Newsletter e-blasts to 75k+ subscribers via napalmrecords.com & napalmrecordsamerica.com
- iPhone & Android Smartphone APP promotion including track pre-listening, videos & news updates
- Co-op marketing, In-store displays, discounts, rebates, and p.o.p. tools available
- For Fans Of: In Flames, Dark Tranquillity, Trivium, Insomnium, and Soilwork

TOP MARKETS:

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

TRACK LISTING:

- A01. Hydrogen
- A02. Inertia
- A03. I Am The Circle
- A04. Quantum Leap Zero I: Torque Control
- A05. Quantum Leap Zero II: Transition To Turbulence
- A06. Oxygen
- B07. The Fallible Experiment
- B08. Quantum Leap Zero III: Thrust
- B09. Singularity Collapse
- B10. Zenith To Minos
- B11. Anastasis



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- ★ Seven titles from electronic pop legends **ERASURE** now available via **BMG**
- ★ The selection includes the 3CD Deluxe Edition of *Chorus* plus 2016 LP reissues pressed on 180g Vinyl
- ★ Titles previously only available on import



WONDERLAND

- The debut album from **ERASURE** originally released in 1986
- Includes the singles "Who Needs Love Like That," "Heavenly Action," & "Oh L'amour"
- "Who Needs Love Like That" & "Oh L'amour" hit the top ten on Billboard's Hot Dance Music/Club Play chart.

SIDE ONE

Who Needs Love Like That
Reunion
Cry So Easy
Push Me Shove Me
Heavenly Action

SIDE TWO

Say What
Love Is A Loser
Senseless
My Heart... So Blue
Oh L'amour
Pistol



1LP | List Price: \$24.98 | Release Date: 5/14/21
Discount: No Discount
Packaging: 1LP 180g Vinyl
UPC: 5016025310258 | Returnable: NO
Box Lot: 20 | Units Per Set: 1 | File Under: Pop



THE CIRCUS

- **ERASURE's** second studio album released in 1987.
- Includes the classic "Sometimes," plus the singles "It Doesn't Have To Be," "Victim of Love" & "The Circus."
- "Victim of Love" hit #1 on the Billboard Hot Dance Club Play chart

SIDE ONE

It Doesn't Have to Be
Hideaway
Don't Dance
If I Could
Sexuality

SIDE TWO

Victim Of Love
Leave Me To Bleed
Sometimes
The Circus
Spiralling



1LP | List Price: \$24.98 | Release Date: 5/14/21
Discount: No Discount
Packaging: 1LP 180g Vinyl
UPC: 5016025310357 | Returnable: NO
Box Lot: 15 | Units Per Set: 1 | File Under: Pop



THE INNOCENTS

- The band's third studio album released in 1988
- Includes the singles "Ship of Fools," "Chains of Love" and the classic "A Little Respect"
- "Chains of Love" reached number 12 on the Billboard Hot 100 and #1 on the Billboard Hot Dance Music Chart

SIDE ONE

A Little Respect
Ship Of Fools
Phantom Bride
Chains Of Love
Hallowed Ground

SIDE TWO

Sixty-Five Thousand
Heart Of Stone
Yahoo!
Imagination
Witch In The Ditch
Weight Of The World



1LP | List Price: \$24.98 | Release Date: 5/14/21
Discount: No Discount
Packaging: 1LP 180g Vinyl
UPC: 5016025310555 | Returnable: NO
Box Lot: 20 | Units Per Set: 1 | File Under: Pop



WILD!

- Fourth Studio album from **ERASURE**, originally released in 1989
- The album reached number 57 on the Billboard 200 Chart
- Includes the singles "Drama," "You Surround Me," "Blue Savannah" & "Star"

SIDE ONE

Piano Song (Instrumental)
Blue Savannah
Drama!
How Many Times?
Star

SIDE TWO

You Surround Me
Brother And Sister
2000 Miles
Crown Of Thorns
Piano Song



1LP | List Price: \$24.98 | Release Date: 5/14/21
Discount: No Discount
Packaging: 1LP 180g Vinyl
UPC: 5016025310753 | Returnable: NO
Box Lot: 18 | Units Per Set: 1 | File Under: Pop

ALSO AVAILABLE



UNION STREET



1LP | List Price: \$24.98 | Release Date: 10/07/2016
Discount: No Discount | Packaging: 1LP 180g Vinyl
UPC: 0075597941876 | Returnable: NO
Box Lot: 20 | Units Per Set: 1 | File Under: Pop



NIGHTBIRD



1LP | List Price: \$24.98 | Release Date: 10/07/2016
Discount: No Discount | Packaging: 1LP 180g Vinyl
UPC: 0075597941869 | Returnable: NO
Box Lot: 20 | Units Per Set: 1 | File Under: Pop



LIGHT AT THE END OF THE WORLD



1LP | List Price: \$24.98 | Release Date: 10/07/2016
Discount: No Discount | Packaging: 1LP 180g Vinyl
UPC: 0075597941852 | Returnable: NO
Box Lot: 20 | Units Per Set: 1 | File Under: Pop



OTHER PEOPLES SONGS



1LP | List Price: \$24.98 | Release Date: 10/07/2016
Discount: No Discount | Packaging: 1LP 180g Vinyl
UPC: 0075597941845 | Returnable: NO
Box Lot: 20 | Units Per Set: 1 | File Under: Pop

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- ★ The selection includes the 3CD Deluxe Edition of *Chorus* plus 2016 LP reissues pressed on 180g Vinyl
- ★ Titles previously only available on import



CHORUS

- *Chorus* is **ERASURE**'s fifth studio album, originally released in 1991
- It includes the singles "Chorus," "Love To Hate You," "Am I Right?" & "Breath of Life"
- It gave Erasure their first Billboard Hot 100 entry since "Stop!" with the title track "Chorus."
- Casebound 3CD format includes B-Sides & Rarities plus Live at Manchester Apollo, 1992.

CD1 & LP – Original Album

Chorus / Waiting for the Day / Joan / Breath of Life / Am I Right? / Love to Hate You / Turns the Love to Anger / Siren Song / Perfect Stranger / Home

CD2 – B-Sides & Rarities

Over the Rainbow
Turns the Love to Anger (Vince Clarke Remix)
Perfect Stranger (Mellow-KROQ Session Version)
Waiting for Sex (Full Length)
Love to Hate You (Robbie Rivera's Juicy Mix)
Twilight
Let It Flow
Chorus (Fishes in the Sea) (Single Low End Mix)
Siren Song (Alternative Lyrics)
Breath of Life (Divine Inspiration Mix)
Love to Hate You (Blunder-KROQ Session Version)
La La La
Mirror to Your Soul
Waiting for the Day (Demo Version)
Perfect Stranger (Acoustic)
Am I Right? (Glen Nichol's Extended 12" Mix)
Home (Minute Taker Remix)

CD3 - Live at Manchester Apollo, 1992

Chorus / Waiting for the Day / Joan / Breath of Life / Am I Right? / Love to Hate You / Turns the Love To Anger / Siren Song / Perfect Stranger / Home



3CD | List Price: \$24.98 | Release Date: 5/14/21
Discount: 3% Discount (through 5/14/21)
Packaging: 3CD in Casebound Book
UPC: 4050538451986 | Returnable: YES
Box Lot: 20 | Units Per Set: 3 | File Under: Pop



1LP | List Price: \$24.98 | Release Date: 5/14/21
Discount: No Discount
Packaging: 1LP 180g Vinyl
UPC: 5016025310951 | Returnable: NO
Box Lot: 20 | Units Per Set: 1 | File Under: Pop



I SAY I SAY I SAY

- **ERASURE**'s sixth studio album released in 1994.
- Includes the hit "Always" plus "Run To The Sun" and "I Love Saturday"
- "Victim of Love" hit #1 on the Billboard Hot Dance Club Play chart

SIDE ONE

Take Me Back
I Love Saturday
Man in the Moon
So the Story Goes
Run to the Sun

SIDE TWO

Always
All Through the Years
Blues Away
Miracle
Because You're So Sweet



CD | List Price: \$12.98 | Release Date: 5/14/21
Discount: 3% Discount (through 5/14/21)
Packaging: 1CD Standard Format
UPC: 5016025611157 | Returnable: YES
Box Lot: 25 | Units Per Set: 1 | File Under: Pop



1LP | List Price: \$24.98 | Release Date: 5/14/21
Discount: No Discount
Packaging: 1LP 180g Vinyl
UPC: 5016025201525 | Returnable: NO
Box Lot: 20 | Units Per Set: 1 | File Under: Pop



ERASURE

- Originally released in 1995 *Erasure* is the bands seventh studio album
- The album reached number 82 on the Billboard 200 Chart
- Includes the singles "Stay With Me," "Fingers & Thumbs" & "Rock Me Gently."

SIDE ONE

Intro: Guess I'm Into Feeling
Rescue Me
Sono Luminus

SIDE TWO

Fingers and Thumbs
(Cold Summer's Day)
Rock Me Gently

SIDE THREE

Grace
Stay with Me
Love the Way You Do So

SIDE FOUR

Angel
I Love You
A Long Goodbye



2LP | List Price: \$29.98 | Release Date: 5/14/21
Discount: No Discount
Packaging: 1LP 180g Vinyl
UPC: 5016025311453 | Returnable: NO
Box Lot: 10 | Units Per Set: 2 | File Under: Pop



Telex

This Is Telex

Street Date: 5/14/21

Mute are excited to announce the release of Telex's forthcoming newly remastered compilation 'This Is Telex' on limited edition double vinyl (Disc 1 on shrimp pink vinyl, Disc 2 on fern green vinyl), out May 14th. This follows the April 30th CD and digital release.

Telex were formed in 1978 in Brussels, just one of a handful of synthpop pioneers at a time when electronic pop was regarded as novelty, with suspicion, as a harbinger for future dystopia and alienation. Telex were concerned about the consequences of new technology for human communication, a theme explored on tracks like 'Something To Say', while their name is taken, ironically, from a now obsolete piece of communications technology, adding a retrofuturist air to their legend. However, it was on their cover versions that they deliberately played up the disparity between the ice-cool electronic approach and the sweaty, fleshy, frenetic passion of pop.

This Is Telex is a brand new compilation collecting 14 tracks from the innovative Belgium trio, covering their career from formation in 1978 up to the final album in 2006. It includes the hit single 'Moskow Disko' as well as their Eurovision Song Contest entry, aptly called 'Euro-Vision'. There are also two wonderful and previously unreleased tracks unearthed from the Telex archive, a cover of The Beatles' "Dear Prudence" and a reinterpretation of a Sonny & Cher track called 'The Beat Goes On/Off'.

FOR FANS OF:

Kraftwerk, Depeche Mode, Sparks, Fad Gadget, Cabaret Voltaire, DEVO

2LP: 5400863039516
SLRP: 30.98
File Under: Electronic
Box Lot: 25
12" Non-Returnable
Limited Edition Pink and Green Vinyl



Digital UPC: 5400863039530

ALSO AVAILABLE ON CD:

This Is Telex
CD: 5400863039523
SLRP: 14.98
File Under: Electronic



TRACKLISTING:

1. The Beat Goes On/Off
2. Moskow Diskow (Remastered)
3. Twist à Saint-Tropez (Remastered)
4. Euro-vision (Remastered)
5. Dance To The Music (Remastered)
6. Drama Drama (Remastered)
7. Exercise Is Good For You (Remastered)
8. L'amour toujours (Remastered)
9. Radio-Radio (Remastered)
10. Rendez-vous dans l'espace (Remastered)
11. Beautiful Li(f)e (Remastered)
12. The Number One Song In Heaven (Remastered)
13. La Bamba (Remastered)
14. Dear Prudence

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RY X & LONDON CONTEMPORARY ORCHESTRA LIVE FROM THE ROYAL ALBERT HALL

In October 2019, Australian alternative artist **RY X** stepped on stage at the **Royal Albert Hall** and completed a lifetime ambition. Not only was he performing in one of the most historic and dazzling venues in the world, but his tremulous voice and stark emotional songwriting was complemented by the **London Contemporary Orchestra**.

RY X *"This was a very special night in a beautiful space surrounded by thousands of your eyes and breaths. I hope it brings peace and an opening of heart to you. There is a lot to stand for in the world, right now, and always. I'll be with you on the streets sharing my voice loudly, and I'll be working to pour my heart and life's essence into creating art and music that can seed change in any and all the ways it can. I hope you will lean in to do the same. Make the differences you can."*

PRE-ORDER DATE: JANUARY 15 2021

STREET DATE: MAY 14 2021



TRACKLIST

SIDE A

- 1 SWEAT
- 2 SALT
- 3 SOLACE
(AMBIENT)

SIDE C

- 1 CLASP
(AMBIENT)
- 2 BODY SUN
- 3 THE WATER

SIDE B

- 1 BOUND
- 2 BERLIN
- 3 SHORTLINE

SIDE D

- 1 HOWLING
- 2 PLUME
(AMBIENT)
- 3 ONLY



UPC 4050538658828 CAT NO. INFECT619LP
LIST PRICE \$29.98 PACKAGING GATEFOLD
BOX LOT 20 DOUBLE VINYL RETURNABLE NO



OLD SEA BRIGADE

MOTIVATIONAL SPEAKING

Street Date: 5/14/2021
File Under: Singer-Songwriter
Format: Vinyl LP/Digital



"Old Sea Brigade's intent to highlight the ebbs and flows of change in life not only maintains its relevance, but the music excels at doing so with a subtle elegance..."

- American Songwriter

TRACK LISTING

1. How It Works
2. Day by Day
3. Salt
4. Nothing Clever
5. American Impressions
6. Caroline
7. Mirror Moon
8. High Times
9. Walls
10. Still
11. Come Tomorrow
12. 4th of July

VINYL TRACK LISTING

SIDE A: Tracks 1-6

SIDE B: Tracks 7-12

Format: LP



LP UPC: 0 6700 31239 1 4

LP LIST PRICE: \$ 26.98

LP BOX COUNT: 12" Standard Jacket
- 40 per outer carton/20 per inner box

VINYL IS NON-RETURNABLE

Format: DIGITAL

DIGITAL UPC: 0 6700 31239 5 2

KEY MARKETS

Los Angeles, New York, Boston, Chicago, Washington DC, Salt Lake City, Minneapolis, Detroit, Dallas, San Francisco

Hometown: Nashville

oldseabrigade.com

Old Sea Brigade is Atlanta-born and Nashville-based singer, songwriter, producer and multi-instrumentalist Ben Cramer. Cramer captures anxiety, nostalgia, confusion, love, loss, and, ultimately, hope in tender true-life snapshots colored by folk eloquence, Americana bliss, rock energy, and country heart.

Motivational Speaking is the new twelve song collection that comes on the heels of a breakout run for Old Sea Brigade, who has been taken on the road by songwriting contemporaries like Julien Baker, Hiss Golden Messenger and John Paul White while garnering over 43 million streams for his original "Love Brought Weight." Most recently, he released a collaborative EP called *All The Ways You Sing In The Dark* with regular tourmate Luke Sital-Singh over quarantine, while continuing to expand and rework *Motivational Speaking* with longtime production partner Owen Lewis. *Motivational Speaking* will feature nine brand new original tracks in addition to "Day By Day" and the 2020 singles "How It Works" and "Caroline."

RIYL: The National, Lord Huron, Iron & Wine, Bon Iver, Dermot Kennedy, Henry Jamison, Benjamin Francis Leftwich, Haux, The Paper Kites, Hollow Coves, Donovan Woods, Foy Vance, Hiss Golden Messenger, Luke Sital-Singh, Roo Panes, Matthew and the Atlas.

SELLING POINTS

- Release week livestream performance at an iconic Nashville venue with virtual Meet & Greet for fans across the globe
- Album to be serviced to past supporters at North American Triple A, Non Comm, and College radio including WNYC, Kelly McCartney/Hangin' & Sangin'/Southern Craft Radio, WRLT Nashville Lightning 100, KEXP Seattle, BBC R2 & Australia's Triple J
- Supported at press with features, interviews, and coverage from *Consequence of Sound*, *American Songwriter*, *Clash*, *Atwood Magazine*, *Relix*, *Guitar.com*, *Americana UK*, *Thank Folk For That*, *Ones To Watch*, *Exclaim!*, *Paste Magazine*, etc.
- Over 103MM+ streams across catalog including over 43MM on hit single "Love Brought Weight"

MARKETING

Online Advertising/Consumer Marketing:

- Facebook, Instagram and YouTube advertising ongoing with additional advertising to support, pre-release content, pre-order, and album release
- Print, eNews blasts and dedicated banner ad campaigns with *American Songwriter*, *Consequence of Sound* and *Brooklyn Vegan*
- Apple hardware product giveaway to support album pre-order and album awareness

Tools:

- Official Music Videos for "Day by Day", "Mirror Moon" & "How It Works"
- Monthly web content series includes Instagram chats with past collaborators, and cover series

TV:

- Album serviced to music supervisors, editors and trailer houses focusing on episodic television
- Past synch placements include: *Grey's Anatomy* (ABC), *This Is Us* (NBC), *Nashville* (CMT/MTV/Hulu, TV Land/Nick at Nite), *A Million Little Things* (ABC), *Hollyoaks* (Channel 4), *Life Sentence* (CW, Netflix)

Radio:

- Triple A/Non-Comm/College Campaign



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Kali Masi
[laughs]

Key Market: Chicago, IL

Coming off their 2017 debut *Wind Instrument*, **Kali Masi's** sophomore record [laughs] is more than a collection of songs – it's a lifeline. Driving straight through the brick walls of often difficult subjects like emotional abuse, tense friendships and feeling comfortable in misery, the *Chicago* punks deliver poignant and empowering anthems of identity and self.

This isn't a record of nostalgia — it's a record of the present. It's a record for reflecting on where you've landed, how you got there and where to go next. [laughs] is an album urgently striving for self-awareness and presence, and for everybody listening doing the same. It's recognizing you are not what others make of you – only what you make of yourself.

Artist: Kali Masi
Title: [laughs]
Release Date: 05/14/2021 **Vinyl Selection #:** T3H1-081 **Vinyl UPC:** 605491106271 **Vinyl Price:** \$19.98 // \$12.85 **File Under:** Alternative / Rock **Parental Advisory:** No
Vinyl Box Lot Quantity: 25
Discount: 7% Through Street Date

Tracklist

- [A]
- 1. Still Life
- 2. Paint Me Jade
- 3. Hurts To Laugh
- 4. Guilt Like A Gun
- 5. Short Term
- [B]
- 6. Long Term
- 7. Freer
- 8. Trophy Deer
- 9. Recurring (I)
- 10. The Stray

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May 21

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MONSTER MAGNET

A Better Dystopia dominates with a psychotic selection of proto-metal and psych-rock obscurities!



RELEASE DATE: 05/21/2021
 ARTIST: MONSTER MAGNET
 TITLE: A BETTER DYSTOPIA
 LABEL: Napalm Records
 HOME TOWN: Red Bank, NJ
 FILE UNDER: Rock, Metal
 FORMAT: CD / 2LP / Digital
 CATALOG #: NPR916DP / NPR916VINYL
 LIST PRICE: \$14.98 (CD) / \$25.98 (2LP)
 UPC: 840588143405 (CD) / 840588143429 (2LP) / 840588143474 (digital)
 BOX LOT: 30 (CD) / 10 (2LP)

5% Discount through 05/25/2021 (Returnable, CD Only)

DESCRIPTION:

Take a trip inside the mind of psychedelic rock legend Dave Wyndorf with MONSTER MAGNET's A Better Dystopia – a delightfully psychotic selection of proto-metal and late-era psych songs that fit the band like a glove! With wonderfully obscure song choices and excellent sequencing, the mighty Magnet pay homage to some of their favorite songs of all time, crafting another exciting and unique listening experience alike what they've become famous for. While the album marks a new frontier for MONSTER MAGNET as their first covers record, this is not your typical set of standards released to pass time. Wyndorf is at the top of his game on A Better Dystopia – howling, crooning, speaking... whatever it takes to get the emotional message of these very special tunes across, delivering each lyric in his own inimitable style. Musicians Phil Caivano, Bob Pantela, Garrett Sweeney and Alec Morton own the sound on A Better Dystopia – vintage and old school, dense and heavy, with searing fuzz leads and pounding bass and drums all played in a deft style that's almost been lost in modern music. Drop the needle on any song, and A Better Dystopia comes up winning. The album opens with "The Diamond Mine", as Dave Wyndorf recites a classic monologue by Dave Diamond, an American radio DJ whose programs in the late 1960s and early 1970s helped popularize many psychedelic and acid rock bands. At this point the real trip begins, as the opening chords of the Hawkwind classic "Born To Go" gear up for launch. Tracks like standout "Mr. Destroyer" (Poo-Bah) boast swaggering riffs and swirling vocals, spurring visions of some untold Freak revolution – or perhaps dinosaurs battling on a burning planet at the end of time – creating a perfect blend of hard rock and psychedelia. Feverish "Motorcycle (Straight To Hell)" (Table Scraps) is pure punk fury of the old school tradition, evoking a cross between Iggy Pop and Motörhead as Wyndorf wails, „I'm gonna drive it straight to HELL!" Falling even further down the mind-bending rabbit hole, Magnet offers their stunning, whirlwind take on the often-overlooked hard rock classic „Learning To Die" (Dust) and a masterful version the Stooges meets Goth epic, „Solid Gold Hell" (The Scientists). The album closes with a nuclear cover of Morgen's "Welcome To The Void", inviting you to restart the ride again and again. Take a sonic journey to another time and space and experience what has made MONSTER MAGNET tick since day one with A Better Dystopia!

KEY SALES & MARKETING POINTS:

- Official lyric videos for „Motorcycle," "Mr. Destroyer" and „Learning To Die"
- Full servicing to national, regional, rock, metal and lifestyle press & media outlets
- Metal & Specialty Radio promotions via Skateboard Marketing, adding on Street Date!
- Advertising: Revolver, Decibel, Thrasher, Loudwire, NewNoise, Blabbermouth, BraveWords & BlastBeat
- Napalm Social Follower Stats: 1.75M+ Youtube, 485k+ Facebook, 316k+ Instagram, 40k+ Twitter
- Newsletter e-blasts to 80k+ subscribers via napalmrecords.com & napalmrecordsamerica.com
- Napalm Smartphone APP promotion including track-pre-listening, videos, and news updates!
- For Fans of: Queens of The Stone Age, Clutch, Corrosion of Conformity, and Orange Goblin
- Co-op marketing, In-store displays, discounts, rebates, and p.o.p. tools available

TOP MARKETS:

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

TRACK LISTING:

- A01. The Diamond Mine (Dave Diamond cover)
 - A02. Born To Go (Hawkwind cover)
 - A03. Epitaph For A Head (J.D. Blackfoot cover)
 - A04. Solid Gold Hell (The Scientists cover)
 - A05. Be Forewarned (The Macabre cover)
 - B06. Mr. Destroyer (Poo-Bah cover)
 - B07. When The Wolf Sits (Jerusalem cover)
 - B08. Death (Pretty Things cover)
 - B09. Situation (Josephus cover)
 - C10. It's Trash (The Cave Men cover)
 - C11. Motorcycle (Straight To Hell) (Table Scraps cover)
 - C12. Learning To Die (Dust cover)
 - C13. Welcome To The Void (Morgen cover)
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- 📌 /MONSTERMAGNETNJ - 9k+ followers
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GARY NUMAN

INTRUDER



THE ICONIC GARY NUMAN is set to release his brand new album *Intruder* on May 21st. *Intruder* is **Numan's** 18th solo studio album and follows 2017's *Savage: Songs From A Broken World*, which became his highest charting set in almost forty years when it debuted at **#2** on the **Official Albums Chart**. That commercial success was complemented with wide-reaching critical acclaim from **Mojo**, **The Quietus**, **Rolling Stone** and more.

Whereas *Savage* depicted earth as a barren wasteland in which humanity and culture had been largely crushed by the effects of global warming, *Intruder* presents a fresh but complementary narrative. It's a philosophical examination of a potential future apocalypse: the planet can only survive by purging its inhabitants.

Numan explains: "*'Intruder'* looks at climate change from the planet's point of view. If Earth could speak, and feel things the way we do, what would it say? How would it feel? The songs, for the most part, attempt to be that voice, or at least try to express what I believe the earth must feel at the moment. The planet sees us as its children now grown into callous selfishness, with a total disregard for it's well being. It feels betrayed, hurt and ravaged. Disillusioned and heartbroken it is now fighting back. Essentially, it considers human kind to be a virus attacking the planet. Climate change is the undeniable sign of the Earth saying enough is enough, and finally doing what it needs to do to get rid of us, and explaining why it feels it has to do it."

TRACKLIST

- 01 BETRAYED
- 02 THE GIFT
- 03 I AM SCREAMING
- 04 INTRUDER
- 05 IS THIS WORLD NOT ENOUGH
- 06 A BLACK SUN
- 07 THE CHOSEN
- 08 AND IT BREAKS ME AGAIN
- 09 SAINTS AND LIARS
- 10 NOW AND FOREVER
- 11 THE END OF DRAGONS
- 12 WHEN YOU FALL (BONUS TRACK ON DELUXE CD, VINYL AND DIGITAL FORMATS)
- 13 THE END OF DRAGONS (ALT) (BONUS TRACK ON VINYL AND DIGITAL FORMATS)

RELEASE DATE: MAY 21, 2021

HEAVYWEIGHT BLACK LP
PRICE: \$29.98
UPC: 4050538658743
BOX LOT: 10



RELEASE DATE: MAY 21, 2021

AUDIO CD
PRICE: \$13.98
UPC: 4050538658682
DISCOUNT: 5% THRU 5/28
BOX LOT: 30



RELEASE DATE: MAY 21, 2021

DELUXE CD
PRICE: \$19.98
UPC: 4050538658699
DISCOUNT: 5% THRU 5/28
BOX LOT: 30



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PAULA COLE

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BIOGRAPHY

Paula Cole has never been afraid of speaking complex truths. With a musical catalog defined by honest and deeply personal lyrics carried by her powerful, radiant voice, Cole has always had a gift for discerning the underlying humanity in stories from her own life as well as those around her. This breathtaking collection is a cavalcade of blues, jazz, folk, pop, and gospel – with Cole’s remarkable voice the roadmap to Americana, jazz, and standards.

On her latest record AMERICAN QUILT, Cole has applied this natural insight to American history and musical roots traditions by interpreting a selection of classic songs – each of which provide an entry point for rediscovering the overlooked stories and figures that populate America’s interwoven cultural lineage. The 18th-century mountain ballad, “Wayfaring Stranger,” is “a song of hope for world-weary travelers,” says Cole, “who endure suffering and heartache and fantasize about the great beyond over Jordan and reuniting with loved ones.” The most stirring song on the album is Cole’s “Hidden in Plain Sight” – written during the pandemic. The evocative track opens with her quiet a cappella reading of the spiritual “Steal Away,” segueing into the rhythmic “Hidden.” Its lyrics detail heroic endeavors of enslaved women who stitched elaborate quilts that served as roadmaps to freedom.

This album reflects a patchwork of music from the cities and the mountains, the fields and the rivers – from movies, to melodies that traversed oceans, centuries, cultures, and continents – sewn together with our collective heartstrings. Paula hopes the listener will step inside the canoe and float down the Missouri River of their mind. That they will hear the gospel of the country, taste the liquor in the speakeasies and that they will feel the freedom in the jazz of the cities, heed the call to morality in the spirituality of a day’s hard work, and the call to the Great Beyond from the Appalachians.

MARKETING / SALES

- AMERICAN QUILT marks Paula Cole’s 11th studio album. Cole received the Best New Artist Grammy in 1997 and has charted numerous singles in the Billboard Top 100.
- AMERICAN QUILT will be supported by a full national press and marketing campaign, in conjunction with a focus on radio editorial pieces through NPR and non-comm AAA outlets.
- Marketing assets include live video, mini-documentary, artist interviews, and live stream content.
- Lead tracks “Wayfaring Stranger” and “God’s Gonna Cut You Down” reimagine these timeless classics with Paula Cole’s vocals leading them in new musical directions, with an eye to the past and the present.
- Campaign also includes online marketing support, ads, and playlisting initiatives.

QUOTES

“Ms. Cole...is not only an arresting songwriter but also a charismatic performer who exudes an unforced bravado on the stage.” **THE NEW YORK TIMES**

“Paula Cole is a piano-playing poet and provocateur, a loving daughter and mother, a Grammy winner and seven-time nominee, a dramatic voice of affliction and affection, a risk-taker in a risky business.” **NO DEPRESSION**



TRACK LISTINGS

CD

1. YOU DON'T KNOW WHAT LOVE IS
2. GOD'S GONNA CUT YOU DOWN
3. WAYFARING STRANGER
4. SHENANDOAH
5. BLACK MOUNTAIN BLUES
6. GOOD MORNING HEARTACHE
7. NOBODY KNOWS YOU (WHEN YOU'RE DOWN AND OUT)
8. BYE BYE BLACKBIRD
9. STEAL AWAY / HIDDEN IN PLAIN SIGHT
10. WHAT A WONDERFUL WORLD

LP

- SIDE A:
1. YOU DON'T KNOW WHAT LOVE IS
 2. GOD'S GONNA CUT YOU DOWN
 3. WAYFARING STRANGER
 4. SHENANDOAH
- SIDE B:
5. BLACK MOUNTAIN BLUES
 6. GOOD MORNING HEARTACHE
 7. NOBODY KNOWS YOU (WHEN YOU'RE DOWN AND OUT)
 8. BYE BYE BLACKBIRD
 9. WHAT A WONDERFUL WORLD

ARTIST: **PAULA COLE** | TITLE: **AMERICAN QUILT** | RELEASE: 5/21/2021 | LABEL: RENEW RECORDS | GENRE: AMERICANA | HOMETOWN: ROCKPORT, MA | FORMAT: DIGITAL, CD, LP | CAT #S: 538668584 / 538668572 / 538656191 | DIGITAL UPC: 4050538668582

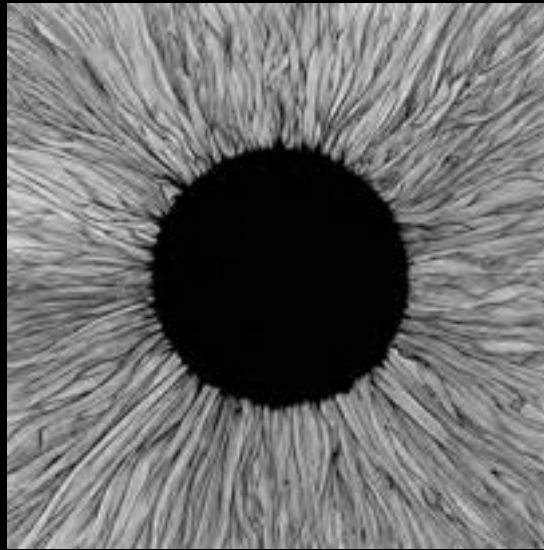


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CD SRP: \$13.98
CD BOXLOT: 30
DISCOUNT: 5% | DISCOUNT END DATE: 5/27/21



LP UPC: 4050538656190
LP SRP: \$24.98
LP BOXLOT: 25





GENERAL INFORMATION

ARTIST: Vola
TITLE: Witness
HOMETOWN: Copenhagen, Denmark
GENRE: Prog / Metal
PARENTAL ADVISORY STICKERED: No

BIO

Danish-Swedish quartet **VOLA** are back with a new studio album featuring their iconic blend of futuristic progressive rock, electronica and modern metal, topped off with clear, beautiful vocal lines, their third studio album 'Witness' will be released on May 21st via Mascot Records.

Bringing on board Grammy-nominated producer Jacob Hansen (Volbeat, Amaranthe, Delain) early on in the process with his hi-fi approach to mixing, this inspired **VOLA** to push their versatile capabilities into the direction of creating a very contemporary album & atmosphere. There is always an underlining cinematic aesthetic to **VOLA** that explodes in front of you upon listening to them. But it then entices you deeper within the rabbit hole, following their story further until you are taken in by its hold. 'Witness' invites you on a journey that pursues characters being held witness to major changes in their lives.

MARKETING & PROMOTION

- Servicing to Rock, Metal and Prog.
- Extensive social media campaign through Facebook, Twitter, YouTube, and Google.
- Adverts, interviews, and reviews in Rock, Metal and Prog magazines.
- Long-lead press and publicity campaigns – Blabbermouth, Progressions, Rolling Stone, Loudwire, Billboard, Popmatters, The Prog Mind, Revolver, Metal Observer, My Global Mind, Progressive Music Planet, Power of Prog, Metal Reviews, Metal Storm, and many more.

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LP (180 GRAM GLOW IN THE DARK VINYL) NON-RETURNABLE

RELEASE DATE: 5/21/21
CAT#: M 7639 1
UPC: 810020503548
BOX LOT: 15
LIST PRICE: \$ 21.98



CD (RETURNABLE)

RELEASE DATE: 5/21/21
CAT#: M 7639 2
UPC: 810020503555
BOX LOT: 30
LIST PRICE: \$ 12.98



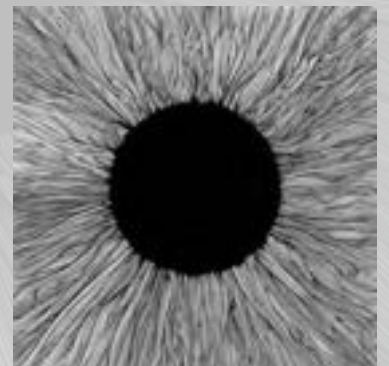
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TRACKLIST

CD:

1. Straight Lines
2. Head Mounted Sideways
3. 24 Light-Years
4. These Black Claws (feat. Shahmen)
5. Freak
6. Napalm
7. Future Bird
8. Stone Leader Falling Down
9. Inside Your Fur

LP:
Side A: 1,2,3,4
Side B: 5,6,7,8,9



HIGHLIGHTS

- 'Witness' was produced by Grammy-nominated Jacob Hansen (Volbeat, Amaranthe, Delain).
- In November 2020, **VOLA** released their first single off 'Witness' entitled, "Head Mounted Sideways", which has been streamed over 500K+ times on Spotify. This track is featured on Spotify's Best Metal Songs of 2020 playlist.
- **VOLA** has 8.5 million+ streams on Spotify, with 157K monthly listeners.
- **VOLA** is set to tour the US for the first time in September 2021, opening for Haken.

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UK's alt-metal upstarts VEXED deliver a contemporary and progressive take on culture!



RELEASE DATE: 05/21/2021
ARTIST: VEXED
TITLE: CULLING CULTURE
LABEL: Napalm Records
COUNTRY: UK
FILE UNDER: Metal, Alternative
FORMAT: CD / LP / Digital
CATALOG #: NPR952DP / NPR952VINYL
LIST PRICE: \$14.98 (CD) / \$21.98 (LP)
UPC: 840588144679 (CD) / 840588144686 (LP) / 840588144723 (digital)
BOX LOT: 30 (CD) / 12 (LP)

5% Discount through 05/25/2021 (Returnable, CD Only)

DESCRIPTION:

The latest resurgence of progressive modern metal has arisen with massive bands like Whitechapel, but its inevitable arena of assertive street swagger and hyperfocused brutality is yet left vacant. Enter the UK's most exciting new talent, VEXED. The crushing Hertfordshire foursome combine aggressive groove mixed with ominous threads of progressive atmosphere on their long-awaited debut album, Culling Culture. If the release of two recent one-off singles served as an auditory love tap (i.e. "Elite" featuring Thy Art is Murder vocalist CJ McMahon, boasting over 500k independently driven cross-platform streams as of early 2021), Culling Culture is a wound-up suckerpunch. Hard-as-nails lead vocalist Megan Targett's vicious vocal assault blending venomously low growls, soaring cleans and razor-sharp rap-like deliveries (see "Fake" and "Weaponise") is backed by the pure technical proficiency of bandmates Willem Mason-Geraghty (drums), Jay Bacon (guitar) and Al Harper (bass). Airtight riffs à la genre greats Meshuggah and favorites like Periphery and Vildhjarta, an instigating rhythm section and stratospheric solos and leads prove that VEXED could just as confidently command the biggest open-air stages as they could the toughest of backroom hardcore shows. For as confident as they are musically, VEXED is as poignant lyrically. The title of the album, Culling Culture, and portions of its contents deliver the band's unfiltered response to the world's latest social phenomena of public ostracism, "cancel culture". The warning instrumental "Ignorant" prefaces the record's menacing atmosphere and provides a flawless basis for smashing wake-up-call "Hideous" and fiery, threatening tracks "Fake" and "Narcissist". Ghostly "Aurora" and disrespectfully heavy album-closer "Lazarus" showcase Targett's multi-faceted clean vocal delivery while clashing otherworldly auras with resonating, melodic rhythms. "Epiphany" blends both, offering a bold message of moving past self-loathing, while superciliously weighty offering "Weaponise" seethes between violent hatred and ambient darkness. Facing very personal experiences, Culling Culture is a tribute to hate, betrayal and anger, whilst also reflecting post-modern society with strikingly honest songwriting and heavy groove. Anger can either destroy you or provide real strength, and on this 11-track offering, VEXED prove the latter as they climb to the top."

KEY SALES & MARKETING POINTS:

- Official music & lyric videos for „Epiphany,“ „Misery,“ „Hideous“ and „Fake“
- 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 Revolver, AP, Loudwire, NewNoise, Blabbermouth, BraveWords, BlastBeat, YT, FB & IG
- Napalm Social Follower Stats: 1.75M+ Youtube, 485k+ Facebook, 316k+ Instagram, 40k+ Twitter
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- Napalm 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: Spiritbox, Jinjer, Code Orange, Periphery, and Emmure

TOP MARKETS:

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





TRACK LISTING:

- A01. Ignorant
- A02. Hideous
- A03. Fake
- A04. Epiphany
- A05. Misery
- A06. Narcissist
- B07. Weaponise
- B08. Purity
- B09. Drift
- B10. Aurora
- B11. Lazarus



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SYLPH

SILVER AS IT WAS BEFORE

Street Date: 5/21/21

Mute are excited to announce the signing of Sylph, the brand new project from Thomas Cohen. Sylph's debut EP 'Silver As It Was Before' will be available on a very limited run of vinyl and digital platforms, out May 21.

Using contemporary techno in a singer-songwriter format, the EP is informed by notions of space and congregation, built loosely around the concept of 'mass.' This EP includes "Braid," a collaboration with Nicolas Bougaïeff and "In The Morning Light" with Terence Fixmer.

'Silver As It Was Before' is the first in a series of collaborative EP's which feature prominent techno producers such as Regis and Rose. Cohen has debuted the material at Berlin's legendary techno institution Berghain.

Formerly of the band S.C.U.M., Cohen also released a solo album in 2016. On the Sylph project, Cohen explores a new sound where melodies are found within hard repetition and drone; where technology and nature merge as one emotional state.

FOR FANS OF:

Arca, Moderat, Glacher Lustwerk, Miss Kitten, Marcell Dettmann

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SLRP: 18.98
File Under: Electronic
LP Non-Returnable



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TRACKLISTING:

A1 In The Morning Light
A2 Braid
B1 Tears Fall From The Sun

PRAISE FOR THOMAS COHEN:

"Cohen is a compelling, sophisticated musician exploring a new sound" - NME

"Braid is a pummelling onslaught of club beats paired with Cohen's low-register, vaguely goth singing voice." - 10Magazine

SOCIAL MEDIA STATS:

Instagram: 5.7k Followers

Facebook: 1.6k Followers

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