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JAM & LEWIS

VOLUME ONE



Their names are synonymous with success. In fact, an amazing catalog of hit records has already made them the most successful production duo in contemporary music history. And, longtime friends JIMMY JAM & TERRY LEWIS have created a body of work that has assured them a premier place in the pop culture of the '80s, '90s, and beyond.

The statistics are mind-boggling: millions of sales on over 100 albums that have exceeded gold, platinum, and multi-platinum status, an incredible 16 Billboard Hot 100 No.1 Hits and 26 No.1 R&B chart toppers, multiple Grammy® Awards, and numerous other accolades and honors.

The musical diversity and depth of the pair's work is equally astonishing. Not content with breaking records with projects by superstar acts such as Janet Jackson, Boyz II Men, Mariah Carey, the Spice Girls, Michael Jackson, TLC, Mary J. Blige, Patti LaBelle, and others, Jam & Lewis started the new millennium with multi-million dollar sales—and two number one hits—for Japan's best-selling female artist, Hikaru Utada.

TRACKLIST:

To Be Announced On June 10th

FOR FANS OF:

Janet Jackson, Mariah Carey, Babyface, Toni Braxton, Johnny Gil, Stokley

HOMETOWN:

Minneapolis, MN • Oklahoma City, OK

RELEASE DATE: JULY 9TH

SALES & MARKETING:

- **First single "He Don't Know Nothin' Bout It" – top 5 Billboard adult R&B chart**
- **2021 Billboard Awards performance – musical tribute to Minneapolis at Paisley Park**
- **Press coverage : Rollingstone, NY Times, Billboard, Tamron Hall Show, Fallon etc.**
- **Jam & Lewis mini docuseries – 35 yrs of music**
- 16 Billboard Hot 100 No.1 Hits, and 26 Billboard R&B No.1 Hits
- 5x Grammy® award winners, Most nominations for Producer of the Year, with 11 nominations
- Inducted into the Songwriters Hall of Fame
- They are among a handful of producers to have No. 1 records in three consecutive decades, with number ones in the 1980s, 1990s, and 2000s
- They have had 41 songs reach the Top 10 of the Billboard Hot 100, and 31 in the top 10 in the UK
- In 1993, Jam & Lewis were nominated with Janet Jackson for an Academy Award for Best Original Song for "Again", from the movie Poetic Justice
- In 2020 Jam & Lewis were nominated with Sheila E. for a Primetime Emmy Award for Outstanding Music Direction for the TV special Let's Go Crazy: The Grammy® Salute to Prince

PHYSICAL PRE-ORDER MAY 28TH | **DIGITAL ALBUM PRE-ORDER JUNE 10TH**



ARTIST: **JAM & LEWIS** | TITLE: **VOLUME ONE**
LABEL: **BMG** | GENRE: **R&B** | FORMAT: **CD**
CAT #: **538691092** | CD UPC: **4050538691092**
CD BOXLOT: **30** | CD SRP: **\$13.98**
DISCOUNT: 5% UNTIL 7/16/21





July 16

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T I M E S O F G R A C E

SONGS OF LOSS AND SEPARATION



Songs Of Loss and Separation, the sprawling second album from **TIMES OF GRACE** is insistent in its bluesiness, bleeding distortion and emotion, weaving effortlessly between pensive, heavy, midtempo rock riffs and atmosphere. The band's sophomore effort and first since 2011 channels a haunting romanticism and deep spiritual yearning that collide in beautiful melancholy. The vocal interplay of Adam Dutkiewicz and Jesse Leach makes for a rich, dense, and enthralling concoction, powering through various trips through dark nights of the soul and mind-expanding excursions into the wild.

ARTIST	Times Of Grace
TITLE	Songs of Loss and Separation
LABEL	Wicked Good Records
PRE-ORDER	May 21, 2021
STREET DATE	July 16, 2021
HOMETOWN	Western Massachusetts

- Band consists of Adam Dutkiewicz and Jesse Leach, founding members of Killswitch Engage.
- Full radio plan currently being developed focusing on “Medusa” (college/metal) and “Mend You” (active rock).
- Worldwide marketing teams in place with focus on USA/ Canada, United Kingdom, Germany, Australia
- Press targets include Forbes, Revolver, Billboard, Decibel, American Songwriter, Guitar World, Premiere Guitar, Consequence of Sound, SPIN, Brooklyn Vegan, & more

LIST PRICE: \$13.98 (CD)
FORMATS: CD
CD PACKAGING: DIGIPAK
UPCS : 190296786525 (CD)
BOX LOT: 30 (CD)
UNITS PER SET: 1 (CD)
FILE UNDER: ROCK, METAL
FOR FANS OF: STONE SOUR, THRICE, NEUROSIS, & KILLSWITCH ENGAGE
PARENTAL ADVISORY: NO

TRACKLISTING

1. The Burden of Belief
2. Mend You
3. Rescue
4. Far From Heavenless
5. Bleed Me
6. Medusa
7. Currents
8. To Carry The Weight
9. Cold
10. Forever

CD



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POWERWOLF

THE RETURN OF THE WOLVES – WILDER THAN EVER!



RELEASE DATE: 07/16/2021
 ARTIST: POWERWOLF
 TITLE: CALL OF THE WILD
 LABEL: Napalm Records
 COUNTRY: Germany
 FILE UNDER: Metal, Power
 FORMAT: CD Jewel Case / 2CD Mediabook / LP Gatefold / Digital
 CATALOG #: NPR976JC / NPR976MB / NPR976VINYL
 LIST PRICE: \$13.98 (1CD) / \$18.98 (2CD) / \$22.98 (1LP)
 UPC: 840588146017 (1CD) / 840588146024 (2CD) / 840588146031 (1LP) / 840588146208 (digital)
 BOX LOT: 25 (1CD) / 16 (2CD) / 12 (1LP)

5% Discount through 7/20/21 (Returnable, CD & 2CD Only)

DESCRIPTION:

POWERWOLF have truly established themselves as a global phenomenon: They are on top of the German heavy metal scene and have managed to ensure that their success continues to grow and that they are also internationally respected, clearly underlined with their latest opulent album, Best Of The Blessed, on the occasion of their 15th anniversary.

Now, they'll release their eighth studio album, Call Of The Wild, and the holy priests of heavy metal are more than ready to establish new standards!

If you follow the trail of POWERWOLF all the way to their debut Return In Bloodred, the quintet's lead guitarist and songwriter Matthew Greywolf established a unique style that was unprecedented in this form – combining classic metal including melodic elements with organ sounds and an extra spice of orchestral bombast.

Everything in the essence of the POWERWOLF universe – starting with the elaborate lyrics - sometimes tongue-in-cheek humorous, sometimes bitterly cynical - to the omnipresent sacral symbolism, nourishes the mystical aura of the five-piece. With every new successful offering, they enrich their history, and over the past few years, their impressive live shows have become, not coincidentally, referred to as a „metal mass“.

POWERWOLF metaphorically reaped the sweet fruits of their fidelity to their traditional musical roots, while at the same time consistently developing their very own sound. They gained those efforts not only from worldwide stages of sold-out concert halls, but also international chart records. In the last few years, the band has made it to the top of the official German charts multiple times - twice in pole position of the album charts and once on #1 of the DVD charts. In other European countries, their most recent releases Blessed & Possessed and The Sacrament Of Sin have been awarded gold, while the hit single „Demons Are A Girl's Best Friend“ has even gone platinum.

There is no doubt that their new opus, Call Of The Wild, will lead to a further quantum leap in terms of popularity, appealing to both long-time and newly generated fans, as the full-length catches its listener at first sight. The opener, “Faster Than The Flame”, already mirrors “POWERWOLF in its purest form” while the album finale “Reverent Of Rats” is the perfect closer for this 11 track arrangement - always balancing the tightrope act between familiar and new, surprising elements. The outrageously catchy “Dancing With The Dead” seems downright danceable, while tracks like “Alive Or Undead” represent a power ballad of highest quality. The whole work hereby cements frontman Attila Dorn's reputation as an absolutely exceptional singer. Call Of The Wild will certainly not only break chart records again, but also stands out as a bold exclamation mark in the international acclaimed musical landscape of 2021, and conveys POWERWOLF's passionate credo like no other work: Metal is religion!

KEY SALES & MARKETING POINTS:

- Official music videos for “Beast Of Gevaudan,” „Dancing With The Dead“ and more!
- 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 Decibel, NewNoise, Blabbermouth, BraveWords, BlastBeat, YT, FB & IG
- Napalm Social Stats: 1.8M+ Youtube, 486k+ Facebook, 329k+ Instagram, 41k+ Twitter
- Newsletter e-blasts to 80k+ subscribers via napalmrecords.com & napalmrecordsamerica.com
- iPhone & Android Smartphone APP promotion via pre-listening, videos, and news updates!
- Co-op marketing, In-store displays, discounts, rebates, and p.o.p. tools available
- For Fans Of: Sabaton, DragonForce, HammerFall, Alestorm, and Blind Guardian

TOP MARKETS:

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



CD/LP TRACK LISTING:

- A01. Faster Than The Flame
- A02. Beast Of Gévaudan
- A03. Dancing With The Dead
- A04. Varcolac
- A05. Alive Or Undead
- B06. Blood For Blood (Faoladh)
- B07. Glaubenskraft
- B08. Call Of The Wild
- B09. Sermon Of Swords
- B10. Undress To Confess
- B11. Reverent Of Rats

MEDIABOOK BONUS DISC:

01. Sanctified With Dynamite (ft. Ralf Scheepers or Primal Fear)
02. Demons Are A Girl's Best Friend (ft. Alissa White-Gluz)
03. Nightside Of Siberia (ft. Johan Hegg of Amon Amarth)
04. Where The Wild Wolves Have Gone (ft. Doro Pesch)
05. Fist By Fist (Sacralize or Strike) (ft. Matt Heafy of Trivium)
06. Killers With The Cross (ft. Björn Strid of Soilwork)
07. Kiss Of The Cobra King (ft. Chris Harms of Lord Of The Lost)
08. We Drink Your Blood (ft. Johannes Eckerström of Avatar)
09. Resurrection By Erection (ft. Christopher Bowes of Alestorm)
10. Saturday Satan (ft. Jari Mäenpää of Wintersun)

ALSO AVAILABLE:



- 📌 /POWERWOLFMETAL - 303k+ followers
- 📌 /OFFICIALPOWERWOLF - 191k+ followers
- 📌 /POWERWOLFBAND - 15k+ followers
- 📌 /POWERWOLFMETAL - 206k+ subscribers
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All Over The Place is KSI's sophomore album and reveals how far KSI has come in such a short time. Blending genres like Hip-Hop, Pop, Garage and more, this album displays KSI's wide range and how he cannot be confined to any one lane.

Hailing from the UK, KSI has dabbled in all realms of entertainment. Starting as a YouTube personality and influencer, he transitioned into a professional boxer, and since has fully dedicated himself to his music. Focusing on his craft, he has emerged as one of the top crossover rappers in the UK and beyond.

With features from Future, 21 Savage, YUNGBLUD, Polo G, Lil Durk, Craig David, Anne-Marie and many more, this album delivers a full variety of sounds and vibes for any and all fans.



Artist: **KSI**
Title: **All Over The Place**
Explicit: **Yes**
Genres: **Hip-Hop/Rap**
Release Date: **07/16/2021**

Selling Points

- First KSI album to have a full proper physical product offering
- Project features Future, 21 Savage, YUNGBLUD, Polo G, Lil Durk, Craig David, Anne-Marie and many more
- KSI just appeared on the "Late Late Show with James Corden"
- Debut album "Dissimulation" has 1 BILLION+ streams to date
- Most recent singles, "Patience" & "Really Love" have 67M+ & 102M+ streams to date respectively

CD Track Listing

1. The Moment
2. Number 2 (feat. Future & 21 Savage)
3. Patience (feat. YUNGBLUD & Polo G)
4. You
5. Don't Play w/ Anne-Marie & Digital Farm Animals
6. Really Love (feat. Craig David & Digital Farm Animals)
7. Gang Gang (feat. Jay1 & Deno)
8. Rent Free (feat. GRACEY)
9. Madness
10. Silly (feat. Bugzy Malone)
11. Flash It (feat. Rico Love)
12. No Time (feat. Lil Durk)
13. **No Pressure**
14. Sleeping With The Enemy (feat. S-X)

UPC: 4050538690781

List Price: \$13.98

CD Box Lot: 30

Discount: 5% until 7/16/21



Socials

	9.3 Million		22.7 Million
	6.7 Million		12.6 Million
	4.2 Million		5.3 Million

Vinyl Track Listing

1. The Moment
2. Number 2 (feat. Future & 21 Savage)
3. Patience (feat. YUNGBLUD & Polo G)
4. You
5. Don't Play w/ Anne-Marie & Digital Farm Animals
6. Really Love (feat. Craig David & Digital Farm Animals)
7. Gang Gang (feat. Jay1 & Deno)
8. Madness
9. Silly (feat. Bugzy Malone)
10. Rent Free (feat. GRACEY)
11. Flash It (feat. Rico Love)
12. No Time (feat. Lil Durk)
13. **Smoke (feat. Nevve)**
14. Sleeping With The Enemy (feat. S-X)

UPC: 4050538676785

List Price: \$22.98

LP Box Lot: 25



AFI

SUMMARY

American rock band, **AFI** formed 29 years ago in Ukiah, California. The band has released ten studio albums, ten EPs and one live album totaling in over 400 million streams in the US alone. They've had 6 of their albums hit the Billboard 200, all charting at number 24 or higher. The band broke into the mainstream with their sixth studio album, *Sing The Sorrow*, which peaked at number 5 on the Billboard 200 and remained on the chart for 51 weeks. The album was their first of 2 to be certified Platinum by the RIAA and became AFI's best-selling release to date. AFI continues to be a powerhouse in the rock community and their highly-anticipated upcoming album, 'Bodies' is sure to live up to its expectations.

HIGHLIGHTS

- "(AFI is) blossoming into one of the most distinct and recognizable sounds today." - **SPIN MAGAZINE**
- "AFI's first new music since 2018's *The Missing Man* EP: the very awesome *Twisted Tongues* and *Escape From Los Angeles*." - **KERRANG**
- "AFI remains as fired up now as they were 25 years ago." - **AV CLUB**
- "a dynamic record that should please both old and new fans of the band." - **ABC NEWS**
- Named 'AFI (The Blood Album)' Pick of the Week in **People Magazine**

SOCIAL REACH

(AFI + RISE)

628,600 followers 1,989,000 likes
593,000 followers 2,887,000 subscribers

RECENT RELEASES

TWISTED TONGUES

(FIRST WEEK)

#13 Rock Songs Core Genre
#141 Digital Songs

ESCAPE FROM LOS ANGELES

(FIRST WEEK)

#17 Rock Songs Core Genre
#170 Digital Songs

TWISTED TONGUES
Music Video

ESCAPE FROM LOS ANGELES
Music Video

VIDEO

Miss Murder

24,000,000 views

Love Like Winter

13,000,000 views

Silver and Cold

13,000,000 views

Girls Not Grey

11,000,000 views

Beautiful Thieves

9,400,000 views

- '*Bodies*' was produced by guitarist Jade Puget, mixed by Tony Hoffer (Depeche Mode, Belle & Sebastian) and mastered by Vlado Meller (Oasis, Pink Floyd)
- Band is to be on the cover of Kerrang Magazine on March 3rd
- '*Decemberunderground*' debuted at number one on the Billboard 200 was their second certified Platinum by the RIAA
- Hit single "*Miss Murder*", topped the Hot Modern Rock Tracks chart and reached number 24 on the Billboard Hot 100
- Toured with Smashing Pumpkins, Rise Against, Circa Survive, Deftones, Thirty Seconds to Mars, Linkin Park and more



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AFI
BODIES

RELEASE DATE: 7/16/21
FORMAT: LP
LP LIST: \$24.98

LP BOX LOT: 10
UPC: 4050538675191
CATALOG NO: RISE 460-1

CONFIG: LP
PACKAGING: COLORED VINYL



WIZARDTHRONE

WIZARDTHRONE IS AN OTHERWORLDLY EXTREME WIZARD METAL FORCE OF COSMIC DIMENSIONS!



TRACK LISTING:

- A1. Black Hole Quantum Thermodynamics
- A2. Frozen Winds Of Thyraxia
- A3. Incantation Of The Red Order
- A4. Forbidden Equations Deep Within The Epimethean Wasteland
- A5. The Coalescence Of Nine Stars In The System Once Known As Markarian-231
- A6. Of Tesseractual Gateways And The Grand Duplicity Of Xhul
- A7. Hypercube Necrodimensions
- A8. Beyond The Wizardthron (Cryptopharmalogical Revelations Of The Riemann Zeta Function)

RELEASE DATE: 07/16/2021
ARTIST: WIZARDTHRONE
TITLE: Hypercube Necrodimensions
LABEL: Napalm Records
COUNTRY: USA / Scotland
FILE UNDER: Metal, Black Metal
FORMAT: CD / LP / Digital
CATALOG #: NPR1010DP / NPR1010VINYL
LIST PRICE: \$14.98 (CD) / \$22.98 (LP)
UPC: 840588145768 (CD) / 840588145775 (LP) / 840588145799 (digital)
BOX LOT: 30 (CD) / 12 (LP)

5% Discount through 07/20/21 (Returnable, CD Only)

DESCRIPTION:

Behold! Arise! Vast distances from Earth's dimension, in a galaxy millions of light-years away, the WIZARDTHRONE resurges! Traversing vivid sci-fi multiverses in the spirit of H.P. Lovecraft via comprehensively established technical death- power- and symphonic black metal, Hypercube Necrodimensions (out July 16 via Napalm Records) is a bombastic journey through hyperspace and otherworldly realities. Featuring members of ALESTORM, GLORYHAMMER, AETHER REALM, FORLORN CITADEL, NEKROGUBLIKON and more, the musical brilliance of WIZARDTHRONE is absolutely undeniable. Title track "Hypercube Necrodimensions" is a hard-hitting, astronomically technical trip through portals of the Euclidean reality, entering the fifth dimension with whirlwinding synth and guitar leads. Throughout the runtime of Hypercube Necrodimensions, WIZARDTHRONE effortlessly sear from one fast-paced sonic romp to another, evident with frost-bitten "Frozen Winds Of Thyraxia"'s orchestral blast beats, or "Forbidden Equations Deep Within The Epimethean Wasteland"'s incredibly elaborate, multi-faceted songwriting. Hypercube Necrodimensions finds its grand finale in the extensive 14-minute sci-fi experience "Beyond the Wizardthron (Cryptopharmalogical Revelations of the Riemann Zeta Function)", taking you through the prismatic light of the twin stars of Thyraxia into the cathartic revelations of WIZARDTHRONE's cosmos! Featuring guest appearances from Aleksis Munter (Swallow The Sun/Insomnium), Florian Magnus Maier (Dark Fortress/Alkaloid) and Evan Berry (Wilderun), Hypercube Micro-dimensions is a spectacular display of WIZARDTHRONE's musical finesse, constantly pushing the boundaries of heavy metal and thus offering a one-of-a-kind Extreme Wizard Metal listening experience!

KEY SALES & MARKETING POINTS:

- Videos for "Frozen Winds of Thyraxia," "Hypercube Necrodimensions" and more
- 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, Decibel, Exclaim, NewNoise, Blabbermouth, BraveWords, YT, FB & IG
- Napalm Social Stats: 1.8M+ Youtube, 486k+ Facebook, 329k+ Instagram, 41k+ Twitter
- Newsletter e-blasts to over 80k subscribers via napalmrecords.com & napalmrecordsamerica.com
- iPhone & 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: Alestorm, Gloryhammer, Aether Realm, Forlorn Citadel, and Nekrogoblkon!

TOP MARKETS:

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



- f /WIZARDTHRONE - 7k+ followers
- @ /WIZARDTHRONE - 4k+ followers
- 🎧 - 5k+ monthly listeners

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SOLID GOLD U-ROY



BIO

TROJAN JAMAICA / BMG is proud to announce the release of **U-ROY**'s final full-length, **SOLID GOLD U-ROY**. The album was originally set to come out in 2020 with plans for a worldwide tour in support, but unfortunately, the pandemic delayed the release. Now, with the heartbreaking loss of U-ROY on February 17, the album has become a celebration of one of the most profoundly influential reggae stars of his generation. An originator of the chatty rhythmic vocal style known as toasting — a key foundational element in the development of rap in its nascent stages in the 1970s — U-ROY left behind an unmatched legacy which is clearly on display on **SOLID GOLD U-ROY**, with its guest appearances including **ZIGGY MARLEY, SHAGGY, MICK JONES of THE CLASH, SANTIGOLD, SLY & ROBBIE, DAVID HINDS of STEEL PULSE**, and more. The album arrives on July 16, 2021.

SOLID GOLD U-ROY is being heralded today by the release of **"MAN NEXT DOOR" (Feat. SANTIGOLD)**. One of the great reggae songs of all time, the track features an indelible guest appearance by the incomparable Santigold. "Man Next Door" is a beloved reggae standard written by John Holt and released in 1968 by his group The Paragons. U-ROY sampled the song in 1982 for "Peace and Love in the Ghetto" on his *Original DJ* album. Pre-orders of **SOLID GOLD U-ROY** will come with an instant grat download of "MAN NEXT DOOR."

SALES & MARKETING

- Final Record from the King Of Toasting himself – **U-ROY**
- **SOLID GOLD** features –
SANTIGOLD
SHAGGY
MICK JONES
ZIGGY MARLEY
AND MANY MORE!!!

FOR FANS OF

- **BOB MARLEY**
- **TOOTS & THE MAYTALS**
- **PETER TOSH**
- **BIG YOUTH**
- **STEEL PULSE**
- **BUNNY WAILER**
- **BLACK UHURU**
- **BURNING SPEAR**



TRACKLISTING

1. TRENCHTOWN ROCK – FEAT ZIGGY MARLEY
2. MAN NEXT DOOR – FEAT SANTIGOLD
3. RULE THE NATION – FEAT SHAGGY
4. TOM DRUNK – FEAT TARRUS RILEY
5. WAKE THE TOWN
6. STOP THAT TRAIN – FEAT RYGIN KING
7. SOUL REBEL – FEAT DAVID HINDS
8. QUEEN MAJESTY /CHALICE IN THE PALACE
FEAT ROBBIE SHAKESPEARE
9. SMALL AXE – FEAT JESSE ROYAL
10. WEAR YOU TO THE BALL – FEAT RICHIE SPICE
11. EVERY KNEE SHALL BOW – FEAT BIG YOUTH & MICK JONES
12. EVERY KNEE SHALL BOW (SCIENTIST DUB)

ARTIST: **U-ROY** | TITLE: **SOLID GOLD U-ROY**
 RELEASE: 7/16/2021 | LABEL: TROJAN JAMAICA / BMG US
 GENRE: REGGAE | HOMETOWN: KINGSTON, JAMAICA
 FORMATS: DIG, CD
 CAT #: DIGITAL 538542474 /CD 538542432
 DIG UPC: 4050538542479



CD UPC: 4050538542431
 CD SRP: 13.98 | CD BOXLOT: 30
 DISCOUNT: 5% | DSNT END DATE:
 7/16/2021



CHET FAKER

CHET FAKER

At the top of 2020, after a year of traversing the globe in support of 2019's *Run Fast Sleep Naked*, Nick Murphy began creating music that simply felt good. Though the singer had retired his billion-streaming Chet Faker project four years prior, the new songs he was working on in his New York City studio had an energy reminiscent of his earlier work. Reviving the project "wasn't on my radar" at the time, Murphy admits, but the next thing he knew, he had a full album.

The result is *Hotel Surrender*, a radiant 10-track LP full of swaggering bass lines and electrifying melodies that reintroduces

Chet Faker to the world – and to Murphy himself. Like his debut LP, 2014's *Built on Glass*, Murphy wrote and produced *Hotel Surrender* solely on his own, finishing most of the songs before COVID-19 hit in March 2020. He admits that before *Hotel Surrender*, he had never approached his process with such ease. This time, as the album title suggests, he surrendered to the music. "There was this, like, unconsciousness—not thinking, but just feeling, letting it come out and letting it steer itself," Murphy says. "The great lesson for me was that I could write from a place of joy. I was also just being kind to myself. None of this music was hurting, it just felt good. It made me feel better, and it helped me be better."

RELEASE DATE: 7/16/21

tracklist		standard lp	audio cd
01 OH ME OH MY	06 PEACE OF MIND	PRICE: \$23.98 UPC: 4050538661583 BOX LOT: 10	PRICE: \$13.98 UPC: 4050538661590 DISCOUNT: 5% THRU 7/23 BOX LOT: 30
02 LOW	07 FEEL GOOD		
03 GET HIGH	08 STUPID		
04 WHATEVER TOMORROW	09 SO LONG SO LONELY		
05 IT'S NOT YOU	10 IN TOO FAR		

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