

Mai-Liis


MAI-LIIS ON LIFE

"Mai-Liis has an ability to take life experiences familiar to all and tell them in a musically fresh and honest way, resulting in uniquely crafted songs brought to life by a great set of players."

GRETA MATASSA

With many years working between Seattle & Vancouver, BC as a performer, sommelier, and equestrian, it was through her return to writing over the last 4 years that inspired Mai-Liis ('My-Lease') in discovering her broader voice. Working with Seattle pianist & arranger, Darin Clendenin, her words found their musical context, and with the production help of her friend and mentor, jazz vocalist Greta Matassa, Mai-Liis now presents her debut as a songwriter and vocalist. With her lyrics and voice offering an honesty and intimacy to life experiences, her songs such as the grooving "Distance Man," the haunting bolero-esque ballad "Fait Accompli," or the blues, "Carnage in Your Wake (A Love Song)," all create worlds that are readily identifiable and relatable. Featured on *Mai-Liis On Life* are trumpeter Charlie Porter, saxophonist Cory Weeds, guitarist Brian Monroney, and the rhythm section of Clendenin, bassist Clipper Anderson and drummer Mark Ivester.



Retail: \$15.98	
OA2 22188	
File under: VOCALS / JAZZ	

- 1 Unicorns and Innocence 4:52
- 2 Distance Man 3:38
- 3 To Whom it May Concern 3:27
- 4 Fait Accompli 5:04
- 5 Oh Well 3:45
- 6 My Eyes of Yesterday 3:39
- 7 Carnage in Your Wake (A Love Song) 3:58
- 8 Sister Child 3:21
- 9 Number 9 3:12
- 10 Jilted Woman 4:05

Mai-Liis vocals
Darin Clendenin piano
Clipper Anderson bass
Mark Ivester drums, perc, doumbek
Brian Monroney guitar
Charlie Porter trumpet
Cory Weeds alto and tenor sax
David Lange accordian

Produced by Greta Matassa
 Recorded & mixed by David Lange,
 David Lange Studios, Edgewood, WA
 September 2019-July 2020
 Mastered by Ross Nyberg,
 Nyberg Mastering, Issaquah, WA
 Photography by Steve Korn
 Cover design & layout by John Bishop

Label:

OA2 / ORIGIN RECORDS
 8649 Island Drive South
 Seattle, WA 98118
 ph: 206-781-2589
 info@originarts.com
 www.originarts.com

U.S Distribution:

CITY HALL RECORDS
 101 Glacier Point, Suite C
 San Rafael, CA 94901
 ph: 415-457-9080
 fx: 415-457-0780
 www.cityhallrecords.com

Europe/Asia:

NEW ARTS INTERNATIONAL
 Siliciumweg 22
 3812 SX Amersfoort
 The Netherlands
 ph: (+31) 33 7676 110
 fx: (+31) 33 7676 121
 www.newartsint.com

Marketing:

- Home base: SEATTLE, VANCOUVER BC
- West Coast Performances
- Established radio & internet marketing

For more information, visit:
www.mai-liis.com