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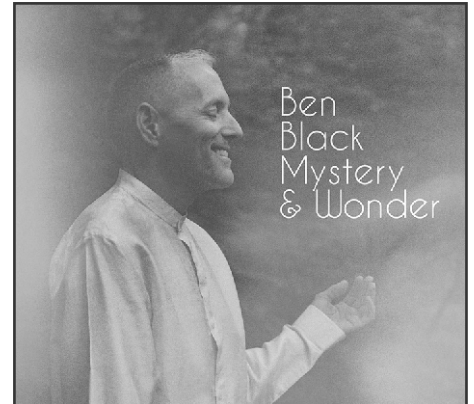
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Ben Black Mystery & Wonder

"Breathtakingly beautiful!" **Jim Fouratt, Listen Up**

Inspired by mysticism and meditation, Seattle-based vocalist & songwriter Ben Black assembled a collection of 11 of his original songs that celebrate awakening and transformation. Combining with a voice that's been described by Christopher Loudon as "singularly gorgeous" in JazzTimes, each song blossoms with the intention of lifting spirits and acting as a powerful medicine for these uncertain times. Accompanied by a highly sensitive ensemble - including Bill Anschell on piano, Jeff Johnson on bass, guitarist Dave Peterson, drummer Mark Ivester, David Lange on accordion, and flautist Brenda Kay Neth - Ben offers a venerable mix of soul-influenced Jazz that speaks to the heart and mind as one embraced with love.

Ben Black - vocals
Bill Anschell - piano
Dave Peterson - guitar
Jeff Johnson - bass
Mark Ivester - drums/percussion
David Lange - accordion
Brenda Kay Neth - flute



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- 1 Wonderland 4:00
- 2 Wind 5:28
- 3 Universal Grace 5:21
- 4 Do not stand at my grave and weep* 2:23
- 5 Mystery and Wonder 5:13
- 6 Love is Alive 3:59
- 7 Light of the Sea 5:42
- 8 Sorrow 6:08
- 9 Reveal 4:30
- 10 South 3:52
- 11 Night 4:48

Music & lyrics by Ben Black

"Do not stand at my grave and weep" lyrics adapted from the original poem, by person(s) unknown

Produced by Ben Black

Recorded & mixed by David Lange

at David Lange Studios, Edgewood, WA

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(7) Mastered by Ed Brooks & Rachel Field

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