

"Pure, with infinite emotional depth."

Phil S., Leicester Bangs (UK)

Tara Rice, vocalist, co-writer and guitarist for the critically acclaimed Toronto ensemble 5th PROJEKT, has embarked upon a solo journey. *Panorama*, Rice's new 6-song EP, offers gothic romanticism and layers of storytelling. It is being released on Rice's own Organik Rekords both digitally and physically, in limited edition, hand made and numbered CD packages.

Though the majority of the music was written and performed by Rice in her Bloor Street apartment, the mood of this alternative folk-rock album transcends the concrete city vibe. The songs, along with Tara's multifaceted, distinctive voice, sweep and shape-shift through genres and influences (a bit of PJ Harvey grunge here, some Sandy Denny folk there). At times summoning whimsical, psychedelic pastoral vistas, and at other times conjuring crisp, cool, dark autumn forests in times of myth, Panorama's music pulls the listener into an evocative and welcoming world that is wholly its own.

Panorama was written, recorded, performed and produced by Rice with the help of her long time creative partner, Sködt McNalty (5th PROJEKT) at Studio Organik in Toronto (and also their living room in Toronto). The album was mixed by Dean Marino (The Black Keys, Tokyo Police Club, Papermaps) at Echo Valley, Toronto and mastered by João Carvalho (The Tragically Hip, The Sheepdogs, Alt-J) at João Carvalho Mastering, Toronto.

Tara is currently booking Canadian tour dates in support of *Panorama*. You can also find her singing with her longtime love, the cinematic art-rock band, 5th PROJEKT.

PRESS:

Tara Rice's new EP, Panorama, would have served as the perfect soundtrack to the summers at Lake Geneva where Mary Shelley wrote her classic novel, Frankenstein.

Amy Heimpel, Velvet Rope Magazine

Since I've been involved in the TO music scene, Tara continues to be one of my favourite vocalists.

Lonely Vagabond

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FEIST, TORI AMOS, JESCA HOOP, PJ HARVEY



PANORAMA

01 STONES (4:05)*
02 VAMPIRES (3:48)*†
03 NO HARM (3:09)*
04 OH TIM (2:43)
05 IF YOU WERE MY
MONSTER (4:39)
06 THE EMERALD
HORIZON (2:56)

*RECOMMENDED TRACKS: 01, 02, 03 †EXPLICIT LYRICS: 02

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