

ERIK SLÄTTBERG

NEW SOLO PIANO ALBUM: "GROWTH", RELEASE: 11-09-18

Erik Slättberg is a pianist that explores the borders between jazz, pop and classical music. With piano as his instrument, he creates music with a lot of intimacy, warmth and personal touch. The music starts in the spirits of improvisation, and the expression itself always has the first seat. Sometimes the music has little intensity, sometimes not. Sometimes the expression is grand, sometimes it is calm and meditative. Erik released his first solo piano album in March 2017, and during the end of 2018 he releases the sequel, called "Growth".

About the album:

The album starts calmly and with a lot of warmth, during the first tracks "Tybblelund" and "Hav". It then moves with more exploration of harmony and expression, through "Hollow" and "Clearing". After that, the intensity keeps growing. The title track "Growth" starts with a simple, restful melody – and keeps on growing to the most intense point of the album, through a strong, hypnotizing climax full of power. The many changes in expressions runs as a line throughout the album, and is held together by the central feeling of Erik's personal, melodic playing.

"Growth" is released on digital platforms at 11-9-18.

Review about Erik's playing:

"Shimmering music with a lot of warmth, that doesn't let itself be defined by style. Some jazz, some in the style of swedish songs, a little classical and maybe a bit of pop. For the music on Searching For Home, the style has inferior significance, far more important is the emotion the music brings fourth"

(Review of previous album,

"Searching For Home, Lira Musikmagasin #2, 2017)



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