

STEBMO

Waiting Game
Blind Ross
Rathdrum
Holding Pattern
Happy Ending

Majika
Dark Cicles
Work
Tough Luck



(Total running time: 36 min 30 secs)

STEBMO is the momentous debut from multi-instrumentalist Steve Moore. One of today's most respected and hard working musicians, he has recorded and toured with songwriters Laura Veirs and Sufjan Stevens, metal pioneers Earth and SunnO))), as well as jazz enigma Skerik. The magnum opus of the long collaboration between Moore and esteemed producer Tucker Martine, architect behind albums for The Decemberists, Mudhoney, Bill Frisell and many others, it is a statement of purpose from an artist long at work behind the scenes.

Stretching and flexing the jazz tradition, the rhythm section is anchored by the hard-hitting drumming of Matt Chamberlain (*Tori Amos, Jon Brion, Brad Mehldau*) and the low-end virtuosity of bassist Todd Sickafoose (*Ani DiFranco*). Strong compositions and the spark of improvisation set the table perfectly for masterful string arrangements by Eyvind Kang (*Laurie Anderson, John Zorn, Blonde Redhead*) and brooding woodwind treatments from Doug Wieselman (*Antony and The Johnsons*). Viewed through the sonic landscape painted by Tucker Martine, **STEBMO** takes a truly fresh perspective on instrumental music.

Mastered by Roger Siebel at SAE Mastering with a package designed by Stephen O'Malley (SunnO))), KTL), **STEBMO** will be distributed through Southern Lord Records with a release date of April 15, 2008. Be sure to catch Stebmo live, along with Earth and SunnO))) in Europe, North America, Australia and Japan throughout 2008.

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