



Bluesy, dreamy, shreddy, psychedelic

"Of all the bands exploring shoegaze in Seattle, Guest Directors are perhaps the best at getting the balance of mood and power right." -Nada Mucho

GUEST DIRECTORS

CONNECTED HEAVENS

Trying to make the best use of the pandemic downtime - no shows, no practices - Seattle's Guest Directors gathered up some wayward musical snippets, riffs, and partial song ideas, and started tracking ideas in their respective homes. The result is more experimental than their previous releases, incorporating drones, loops, electronic percussion, and keyboards - a sound that isn't entirely unfamiliar, but decidedly different for this band.

Typically relegated to traditional roles (two singers, two guitarists, bassist, and drummer), circumstances allowed the band to take control over different aspects of the production: tracking in home studios, playing different instruments, and even mixing the songs. The EP was then mastered by Thomas Andrew Doyle (of TAD and Brothers of the Sonic Cloth), who also has a special production appearance on "When It's All".

Connected Heavens captures the darkness and uncertainty that so many of us have been feeling since last year, with songs about missed connections, self-medication, and recognizing what's important. Think of this as a welcome detour while waiting for our regularly-scheduled programming to return.

On that subject, the band was halfway through recording their first full-length record before the pandemic made it too risky to continue. They're currently scheming ways to complete the album, and it's likely its completion will be informed by the experience of recording at home for *Connected Heavens*. Stay tuned.

Release Information

Release Date: May 7, 2021

Format: Hand-numbered edition of 50 CDs + Digital

File Under: Indie Rock/Shoegaze/Dream Pop/Psych

Track Listing:

1. Unknown Skies* (3:07)
2. When It's All (4:12)
3. Another Round* (3:33)
4. Dreaming Dreams (5:12)

All tracks clean for FCC airplay

** key tracks*

Links

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