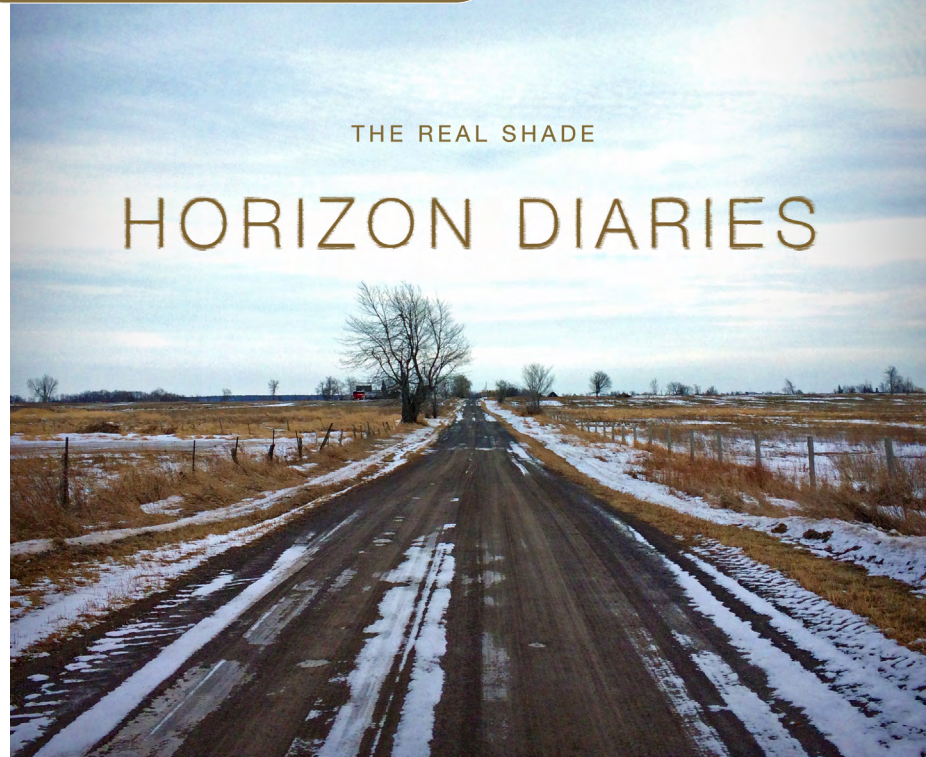


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REAL SHADE RECORDS / INDEPENDENT
ALBUM CREDITS

JANE GOWAN: vocals, gtr., pno., rhodes, trpt.

GORD TOUGH: guitar

JON WOOD: lap steel

MARY HARMER: bass, vocals

DON KERR: drums, cello, vocals

TIM VESELY: guitar, percussion, piano, vocals

Produced and mastered by Tim Vesely

Recorded by Don Kerr (Rooster Studios)

Additional recording: Jane Gowan, Tim Vesely

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These ten moving songs explore our frontiers, both personal and geographic. We follow street photographer Vivian Maier, landscape painter Tom Thomson and others "fixing for adventure" as they roam from the mighty Fraser River to outer space to roads so familiar we could drive them in our sleep. And the music that takes us on these journeys is unvarnished but warm and rich in love, wisdom and hope. — *Tim Falconer, author of Bad Singer*

ABOUT THE REAL SHADE

The Real Shade (formerly "Shade") is a group of seasoned Canadian musicians, fronted by songwriter Jane Gowan. The band was formed in 2007, after Gowan moved from Vancouver to Toronto and teamed up with Mary Harmer (bass). The group is known for its no-nonsense style, sweet harmonies, and well-crafted catchy songs. They have released two albums to date: *Highway* (2010) and *One Last Show of Hearts* (2011).

UPCOMING SHOWS

THURS, APRIL 26 - The Garnet, Peterborough

FRI, APRIL 27 - The Toucan, Kingston

SAT, MAY 5 - The Dakota Tavern, Toronto (early show 7pm)

THURS, JUNE 21 - This Ain't Hollywood, Hamilton

TRACK LIST

1. LOST (4:46) *optimistic desolation*
2. JERICO (4:20) *late night epic drive*
3. METAMORPHOSIS (2:15) *dreamy introspection*
4. SELF STARTER (3:27) *power pop to the rescue*
5. TOO FAR GONE (3:36) *roots rock bar talk*
6. RALLY CRY (3:28) *idealism and scrappy rock*
7. ALGONQUIN (2:56) *road trip waltz*
8. SURVIVOR (3:35) *grit and guitars*
9. MOVING GAZE (5:07) *poetry in black & white*
10. THE MINES (3:25) *mid tempo jangle pop*

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