

Hi sound and tech. crew,

Thanks for looking after us. We don't have soundcrew on tour with us, so we're truly grateful for all your help in putting together the best live performance we can. If you have any questions about the below, feel free to email us (james@yndihalda.com), or just grab as at your venue so we can discuss in detail. We're always happy chat about ideas and options.

If you have a chance to check out our music before we arrive, that would likely be best for everyone.

You can hear some here:

https://soundcloud.com/yndihalda/together-those-leaves https://soundcloud.com/yndihalda/yndi-halda-golden-threads-from-the-sun-excerpt

You'll notice that the **loud parts need to be really loud**, the **quiet parts are very soft** (i.e. please do not over-compress), and that the **vocals do NOT sit on top** of the music like a pop mix. There are mostly **no "lead"** instruments, just a **fair balance of everything**. We like a **middling** amount of reverb on the vocals with one exception:

 Midway through track #1 the four singers will step back from their mic to sing a choral 4-part harmony line. It will be clear when this is happening. Please drench this in reverb.

Amplification

x3 guitar amp x1 bass amp (DI out)

DI links

x2 keyboard x1 violin

Drumkit

x1 bass drum (single kick)



x1 snare x1 floor tom NO RACK TOMS x1 hi-hat stand x1 ride cymbal stand x1 crash cymbal stand

Vocal mics (please make sure these are clean!)

vocals 1 (James, guitar stage far right. James sings fairly quietly and close to the mic but has much of the lead vocal lines so needs to be heard.)

vocals 2 (Oliver, drums – NEEDS DRUMKIT- FRIENDLY MIC IF POSSIBLE. Second lead. Louder singing voice than James.)

vocals 3 (Simon, bass guitar stage mid left. Backing vocals.)

vocals 4 (Phil, keyboard & guitar stage rear. Backing vocals.)

Monitoring

James: James vocals only.

Daniel: violin very high. Rest even balance beneath.

Phil: house mix.

Oliver: house mix with violin and James / Jack guitars up.

Simon: house mix with James / Jack guitars and James / Simon voices up

Jack: house mix with James guitar up

Lighting

Please NO smoke / dry ice!

Primary colours are cool. If the lighting director has heard or knows our music. that's even better.

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Stage plot

[stage rear]

Phil Oliver Keyboard DI Drums

Keyboard DI

Guitar

vocal 4 vocal 2

Simon

bass guitar

vocal 3

Daniel

James violin DI

Jack guitar

guitar vocal 1

[stage front]

AUDIENCE

Thanks again, yndi halda