THE PISTOLWHIPS



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(Album Artwork)

The Pistolwhips / On Your Side

Following the success of The Pistolwhips' self-titled debut EP (2012), the band spent the year playing shows and building their brand in the Western Canadian music scene. After a year that saw them open for The Sheepdogs at a 4,000 person outdoor Red Bull stage, win the opening spot for Dragonette and Monster Truck at the Sasktel Summer Invasion festival in Regina, showcase CMW to a packed house in Toronto, and play several other sold out shows regionally, their sights shifted to a full length album.

Unlike the first ÉP, On Your Side is made up of songs the band wrote together. On Your Side finds the band weaving riffs together into a cohesive whole. From the slinky verses and driving chorus of "Mess Around" to the shimmering, dynamically rich expanse of "Blue Mountain," The Pistolwhips display a talent for crafting compelling arrangements that suit the songs.

Press

Bill Robertson, The Starphoenix (Saskatoon, SK)

Saskatoon quartet The Pistolwhips whips up a fine rocking sound based on three very strong elements: A great pair of electric guitars to play both with and off one another. A gutsy, hard-driving rock vocalist who takes something from the Caleb Followill/Eddie Vedder playbook but is still his own man. And a One crack rhythm section on which to build the whole project.

Craig Silliphant, Planet S Magazine (Saskatoon, SK)

Another definite winner. They have a singular talent that allows them to write crunchy riffs that are on the bluesier side of dark, yet are still wholly accessible at the same time.

Patrick Topping, Aesthetic Magazine (Toronto, ON)

During their set at Cherry Cola's during CMW 2013, they charged the venue with a ton of energy and got the restless crowd moving.

Evie Saphire-Bernstein, Quip Magazine (New York, NY)

With a voice that reminds one of Marcus Mumford and a sound that resembles Kings of Leon, the music is powerful, sharp, and focused.

Track Listing

Mess Around

*Whatcha Doin

Blue Mountain

*On Your Side

*Eve

J Pop

In Your Head

Firebird

Inside the Invisible

Sign Before Winter

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