

FOR ALL WE KNOW

(Press Biography June 2017)

Take Me Home

(Digipak CD and digital download / 53:29 min / release date Sept. 8th 2017)

For All We Know is (**Within Temptation** guitarist) **Ruud Jolie**'s solo project.

Six years ago For All We Know's self titled debut album was released. Afterwards the urge to write and release more of his own music was very strong, so Jolie started working on his second album **Take Me Home**.

For the music and lyrics of the album he collaborated with vocalist **Wudstik**. The band consists of the same main musicians that played on the first album; **Léo Margarit** (Pain of Salvation), **Kristoffer Gildenlöv** (ex Pain of Salvation), **Marco Kuypers** (ex Cloudmachine) and **Thijs Schrijnemakers** (Orgel Vreten). As guest vocalist on *Take Me Home*, the amazing **Anneke van Giersbergen** is featured.

During the last five years this album was created both when Jolie was on the road with various bands (Within Temptation, The Gentle Storm, Maiden united, etc.) and in his own studio in the Netherlands. The 12 songs range from dark, atmospheric and dreamily acoustic to bright, heavy and pounding progressive metal tracks and were produced by Jolie himself. In comparison to the first album, *Take Me Home* takes things more into the extremes; heavy songs are heavier and softer songs are softer; and everything in between of course.

In early summer 2017 the album was very successfully crowdfunded. On Indiegogo € 12.849,- was raised (143% of the campaign goal).

Reviews for the first album:

"For All We Know is a stunning album by a stunning group that I honest-to-god hope makes more albums before calling it quits. It'd be quite a shame to see such a fantastic project end after just one album. But even if that is the case, the band has graciously left us with one of the finest progressive metal albums ever created..."

- **Sea of Tranquility** -

"A very convincing debut of the guitarist who with this album also proves to be a fine producer"

- **Aardschok Magazine** -

"Ruud Jolie's For All We Know is a fine, and quite unexpected, work of creative progressive rock from this talented musician (and company). Well recommended!"

- **DangerDog** -

"With all its surprises and strong musical contribution For All We Know rises to be one of the most prominent album releases of the year."

- **Imperiumi.net** -

Band line-up:

Ruud Jolie (Within Temptation)
Wudstik (Ayreon)
Léo Margarit (Pain of Salvation)
Kristoffer Gildenl w (ex Pain of Salvation)
Marco Kuypers (ex Cloudmachine)
Thijs Schrijnemakers (Orgel Vreten)

- Guitars & additional keys/programming
- Vocals & Screams
- Drums
- Bass
- Piano, Rhodes & Wurlitzer
- Hammond

Tracklist "Take Me Home"

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| 1. | Breathe: In | 1:31 | |
| 2. | Take Me Home | 6:14 | |
| 3. | Fade Away | 4:20 | |
| 4. | They'll Win | 4:42 | |
| 5. | Let Me Fly | 4:45 | |
| 6. | The Big Wheel | 5:00 | |
| 7. | Breathe: Hold | 1:56 | |
| 8. | Colours | 4:14 | |
| 9. | We Are The Light | 5:32 | (feat. Anneke van Giersbergen) |
| 10. | Some Will... | 4:14 | |
| 11. | Prophets in Disguise | 5:42 | |
| 12. | Breathe: Out | 5:19 | |

53:29 min

Additional Info:

Release date: September 8th 2017
Label: Independent release
Worldwide Promotion: Ruud Jolie
Promo/interview requests: contact@forallweknow.net

Official website: www.forallweknow.net
Facebook : facebook.com/forallweknowmusic/
Twitter: twitter.com/_forallweknow
YouTube: youtube.com/user/FAWKproject
Bandcamp: forallweknowmusic.bandcamp.com

Discography

Take Me Home CD, 2017



For All We Know CD, 2011

featuring guest musicians:

Daniel Gildeñlów (Pain Of Salvation)
Sharon den Adel (Within Temptation)
Damian Wilson (Threshold, Ayreon)
Ruud Houweling (Cloudmachine)
Anke Derks
Tom Sikkers (Daybroke)
John Wesley (Porcupine Tree)
Richie Faulkner (Judas Priest)
Camilla van der Kooij



Artwork:

The artwork for both albums has been done by Colombian artist Ana Correal. In her art she tries to explore the nature of melancholy by evoking the magic and fantasy hidden in our immediate world, nature, our memories, desires and human spirituality, transforming realities through the lens of her camera, the symbolism of surrealism, and through digital composition and painting, mixed with a myriad of traditional mixed media techniques.