

PATTY LARKIN

STILL GREENER Still Green

The road here leads from darkness to light, from a frozen winter where ice hampered every step, where halls were shadowed in sadness, to the sandscape of the seashore of Cape Cod.

These are 12 songs chosen from the dozens written over the last four years, months before the death of my mother and after the passing of my father. My father, the Catholic Buddhist, was my teacher. My mother, the artist, I talk to all the time.

SO, here they are: songs from journals, digital recorders, cell phones, smartphones, scraps of paper, from memory and dreams, all etched into my skin. I have much to be grateful for. In the end, the dunes were my solace. I stayed in a shack with my family and wrote during the mornings, walked the afternoon, and felt new again.

With me I carried a quote by John Muir: "Throw some tea and bread in an old sack and jump over the back fence."

All this time. I'll see you there. Patty



Patty Larkin redefines the boundaries of folk-urban pop music with her inventive guitar wizardry and uncompromising vocals and lyrics. Acoustic Guitar hails her “[soundscape experiments](#)” while Rolling Stone praises her “[evocative and sonic shading](#).” She has been described as “[riveting](#)” (*Chicago Tribune*), “[hypnotic](#)” (*Entertainment Weekly*) and a “[drop-dead brilliant](#)” performer (*Performing Songwriter*).

Patty Larkin's new release **Still Green**, her 13th recording is co-produced with Mike Denneen (Aimee Mann, Howie Day). **Still Green** plays out in Technicolor sound images, a kaleidoscope of sun and sea traveling from the fluorescent-lit hallways of grief to the warm pull of love, family and nature. Much of it written in a primitive dune shack on the Outer Banks of Cape Cod's National Seashore, **Still Green** is a fresh approach to sound and life from a legendary songwriter who continues amaze.

Patty's previous release, 25, celebrated a quarter century of music making with a 25 song career retrospective reworked with voice and guitar and 25 friends, among them Grammy winners: Rosanne Cash, Suzanne Vega, Shawn Colvin, Janis Ian, and a veritable who's who of singer songwriters: Bruce Cockburn, Martin Sexton, Dar Williams, Greg Brown, Mary Chapin Carpenter, and others.

NOTABLE QUOTES

Critics Choice - *NY Times*

RIVETING - *Chicago Tribune*

One of the most gifted performers in music today.

WILD PERFECTION - *Boston Globe*

Patty Larkin transmits eccentric magic.

TRIPLE-THREAT - *Billboard*

An absolutely stunning guitarist, Larkin matches her instrumental chops as a vocalist and songwriter.

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- *Guitar World*

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