

TOPS

Change Of Heart / Sleptalker



TOPS are a four-piece band from Montreal, equal parts girls and guys, delivering a raw punk take on AM studio pop. *Change Of Heart / Sleptalker* is a 7" record with their lead single "Change Of Heart" backed with "Sleptalker". Both songs are featured on their new record, *Picture You Staring*, which is a lush array of timelessly crafted songs.

Singer Jane Penny gives a new voice to the silent girl at the edge of the circle, disillusioned but honest and unpretentious, a tone complemented by David Carriere's seamless guitar playing and the measured drumming of Riley Fleck. TOPS' subtle arrangements are delivered with a cool restraint that blend with the individuality and self-assured desire of their female lead.

Change Of Heart / Sleptalker gathers strength through intimacy. Self-written, recorded and produced at Arbutus Record's studio in Montreal, these are impeccable examples of pop craftsmanship that will reward repeat listeners.

- Extensive North American and European touring planned around release.
- "Rings Of Saturn" music video has over 170k views on YouTube.
- Toured North America supporting King Krule this past December.
- Key markets: New York, LA, San Diego, Montreal, Toronto, London.
- Strong following in Lawrence KS, Lynchburg VA, Detroit MI, McAllen TX, and Atlanta GA.

TRACKLISTING

- 1 Change Of Heart
- 2 Sleptalker

"Super crushing on TOPS right now, a breezy Canadian four piece who runs the gamut from light-jazzy indie pop [...] to skewed Grimes-y synth wierdness."
- Bullet

"Spawned from the arty, punk at heart utopia in Montreal (loft space La Brique - also creative home to the impossibly brilliant Grimes, Doldrums, Blue Hawaii and Sean Nicholas Savage), TOPS are sickeningly hip and pretty with it."
- BBC

CATALOGUE NUMBER: ABT041

ARTIST: TOPS

TITLE: Change Of Heart / Sleptalker

GENRE: Indie, Pop

RELEASE DATE: July 15th, 2014

AVAILABLE FORMATS: 7"

TERRITORY: Worldwide

BOX LOT: 30

RIYL: Blood Orange, Mac DeMarco, Fleetwood Mac

ASSOCIATED RELEASES:
- ABT024 TOPS "Tender Opposites"

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