

CHASTITY CHAINS 12" EP

Hometown: Whitby, Ontario

 The 2016 reissue of TAPE EP saw favorable coverage from Stereogum, The Fader, Noisey, The 405, and more

• 2018 tour dates are forthcoming

Channeling the feeling of youth on the fringe, Chastity focuses on the earnest connections found amongst the pent up suburban blue-collar. Living in Whitby Ontario, Brandon Williams creates music in a space of urgency, melody and chaos - an artifact of youth culture that bridges isolation and collectivity. Chastity is a protean temperament in punk, in recent history sharing the stage with Priests and Fucked Up, the project carries in the ethic of solidarity, antagonistic to the status quo.

Chains is a brief but loaded EP that takes the bull by the horns. Each track is crafted with the very mindfulness Williams finds so essential. It's a level of creative intent that has defined Chastity since the project's inception, but is perhaps most palpable to date on Chains - a progression in intensity resulting more from a rapidly changing world than the artist themself. Williams explains, "when I'm drawn to write I'm either sad or I am pissed. The world has changed since writing my last release, and both the sad and pissed feelings have since increased."

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01. Manning Hill

02. Chains

03. Flesh

04. Institution

05. Popular Belief

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EP LIST: \$19.98 EP FORMAT: 12" EP EP BOXLOT: 50

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"Haunting, brutal and beautiful anthems for suburban dysphoria...a call to arms for all the lost and tortured souls sticking it out in the burbs." -BEAT Mag

"Leans on everything from Teenage Fanclub to Hum, exposing an emotional side amidst the muscular and soaring guitars." - **CLRYYNT**

• "On 'Chains', the new song from Chastity, Brandon Williams returns his project to its noise-punk roots. The Whitby, Ontario artist was bespoke and sludge-y on January's 'Peroxide' 7", but on the title track from his upcoming EP, he's all snarls and curved riffs." -The FADER



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