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## SHARON VAN ETTEN LEONARD b/w LIFE OF HIS OWN

Leonard Life of His Own

CATALOG #: JAG219
RELEASE DATE: MARCH 6, 2012
FORMAT: 7-INCH/ DIGITAL
7-INCH BOX LOT: 50
GENRE: AVANT FOLK/ INDIE ROCK
KEY MARKETS: BROOKLYN, NEW YORK,
SEATTLE, PORTLAND, MINNEAPOLIS,
CHICAGO, PHILADELPHIA, WASHINGTON DC,
SAN FRANCISCO, LOS ANGELES

VINYL NOT RETURNABLE

Leonard is the second single from Tramp, the new album from Sharon Van Etten.

The shimmering sound of Sharon Van Etten's Jagjaguwar debut album, *Tramp*, both defies and illuminates the unsteadiness of a life in flux. Throughout the 14 months of scattered recording sessions, Van Etten was without a home – crashing with friends and storing her possessions between varied locations. The only constant in Van Etten's life during this time was spent in Aaron Dessner's garage studio.

Tramp contains as much striking rock (the precise venom of "Serpents," the overwhelming power of "Ask"), as pious, minimal beauty (the earnest solemnity of "All I Can," the breathtaking "Kevins," "Joke or a Lie"); it can be as emotionally combative ("Give Out") as it can sultry ("Magic Chords"). Contributions from Matt Barrick (Walkmen), Thomas Bartlett (Doveman), Zach Condon (Beirut), Jenn Wasner (Wye Oak), Julianna Barwick, and Dessner himself add a glowing sheen to the already substantial offering.

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## SELLING POINTS

- 1. Leonard is the second single from *Tramp*, Sharon Van Etten's Jagjaguwar debut. Full press, radio, and online campaigns are being run in support of the single.
- 2. The A-side to the single is album standout track "Leonard." The B-side is an unreleased track from the *Tramp* session, entitled "Life of His Own," which Sharon performed at CMJ with Aaron Dessner.



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