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ANGEL OLSEN PHASES

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TERRITORY RESTRICTIONS: EXCLUSIVE TO HOSTESS IN JAPAN
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ABOUT THE ALBUM

How do you best describe Angel Olsen? From the lo-fi, sparse folk-melancholy of her 2010 EP, *Strange Cacti*, to the electrified, polished rock 'n' roll bursting from 2016's beloved and acclaimed *MY WOMAN*, Olsen has refused to succumb to a single genre, expectation, or vision. Impossible to pin down, Olsen navigates the world with her remarkable, symphonic voice and a propensity for narrative, her music growing into whatever shape best fits to tell the story.

Phases is a collection of Olsen's work culled from the past several years, including a number of never-before-released tracks. "Fly On Your Wall," previously contributed to the Bandcamp-only, anti-Trump fundraiser Our First 100 Days, opens *Phases*, before seamlessly slipping into "Special," a brand new song from the *MY WOMAN* recording sessions. Both "How Many Disasters" and "Sans" are first-time listens: home-recorded demos that have never been released, leaning heavily on Olsen's arresting croon and lonesome guitar.

The B-sides compilation is both a testament to Olsen's enormous musical range and a tidy compilation of tracks that have previously been elusive in one way or another. Balancing tenacity and tenderness, *Phases* acts as a deep-dive for longtime fans, as well as a fitting introduction to Olsen's sprawling sonics for the uninitiated.

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SIDE A:

1. Fly On Your Wall
2. Special
3. Only You
4. All Right Now
5. Sans

SIDE B:

6. Sweet Dreams
7. California
8. Tougher Than the Rest
9. For You
10. How Many Disasters
11. May as Well
12. Endless Road

SELLING POINTS

- Collection of odds and ends from one of the most critically lauded songwriters of the past few years
- 2016's critically acclaimed *MY WOMAN* has sold over 42,000 copies in the US, with an additional 20 million streams worldwide
- Endless US touring continues in Fall 2017 and Winter 2018, following extensive festival performances in Summer 2017
- Supporting Arcade Fire in Fall 2017



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