

LIVE FOYN FRIIS Running Heart

Curling Legs is incredibly proud to announce the signing of singer and composer Live Foyn Friis for the release of 2 albums. The first, "RUNNING HEART" is due September 19th. 2014. The album consists of original compositions, performed by her band:

- Live Foyn Friis, vocals & effects
- Alex Jønsson, guitar & effects & choir,
- Jens Mikkel Madsen, double bass & choir,
- Andreas Skamby, drums

They are based in Denmark, a country that warmly has embraced Live and her music as her debut album, Joy Visible was nominated to the *Danish Music Awards 2012* for *Best Vocal Jazz Album of the year*. Live also won the category "The Years Young Jazz Composer in Denmark 2012" and "Denmark's New Jazz Star" in 2012!

The music is truly original and can be characterized as: playful, airy, lovely and very accessible. She fuses different styles like jazz, pop, electronica, and improvisations into her totally original blend.

Something that has been apreciated by musicians like John Scofield, Brian Blade and most of the Eusopean jazz/poporiented community.



Said about Live:

- "As a jazz singer, she is simply phenomenal." (Bernhard Hienerwadel, Altaposten)
- -"One of the hottest names on the current Danish jazz scene with a recent Danish Music Award nomination and the title as Young Jazz Composer of the Year 2012." (Kenneth Kristensen, Aarhus Musik Festival)
- "An expression so strong and so musically that it was clear to all, that here is a female soloist with the world at her feet!" (Stardust Wall of Fame Jette Lykke)

The music: indie-jazz with elements of pop, rock and electronica. The band has played numerous concerts all over Europe and has built a reputation as a great live-act. And Live is absolutely brilliant as a live-artist. This year they have performed at: JazzAhead in Bremen, as a support act for John Scofield Überjam Band in the Czech Republic, in the Nordic countries, Switzerland, Austria, Germany, Brazil, New York etc. Next year Live and her band will tour in South Africa, South America and China. In 2013 they performed numerous sold-out concerts in Germany.



For complete info and tour-list, go to: <u>livefoynfriis.com</u> | facebook.com

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