

walking on water

Ibarra's DreamTime Ensemble performs and records these spirituals

This ensemble features

SIDE A

1. Elegy in Azurite
2. Light East of Sendai
3. Waterfalling
4. Coastal Birds
5. High Wave
6. Natural Lightness
7. Night Rain
8. Divine Forgiveness
9. Celestial Migration

JENNIFER CHOI, violin

YVES DHARAMRAJ, cello

CLAUDIA ACUÑA, voice

JAKE LANDAU, guitars, synthesizer & hammond organ

YUKA C. HONDA, electronics

SUSIE IBARRA, drumset & percussion

SIDE B

10. Floating Azurite
11. New York with grace
12. Listening at Himalayan Waterfalls
13. Floating along Banares

I would like to thank Mako Fujimura for creating this beautiful and powerful series of paintings and entrusting me to create music to accompany the work. Special thanks to all the musicians who played incredible music bringing light, hope and beauty amidst a difficult time during the pandemic. My gratitude to all that made this possible.

- Susie Ibarra

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Jennifer Choi was recorded by Kevin S. Hahn at Opal Studio in Portland, Oregon

Yves Dharamraj was recorded remotely in Florida

Claudia Acuña was recorded at Figure 8 Studios by Philip Weinrobe

Yuka C. Honda was recorded remotely in Franklin, New York

Jake Landau and Susie Ibarra were recorded at Spillway Sound by Eli Crews

Walking on Water Spirituals were mixed by Eli Crews at Spillway Sound

Mastered by Ryan Streber at Oktaven Audio

Water Compositions were mixed by Jake Landau at Crossroads Studio

Field Records were recorded in support by the Asian Cultural Council Rockefeller Foundation Fellowship 2018 and 2019 and a Bennington College Faculty Grant. The raw field recordings were recorded by Susie Ibarra, Michele Koppes, Jake Landau, and Rajesh Kumar Singh in 3 water towers of Easton Glacier, Washington State, Ganges River in Banares, India and Sikkim, Himalayas.



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Susie Ibarra is a Zildjian, Vic Firth and Yamaha Drumset Artist



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