

# Farewell Friend

Farewell Friend has quickly become one of the Southeast's most compelling contemporary folk acts. Anchored by the creative vision of singer-songwriter and producer Tom Troyer, the project delivers a sound that is vulnerable, powerful, and richly textured. Merging elements of folk, rock, and Americana, their music carves out a voice uniquely their own. At the heart of Farewell Friend are Troyer's original melodies and introspective lyrics, paired with rhythm sections that speak in jazz-like gestures, creating a dynamic interplay that draws listeners in.

The Silent Years, Troyer's fourth album, ups the ante on that early work and offers a sublime exploration of sickness, grief, and the relationship between a dying mother and her son. This finely wrought and heartbreaking concept album immerses the listener in a play divided into acts, as well as the story of a body and a culture breaking down.

Hailing from the cornfields of Indiana, Troyer is a midwestern transplant in Greensboro, North Carolina. With his multifaceted background, Tom Troyer has developed a unique perspective on music and storytelling. His introspective lyrics and soul-stirring melodies create a powerful connection with audiences, delving into themes of identity, resilience, and the human condition. Farewell Friend's discography showcases Troyer's musical journey, from his debut album "Lineage" – a conceptual exploration of generational stories – to the autobiographical introspection of "[Samson]" and the conflicts of gentrification in the EP "Glenwood and Gomorrhah."

## BOOKING

Street Place Entertainment Laura Jane Vincent  
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## RELEASES

Lineage	2018
Glenwood and Gommorah	2019
[SAMSON]	2021
The Silent Years	2024



## VIDEOS



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FAREWELL FRIEND HAS COMPLETED THREE AMBITIOUS TOURS OF THE EAST COAST AND HAS PERFORMED AT WELL RESPECTED VENUES SUCH AS THE PURPLE FIDDLE, ROCKWOOD MUSIC HALL, PETE'S CANDY STORE, HAW RIVER BALLROOM, AND SHOWCASED SEVERAL YEARS AT THE FOLK ALLIANCE INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES.