

Beautiful Journey

By

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There is something so utterly charming about **Beautiful Journey** by **Brenda Warren**, she has a unique style and creates such a blissful musical narrative with the piano, it is a **Beautiful Journey** indeed.

From the very sun kissed opening piece **Imagine Spring** she guides our way, and from its refrains flows so majestically into the lush and calming opus of **Open Heart**, a track so serene and calming, this contains the first essences of the magic hand of *Will Ackerman's* team at *Imaginary Road Studios* with such a mournful, but soothing string section.

This voyage of charm and grace offers up a wondrous 12 magical tracks to simply get lost within. Like the title track itself or the absolutely delightful **New Morning**, once more embracing the subtle, but dreamy violin of *Charlie Bisharat*.

The ambience created by Warren on this album is beyond time and measure, we could wonder in its tones with ease, and helping us along the way would be gems like the peace filled **Blue Sky Day**, a track so redolent of sitting on the side of a hill and watching the day go by, and to finish with the so smooth and poignant offering entitled **Forgiveness**, was a touch of sublime genius.

Brenda Warren and **Beautiful Journey** has to be one of the most chilled and relaxing piano based albums I have heard for a long while. Warren has a performance style that is so musically colourful and sensitive, it's just a pleasure to bathe in its tones and her marvellous creations and allow the tranquillity of the moment to take control, a thoroughly recommended album indeed.