

Mike Scott

Collecting Things

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Artist: Mike Scott

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COLLECTING THINGS, the newest recording by guitarist and composer **MIKE SCOTT**, is a pastiche of music styles mostly penned by Scott and performed by some of the top jazz musicians in Southern California.

Scott has performed around the United States and abroad in jazz clubs and concert halls. He has also recorded for television and film soundtracks, played as a sideman on numerous CD projects, and performed with well-known names in jazz. A mainstay on the Los Angeles jazz scene for over 20 years, Scott is also a founding member of The Los Angeles Jazz Collective.

A jazz guitarist with classical training, Scott is known for his lyrical and soulful approach. Scott says, "Classical guitar playing involves extensive use of your right hand. Each finger plays a different sound, allowing you to control the dynamics and expressive quality of each note individually." His writing is influenced by swing, classical music, and the blues.

Scott composed all of the tunes on this album except for "On a Clear Day." He is an engaging, versatile guitarist and composer with a style that is distinctly his own. From swing to classical to blues and rock, the compositions on **COLLECTING THINGS** reflect the many musicians and musical styles that have inspired Scott over the years. The music is beautifully crafted and the performances by these top-notch artists are assured and full of heart.



With

Mike Scott *guitar*

Joe Bagg *piano & organ*

Darek Oles *bass*

Jake Reed *drums*

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1. SOL MINOR PRELUDE 2:15
- x 2. SOL MINOR 6:20
3. NOW AND LATER 4:34
4. JACK'S DILEMMA 5:47
- x 5. BOOM DIDDLE IT 5:02
- x 6. ON A CLEAR DAY 5:35
7. DARK BOSSA 4:52
- x 8. RONDO 4:57
9. CODA 4:45
10. 49 2:39

x *suggested tracks*

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