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Jenny Hval Announces North American Tour in Support of *The Practice of Love*, Out Now on Sacred Bones



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“*The Practice of Love* contains some of the Norwegian artist's most accessible songwriting...With trance-like beats, washy synths and a community of collaborators, Jenny Hval helps us ponder the album's central question: What does it really look like to care for each other?” - *NPR Music*, Top 10 Albums of September

“[*The Practice is Love*] is contemplation at its most sensuous and exhilarating.” - *Billboard*

“Hval has a knack for putting everyday phenomena under a warped microscope...Whether she’s tackling the algorithms of Spotify playlist culture, the false promises of late capitalism, or the empty commodification of self-care, listening to Hval’s music makes everything seem newly strange.” - *The Ringer*

Jenny Hval is pleased to announce she’ll return to North America next spring for a tour in support of ***The Practice of Love***, “an affecting, transcendental album that lives on the boundary of pop and the avant-garde” (*Pitchfork*, Best New Music). Released last month via

Sacred Bones, the record considers the notion of intimacy from all sides as Hval uses the pop song format to attempt to make sense of what love and care actually mean — love as a practice, a calling, a vocation.

Hval's live show has been described as "an impressionistic performance-art display steeped in satire, deconstructionism and individualism. . . Provocation and abstract ideas relentlessly flow" (*Chicago Tribune*). For *The Practice of Love*, Hval will examine material from the album, exploring sonic, visual, and choreographic ideas in order to stage the writing process as a performative practice. The performance space will slowly become a living canvas for language and voices creating an experience of transfiguration, transforming roles, bodies and sounds into text, and transforming different types of text into magic.

The practice of love is the practice of language.
The practice of language is the practice of magic.
The practice of magic is the practice of love.

The Practice of Love was originally co-produced by Black Box Teater and Ultima Oslo Contemporary Music Festival, premiered September 20th, 2019.

All dates are listed below. Tickets go on sale **this Friday, November 1st at 10am local time.**

Stream *The Practice of Love* -

<http://hyperurl.co/jennyhvallove>

Watch Jenny Hval's Video for "Accident" -

<https://youtu.be/wACSfREgJys>

Listen to "Ashes To Ashes" -

<https://youtu.be/7Bq5s2oRp24>

Listen to "High Alice" -

<https://youtu.be/5ZIJckSHc5o>

Purchase *The Practice of Love* -

<http://sacredbonesrecords.com/products/sbr229-jenny-hval-the-practice-of-love>

Jenny Hval Tour Dates (new dates in bold):

Wed. Oct. 30 - Paris, FR @ Centre Pompidou

Sat. Nov. 9 - Utrecht, NL @ Le Guess Who? Festival

Sun. Nov. 17 - Huddersfield, UK @ Huddersfield Contemporary Music Festival

Sat. Nov. 23 - Katowice, PL @ Ars Cameralis Festival

Wed. Dec. 11 - Hamburg, DE @ NORDWIND Festival @ Kampnagel

Sat. Feb. 15 - Berlin, DE @ HAU 2

Sun. Feb. 16 - Berlin, DE @ HAU 2

Thu. April 2 - Chicago, IL @ Constellation (early show)

Thu. April 2 - Chicago, IL @ Constellation (late show)
Sat. April 4 - Toronto, ON @ Longboat Hall
Mon. April 6 - Brooklyn, NY @ National Sawdust
Tue. April 7 - Brooklyn, NY @ National Sawdust
Thu. April 9 - Los Angeles, CA @ Bob Baker Marionette Theatre (early show)
Thu. April 9 - Los Angeles, CA @ Bob Baker Marionette Theatre (late show)
Sat. April 11 - San Francisco, CA @ Grey Area - Grand Theatre
Mon. April 13 - Seattle, WA @ Illsley Ball Nordstrom Recital Hall

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