



SONHO MEU



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Sonho Meu is not only “our dream,” but a dream come true.

Our love affair with Brazilian music has spanned our entire career, so when offered the chance to make one more recording paying tribute to the songbook, we didn't hesitate to say yes! In collaboration with George Klabin and Tim Ellis, this live concert was captured at The Barclay Theatre in Irvine, CA under the banner of the MetaJax Jazz Festival on July 9, 2022.



Featuring the gifts of Tamir Hendelman, Peter Sprague, Jamey Tate, Kevin Axt and Tiki Pasillas, we met on a single day to rehearse and record this live concert and memorialise it into resin and digits. Collectively, we put together a mixture of New York Voices classics along with some brand-new arrangements, covering iconic composers such as Antonio Carlos Jobim, Ivan Lins, Toninho Horta and Dona Ivone Lara. We hope you enjoy this special night of music, Sonho Meu, as much as we did creating it.

Obrigado from NYV:

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1 . Desafinado

Music by Antonio Carlos Jobim

Lyrics by Newton Ferreira de Mendonça

English Lyric by Jon Hendricks

(Bendig Music Corp, Corcovado Music Corp,

Hollis Music Inc, Wixen Music Publishing Inc)

Lead Vocals: Lauren Kinhan and Peter Eldridge

2 . Aqui Oh!

Written by Toninho Horta

(Tapaos (EMI), Sony Music)

3 . Meu Amigo Ramades

Music by Antonio Carlos Jobim

(Corcovado Music Corp)

4 . Retrato em Branco é Preto

Music by Antonio Carlos Jobim

(Corcovado Music Corp, Arlequim)

Lyrics by Chico Buarque

Lead Vocal: Kim Nazarian

5 . Corcovado

Music and Lyrics by Antonio Carlos Jobim

English Lyrics by Gene Lees

(Corcovado Music Corp, Universal Duchess Music Corp)

Lead Vocal: Lauren Kinhan

6 . Sonho Meu

Written by Dona Ivone Lara and Dêlcio Carvalho

(Sony Music Publishing, EMI Music Brasil)

7 . Surfboard

Written by Antonio Carlos Jobim

(Corcovado Music, Ipanema Music, Brasil)

8 . Gentle Rain

Music by Luis Bonfá, Lyrics by Matt Dubeg

(Chappell & Co Music Inc, EMI Unart Catalogue Inc)

Lead Vocal and Piano: Peter Eldridge

9 . Madalena

Music by Ivan Lins

Lyrics by L. Galt

(Fontana Publishing, Brasil)

Lead Vocal: Peter Eldridge

10 . Snow Samba

Music by Paquito D'Rivera and Claudio Roditi

Lyrics by Cecilia Engelhart

(Havana New York Music, Varginha Music, Cecilia Engelhart Music)

Lead Vocal: Kim Nazarian

Vocal Improv: Darmon Meader



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| 2 Aqui Oh (6:59) | 7 Surfboard (3:19) |
| 3 Meu Amigo Ramades (3:47) | 8 Gentle Rain (5:03) |
| 4 Retrato em Branco é Preto (5:46) | 9 Madalena (4:53) |
| 5 Corcovado (7:08) | 10 Snow Samba (6:24) |

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