# Announcing Pianist Tom Grant's Newest Album, Bridging the New Age and Smooth Jazz Genres

## **Sipping Beauty**



TRACK TITLES

Petrichor Perfume 6:14 Sun-Kissed Beings 6:00 Sipping Beauty 5:22 Feathers Falling Up Wrapped In Love 6:20 Sighs 'N Whispers 5:12 Arms Wide Open 6:52 Desire Unspoken 4:44 Moondrops 5:42 Where Time Disappears 5:58

Sipping Beauty was produced, engineered, and mastered by Tom Grant. Recorded at Bigger Better studios, Portland, Oregon.

One of the pioneers of the smooth jazz genre, pianist Tom Grant, releases his second foray into the new age music genre with Sipping Beauty, a beguiling mixture of instrumentals, highlighted by warm, flowing melodies, gentle rhythms, and an overall sensation of calm and serenity, accented by subtle sensuality and suffused with palpable romanticism. Grant's delicate yet soulful piano playing is accented by lush keyboard textures and spot-on rhythms, as well as by superb accompaniment by guest artists Kevin Karrick on guitar and David Captein on bass and sitar. Besides the more typical new age music characteristics, Grant also sprinkles in some of his signature smooth jazz elements on some track as well as some mellow chill-out grooves. Sipping Beauty will no doubt become one of you and your listeners' or readers' favorite recordings. The album's ten tracks offer one aural delight after the other, unified by Tom Grant's artistry and vision of a world bound together by music and beauty.



"Tom's piano work...will penetrate your spirit and your soul...Feathers Falling Up is a key example of just how connected he is to the music he plays and the beauty inherent in it...although Tom has built a following in the smooth jazz community, his talent clearly transcends all those labels, and makes him his own man! I give Tom a MOST HIGHLY RECOMMENDED, with an "EQ" of 4.99 for this amazing sonic journey."

#### Dick Metcalf/Contemporary Fusion Reviews

"Sipping Beauty is filled with great music which perfectly merges the new age, smooth jazz, and chill-out genres. Grant's fluid romantic melodies on piano are fleshed out with excellent keyboard accents, soft rhythms, and solid support from his guest stars. I have played this album to times and it's an enjoyable listen each time."

Bill Binkelman/Zone Music Reporter

Sipping Beauty is available for sale at Amazon, iTunes, Barnes and Noble, and assorted brick and mortar outlets. Wholesale distribution by MVD (Music Video Distributors) https://mvdb2b.com

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