



Patricia Barber - Verse GAIN 2? 45rpm 2LP (Shipping September 2008)

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Patricia Barber resides in the vanguard of the new school of female jazz vocalists. It all began with Caf? Blue in 1994. It hit like something inexplicable, introducing a voice one critic described as "a pure dark whisper straight up from the soul" and a distinct onstage persona that has been characterized as "a beat musician and a bop intellectual." Barber has been exploring intriguing improvisational terrain beyond classic balladry and bop-infused standards for the last decade. Each album is more ambitious than the last, taking her deeper into avant-garde territory both lyrically and instrumentally. Verse is no exception. Ms. Barber continues releasing albums combining her uncanny ability to stake new claims on contemporary tunes with her prowess for composing witty and gorgeous tunes of her own. This one really places the listener in the studio with the band. Phenomenal!

The Moon

Lost In This Love

Clues

Pieces

I Could Eat Your Words

The Fire

Regular Pleasures

Dansons La Gigue

You Gotta Go Home

If I Were Blue