

The Blizzard of 78

Book of Lies

The Present

Pop gems, crushing rockers, soul infused rave-ups, complemented by smoldering mid-tempo numbers, are the makeup of **Book of Lies**. It's the second album from Boston, MA and Providence, RI quintet The Blizzard of 78.

From the triumphant charge of "The Song" to the breathtaking crescendo of "Well Enough Alone," **Book of Lies** plays like a jukebox at your favorite dive bar. It sits comfortably next to the bands of today like My Morning Jacket, Wilco, and Nick Cave, or with the classics of yesterday like The Who, Stones, and CCR.

The Blizzard of 78's barn burning live shows provided the seed for this riveting vocal and instrumental performance. Lyrically, singer Pip delivers lines about spiritual conflict, reflections on social climate, and what it means to be human. The band leaves its own mark musically with searing guitars, lasting keyboards, and driving drum and bass rhythms.

Book of Lies was produced, recorded and mixed by band members Chris Cugini and Nate Leavitt at their own Appleman Studio. The recording vividly captures the raw energy of the band with clarity and direction. Notable guest musicians include former TBO78 keys man Phil Aiken (Buffalo Tom, PAA). Also involved were the Eli "Paperboy" Reed horn section featuring Saxophonists Ben Jaffe and Paul Jones, with Patriq Moody on Trumpet.

The Past

- TBO78 is comprised of members from *Delta Clutch*, *Plan 9* and *Anastasia Screamed*
- Has opened for *Coldplay*, *Snow Patrol* and *Guster*
- TBO78's first release, the critically acclaimed *Where All Life Hangs*, won numerous awards including Album of the Year
- *Paul Kolderie* (Radiohead, Dresden Dolls) produced two tracks for *Where All Life Hangs*
- Collaborated with reggae legend *Mikey Dread* on a version of the Clash song "Silicone on Sapphire"
- Finalists at the 2007 WBRU Rock Hunt in Providence

The Future

- Aggressive push to all local print media and radio including: *The Boston Globe*, *Projo*, *The Phoenix*, *Motif*, *The Noise*, *NE Performer*, *WBCN*, *WBRU*, *WFNX* and more
- Extensive media campaign to: *NPR*, *Spin*, *CMJ*, *Village Voice* and more by the band-run label Killing Floor Records
- Tour dates scheduled in key markets in support of the album release
- Plans in the works for national and international touring
- Aggressive push to independent and college radio stations both nationally and internationally
- Online marketing campaign targeting Blizzard fans as well as fans of similar artists via myspace, facebook, radio stations, blogs, e-zines, news websites, etc.

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(l-r) Pip-Vocals, Brian-Keyboards, Nate-Guitar, Paul-Drums, Chris-Bass



Track Listing:

1. The Song*
2. Lullabye
3. Pray
4. Mercy*
5. Philadelphia*
6. Come Back Now*
7. Blood on the Road
8. Cast a Long Shadow
9. The Game
10. Time and Place
11. The Last Temptation
12. God Eat God
13. No Reasons
14. Well Enough Alone

*(Key Tracks)

Info

Street Date: **December 9, 2008**

Artist: **The Blizzard of 78**

Album Title: **Book of Lies**

Record Label: **Killing Floor Records**

Producers: **Chris Cugini and Nate Leavitt**

Mastered by: **Dave Collins**

Hometowns: **Boston, MA & Providence, RI**

Genre: **Rock**

Sub-Genres: **Indie, Alternative**

Type: **CD**