

Airborne – New Horizons – CD Reviews

The new release from the notable contemporary jazz group Airborne is titled New Horizons and features smooth jazz guitar, keyboards, and reed instruments in conjunction with passionate Latin infused grooves to craft a CD cool as an island breeze. Airborne has long been referred to as the “Musical Peacemakers” of contemporary jazz. On New Horizons, the group’s 7th release on Tilt Records since their inception in the late 1980’s, their peaceful theme is abundantly present on many of their songs.

On New Horizons Airborne again take to the air in graceful flight, articulating their message of Peace with well played songs that sustain the listener’s interest. This work is a product of skilled musicians infused with a spirit of hope who aspire for a better world containing new horizons

It contains quite ambitious compositions that weave with wondrous textured melodies that are truly unforgettable. Vibrant and moving the syncopated rhythms blend with jazz fusion to create a dynamic global statement. Another quality- packed complex CD that marks of how diverse Airborne’s musical reach extends.

Randall Parrish – JazzReview.com

“As much new age, R&B, funk, spiritual, and world as they are contemporary jazz, Airborne is a carefully woven fabric of tantalizing sound that makes those crazy moments in our day a little less crazy. Not only is there great music here, but great food for thought. An unbeatable combination”

Ron Jackson - The Smooth Jazz Ride

Airborne appears again in the spotlight with their recent, New Horizons, an original patchwork of classic jazz forms and world music. Its language is constructed, revealing some bright moments.

Airborne, the well known multi-cultural contemporary jazz group from New Haven, Connecticut, USA has the ability to do it all well. New Horizons takes the listener into soundscapes through lyrical ways exploring the individual player’s idiosyncrasies which in exchange creates color schemes available to all listeners.

New Horizons is truly an interesting release that holds your attention from the first track to conclusion with its musical approach. Through twelve tracks, Airborne offers an eclectic vision of their music world

Dr. Ana Isabel Ordonez - Jazz Review

One thing the band Airborne is never afraid of it's the constant quest for "New Horizons" musically speaking. And its latest effort not only proves the eclectic flavor of its music, it titles this new material: "New Horizons" quite adequately.

This is a superb album which takes the listener to a colorful voyage of melodies combined with thoughtful messages and it shouldn't be missed if the listener is ready to explore "New Horizons".

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