

Nature's Whispering

Healing the earth through sound from nature



Taiwanese award-winning nature sound recordist cum musician Wu Judy Chin-tai's (also known as Judy Wu) latest album 'Nature's Whispering' has made waves as conservation awareness rocks music industry.

Nature's Whispering, produced by Wind Music in Taiwan, features nature sounds collected by Wu Judy Chin-tai over 20 years, incorporating contemporary music for 10 tracks of soothing melodies to connect with mother nature.

Among the features of the album are a song by award-winning Taiwanese artist **Paudull**, remix of Judy's previous popular songs by Independent group Cicada and remix of 'Forest Rhapsody' by electronic music producer N7ä.

Somolo Solo, the first track of the album, contains a sample of nearly lost traditional singing of the Tsou tribe, which Judy recorded in 1994.

In **Crossing Maasai Mara**, the male vocals in the song are recorded by Sammy Kaleku, a Massai tour guide in East Africa, during the emanyatta olorikan ceremony that takes place every 15 years.

In **Lingering Call of the Cicada** (feat. Ní7ä), the cicada singers include Formotosena seebohmi, Mogannia hebes in Lanyu, Tanna viridis, and Purana apicalis.

Nature's Whispering comprises nature sounds from Taiwan and different corners of the world, such as the chirping sounds of rare Taiwanese cicadas, the brawling waves of Liuqiu Island, crackling of melting glaciers, the sound from northern lights in Northern Europe.

All these elements of the origin of sounds forms the cover of the album – printed using environmental friendly materials to convey the message to protect our earth.

“Although each and every one of us can do something for the planet, individually, our strength is quite limited. I hope to chronicle the here and now through creating music with the sound of nature, based on my personal experience and views. I feel privileged to be able to share with you nature’s whispering and I hope these sounds will inspire you to further care for and cherish this beautiful land,” said Judy.

Nature's Whispering has been released globally on December 31, 2021.

The album is available on Apple Music Store, Spotify, Bandcamp, and other music streaming platforms.

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About Wu Judy Chin-tai

Wu Judy Chin-tai is an award-winning Taiwanese record producer whose works focus on sounds of the nature, instrumental and ethnic music. Upon concluding her studies in the United States, Wu returned to Taiwan and started working for Wind Music as a field recording engineer, composer and music producer. Her works concerning the natural habitats in Taiwan, such as “The Forest Show”, “My Ocean”, “The Nearest Heaven” and many more, have stimulated substantial attention to the sounds of nature and raised awareness for the Taiwanese wilderness.

In 2001, Wu won her first Golden Melody Award for Best Producer with her work in “My Ocean”, and her subsequent works garnered various Golden Melody Awards. Her 2009 production “Drum Music Land” for Taiwanese percussion ensemble Ten Drum Art Percussion Group received a Grammy nomination for Best Tradition World Music Album.

It has been over 20 years since the release of *The Forest Show*, Wind Music’s first album in the Music with the Sounds of Nature series, and Wu Judy Chin-tai continues to visit places in the mountain wilderness and by the sea, recording the precious sounds of animals, traditional music, and more. Her recordings, incorporated with other music, have been released as several albums.

