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The album tagline—“The new face of indi-rock”. Not particularly encouraging, what with so many run-of-the-mill bands claiming their stake in the genre. But this one comes as a breath of fresh air, or should we say spark of fresh flames? It's a medley of folk rock and pop with some funk, jazz and Carnatic thrown in. The opening

number *Sadho Re* has been getting sufficient airtime and is easily the strongest on the album. *Kabira* follows up well. The lyrics for both come from Kabir's *dohas*. *Shaam Tanha* is easy on the ears and hummable. The rest of the tracks follow suit.

HOT Tip: Quite an angst fest, with some different beats. Worth a listen

