

# BEVAN MANSON

Featuring: **Coastal Scrub Jazz Collective**

**Hollywood Studio Symphony**

Partial Credits include:

Ed Neumeister & Bevan Manson, producers  
Eric Astor, Les Brockmann, Jono Manson,  
Dennis Dreith & Rich Breen, recording engineers  
Sara Andon, flute  
David Glasser, flute & alto sax  
Bob Sheppard, tenor sax  
Gordon Au, trumpet  
Bernie Dresel, drums  
Alyssa Park, Amy Hershberger, Ralph Morrison  
and Irina Voloshina, violin  
Pam Goldsmith & Luke Mauer, viola  
Tim Loo & Andrew Shulman, cello  
Bevan Manson, piano  
Calabria Foti, vocals  
Damon Vick, soprano sax  
Luca Alemanno, bass  
Ed Neumeister, trombone  
Matt Wilson & Steve Hass, drums  
M. B. Gordy & Brad Dutz, percussion  
Phil Ayling, recorder  
Ami Benee Levi, Nick Glennie-Smith, Emily Richards, narrators  
Ruth Bramson, narration & vocals  
Phil O'Connor, clarinet  
Tom Boyd, oboe  
Catherine Del Russo, English horn  
Brian O'Connor, French horn  
... and 46 additional musicians



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MeisteroMusic Productions is proud to present Bevan Manson's recent musical foray *When the Cup is Lifted*. Pianist Bevan Manson weaves another lush and intriguing tapestry with this album, which was released by MeisteroMusic Productions in 2024. Drawing inspiration from the contrasts between nature and cityscape, *When the Cup is Lifted* unites Manson's expertise in jazz and classical music to send a musical message of peace.

"We have to make peace within ourselves. You start with that. Otherwise, conflict never ends. This music is partly a tribute to Nature and also to the best parts of our nature." (Bevan Manson)

The record features soloists Sara Andon, Luca Alemanno, Bob Sheppard, Brian O'Connor, Bernie Dresel, Ed Neumeister, Megan Holland, Phil O'Connor, and Manson himself, as well as many other extraordinary musicians, in the combined sounds of the Coastal Scrub Jazz Collective and the Hollywood Studio Symphony. This impressive collaboration among artists from varied musical backgrounds beautifully embodies Manson's artistic view of the jazz-classical intersection.

Ed Neumeister, who also served as a producer for the album, is a featured soloist on the anti-war track "The Blood Price." This track perfectly encapsulates Manson's operatic and cinematic approach with narrations of text from Mark Twain, Anne Cassidy, Samuel Johnson, Lin Betancourt, Sir Walter Raleigh, Bevan Manson, Zen Buddhism, and soldiers of the Civil War.

## The Compositions

1. The Unfilled Cup 9:22
2. Missing You, Carrying On 3:46
3. Theme For a Gleam 5:09
4. Fire Horizon 4:15
5. An Irony Untold / When the Cup is Lifted 7:06
6. Stepchild 4:58
7. The Blood Price 26:53

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