



## THELONIOUS MONK The Prophet

Label

**DESTINATION MOON**

Format

**Cassette**

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Territory

**NORTH AMERICAN EXCLUSIVE**

Genre

**FILE UNDER - M - JAZZ**



### DESCRIPTION

In 1954, during his first trip to Paris, the adventurous pianist and be-bop pioneer **Thelonious Monk** recorded a handful of songs for French radio, later issued as *The Prophet*. Unencumbered by bass, drums or other accompaniments, Monk gives listeners all they need in left-hand rhythms and right-hand melodies; "Round About Midnight" and "Reflections" play masterful command and there's a one-off take of "Smoke Gets In Your Eyes." Highlighting his capabilities in full, this is required listening for Monk fans and lovers of solo jazz piano.

### TRACKLISTING

- A1. Round About Midnight
- A2. Reflections
- A3. Smoke Gets In Your Eyes
- A4. Well You Needn't
- B1. Portrait Of An Ermite
- B2. Manganese
- B3. Eronel
- B4. Off Minor

### HIGHLIGHTS

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