



## TOECHTER Epic Wonder

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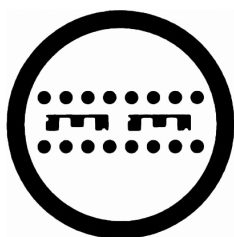
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## DESCRIPTION

**toechter** is an all-female trio operating from Berlin. **toechter**'s second full-length album *Epic Wonder* sees its classically trained members blend elaborate string arrangements with ethereal indie pop and delicate rhythms. **Katrine Grarup Elbo**, **Lisa Marie Vogel**, and **Marie-Claire Schlameus** exclusively use analogue sound sources (such as violin, viola, cello, and their voices), which were then electronically processed. *Epic Wonder* was created in the spring and summer of 2023. Playing with forms and contours, the music sounds like the awakening of something new. One seems to be listening to an ongoing conversation, an exchange about what music could be, where it wants to go and how it contributes to our view of life. It all rests on a simple premise: "Every sound you hear in our universe comes from us. The string trio is the core of **toechter**, the starting point of all our work." Those looking for new worlds of sound can find them in the work of this classically-trained musicians. Whether they add voices or percussive instruments, sample the sounds, or manipulate them electronically; ultimately, they are exploring the string trio's place in a world shaped by the digital. Sometimes dwelling on subtle, yet marveling phenomena like the evening fog covering a valley on Midsummer, sometimes on grandiose splendors like the genesis of mountains or the birth of a child – letting interactions and encounters with other beings float through the musical universe as drips of emotional perceptivity. For the visual manifestation of *Epic Wonder*, **toechter** has engaged with Finish up-and-coming lens-based artist **Aino Kontinen**.

## TRACKLISTING

01. Prelude (3:39)
02. Me she said (2:56)
03. Epic Wonder (3:04)
04. Celestine (4:40)
05. Alive, Abloom (4:05)
06. Gossamery (2:07)
07. Sea of Serenity (4:59)
08. Mellow Splash (1:44)
09. Shift Souls (3:47)
10. Melting in the Green (1:38)
11. Mercury (4:22)

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