



## SHORT CROSS

### Arising

Label

**OUT-SIDER**

Format

**LP**

Catalog Number

**OSR 023X-LP**

EAN

4040824093457



Store Price

**\$23.39**

Release Date

**08/02/24**

Territory

**NORTH AMERICAN EXCLUSIVE**

Genre

**FILE UNDER - S - ROCK**



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### DESCRIPTION

Rare US '72 hard-rock/heavy-blues private pressing with a powerful sound in the vein of **Sabbath**, **Led Zep**, and **Grand Funk**. Originally from Sandston, Virginia, **Short Cross** featured ace guitar player **Velpo Robertson** and during their existence (1969-1973) opened for bands like Black Sabbath, **Trapeze**, and **Black Oak Arkansas** among many others. *Arising* was their only album, released in 1972 and now considered a cult hard-rock classic. This new reissue is dedicated to Velpo, who sadly passed away in 2020. Featuring original artwork in gatefold sleeve. Remastered sound. Includes insert with liner notes and photos. *"Ballsy, pro-sounding early 1970s rural bar rock-hardrock in an Allman Bros direction with great organ-guitar interplay"* -**Patrick Lundborg (Acid Archives)**

### TRACKLISTING

- A1. Nothin But A Woman
- A2. Wastin Time
- A3. Suicide Blues
- A4. Just Don't Care
- B1. On My Own
- B2. Till We Reach The Sun
- B3. Ellen
- B4. Hobo Love Song

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