



Resilience in Sound, J LYM's 'Ride' Unleashes a Primal Journey

JLYM, also known as Jimmy, emerges from Brooklyn, NY as a contemporary force in music, blending electronic and acoustic found sounds into a cinematic tapestry. His work has drawn comparisons to influential figures like Bjork, Prince, and ARCA. "Ride," the latest release, signals J Lym's resurgence after a year-long hiatus following his EP "How To Say Goodbye To Memories." This track is a bold exploration, where courage and the imagery of beige and brown horses converge in a primal display of artistry.



J LYM

With an eclectic instrumental backdrop influenced by sounds from Java, J Lym weaves his childhood memories into the fabric of the tune. In the midst of life's hustle towards destinations, "Ride" is a poignant reminder that the journey itself holds the true essence of our experiences. J LYM's artistic journey has taken him to illustrious stages around the globe, from the Java Jazz Festival to venues like NEC's Jordan Hall and the Berklee Performance Center. This wealth of experience enriches his music, infusing it with a visceral energy that resonates deeply.

The upcoming project, "TRANSMISSIVE," slated for an early 2024 release, promises a dystopian yet gripping narrative. J Lym leverages raw materials, both literal and metaphorical, to paint a vivid picture of a world where immediacy reigns supreme. "Ride" stands as a testament to J Lym's ability to channel raw emotion and experience into a musical journey. It's an invitation to run alongside him, to feel the pulse of his art, and to be a part of a movement that transcends boundaries.

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 English

Ride by J Lym

By **Moataz Gwaily** - October 12, 2023



There is something inexplicably addictive about J Lym's latest single 'Ride'. A certain eccentric, fragmented, loosely intact and in immediate danger of crumbling. Like a glued together monstrosity with a particular gravity and attitude that left me thirsty for more after its little more than two minutes runtime was done.

Brooklyn based experimental musician and producer J Lym is back after a yearlong hiatus since his latest EP release 'How To Say Goodbye To Memories'. Returning with what seems like a million tiny samples from the bustling Jakarta soundscape, 'Ride' is a tiny but massive piece of hip hop that sees real life clacks, bangs, screeches, and scrapes blend with a beefy, acidic synth bass line for a potent dose of character. J Lym's boldly out-there vocals and humorous choice of ragtime piano samples do a terrific job in heightening just how blindingly weird this cut is.

Saying that 'Ride' is a good song would be kind of a lame understatement as well as an objectively incorrect choice of words. Instead, we'll say that 'Ride' piqued our curiosity and left us with a healthy amount of tasty, unanswered questions. Thanks J Lym.



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Most of the time I'm listening to music. When I'm not, I'm playing music. When I'm not, I'm thinking about doing those things.

J Lym - Ride (Alternative Pop)



🕒 Reading time: 1 min / 📺 CTTO / J Lym
Official release date: September 15, 2023

I can assure you that the recently released single 'Ride' by US artist J Lym is anything but boring or mainstream. For anyone who likes experimental music, this brilliant indie alternative pop track is guaranteed to leave nothing to be desired.

For me as a listener, the focus is on the striking dark character that the track always reveals. The textures in the bass, which come through in combination with the partly spoken vocals and the movement-rich beat, are simply brilliant. But the sung parts of 'Ride' are also convincing and form the perfect bridge to electronic R&B.

Although the song is quite short with a playing time of 2 minutes, the original musical implementation and the dynamics are absolutely impressive. You can find J Lym's music on our playlist or directly from the artist on Spotify. Take a listen straight away:

Energy: ★★★★★ | Melody: ★★★★★☆ | Production: ★★★★★☆ |
Arrangement: ★★★★★☆ |

Spotify:

<https://open.spotify.com/track/4XeWS2jqQfiXx1p9QTr5zZ>



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J Lym is a contemporary singer, songwriter, and music producer based in Brooklyn, NY. His music is a cinematic mixture of electronic and acoustic sounds

and has been compared to the likes of Bjork, Prince, and ARCA. As a performer, J Lym's portfolio has ranged internationally at music festivals and venues such as the Java Jazz Festival, the MIT Jazz Festival, NEC's Jordan Hall, Bowery Electric, Berklee Performance Center, and the Agganis Stadium.



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"Ride" by J Lym is a bold and primal musical journey that marks the artist's rebirth after a one-year hiatus since his last EP release, "How To Say Goodbye To Memories." This song embodies a unique and intriguing concept—it's all about horses, specifically in beige and brown, and it carries a message of courage.

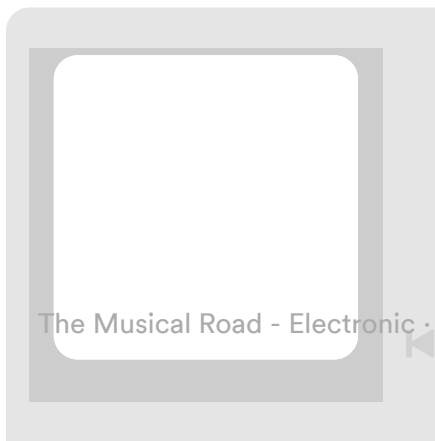
The description of "Ride" as bold, raw, and primal suggests that the song embraces a sense of urgency and authenticity. It resonates with listeners who appreciate music that doesn't shy away from its raw emotional power.

The mention of eclectic instrumentations based on found sounds from Java adds an element of cultural richness and nostalgia to the song. This incorporation of childhood memories and the transformation of those memories into music is a fascinating creative process. It invites listeners to delve into the artist's personal experiences and connect with them through sound.

The message that "Ride" conveys about the importance of enjoying the journey rather than just focusing on the destination is a timeless and meaningful one. It's a reminder

to savor the moments and experiences along the way, emphasizing the value of the journey itself.

In summary, "Ride" by J Lym is a captivating and introspective musical piece that explores themes of courage and the significance of the journey. With its bold and raw energy, eclectic instrumentation, and evocative message, this song offers a unique and immersive listening experience. It invites listeners to reflect on their own journeys and find meaning in the ride itself, making it a thought-provoking addition to the artist's body of work.



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Let yourself be carried away by listening to the original single “Ride” by J Lym

Emerging artist J Lym has just released his latest original single titled “Ride,” providing listeners with an immersive and captivating musical experience. With elegant production accompanied by introspective lyrics, this track marks a major milestone in J Lym's promising career.

From the first notes, J Lym manages to captivate the listener, transporting them into a captivating soundscape. The polished production skillfully fuses musical elements together, creating a captivating backdrop for the artist's profound lyrics. The sound is both spacious and intimate, allowing each musical element to breathe while remaining harmoniously integrated. Her voice is a major asset of this single.

With a mastery of his impressive vocal abilities, he manages to convey a wide range of emotions through his performance. Its velvety timbre blends perfectly with the musical nuances, creating a symbiosis between voice and instrumentation. The lyrics reveal an emotional depth and artistic maturity that is sure to touch those who find themselves on this inner quest.

With his new single, J Lym proves his artistry and ability to create captivating and unique music. J Lym thus positions himself as an artist to follow closely, promising a brilliant future and musical creations that will mark the minds of demanding music lovers. Don't miss out on listening to this gem on all digital music platforms!