

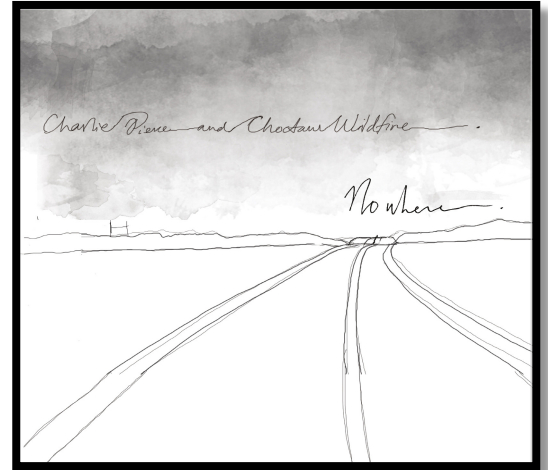


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Charlie Pierce and Choctaw Wildfire Release "Nowhere"

(Austin, TX) Keyboard maverick, and Choctaw Wildfire founder Charlie Pierce is announcing the release of their new studio album, ***Nowhere***. Embracing Honky-tonk, Outlaw, Roots and Boogie-Woogie. Choctaw Wildfire lends its unique sounds to these genres with keyboard, upright bass and drums threading all roots music within.

Music featured on Choctaw Wildfire's sophomore album ***Nowhere*** offers the raw accounts of the pursuit of life's simple truths by songwriter Charlie Pierce. "These truths are not always comfortable, but they are familiar. We seek ways to avoid them, but they are a part of our shared connection to the human experience. They make us feel something", explains Austin transplant and Chicago native Pierce.

Recorded in Austin's famed Arlyn Studios, by head engineer/producer Jacob Sciba (Willie Nelson, Warren Haynes, Gary Clark Jr.), ***Nowhere*** has a classic familiarity and timeless sound. Just like the songs themselves, the recording hides nothing and has nothing to hide. All is laid bare. Sometimes there are greater forces at work and all one has to do is open their heart and listen. It is from this place that ***Nowhere*** was born.

ABOUT CHARLIE PIERCE AND CHOCTAW WILDFIRE

Since its inception Choctaw Wildfire has been captivating audiences with its wild intensity and refreshing take on American music. A unique mix of honky-tonk roots, boogie-woogie soul, and the darkest corners of Americana sensibility, this Austin, TX piano trio led by pianist and songwriter Charlie Pierce is setting the scene on fire. Fanning the flames are back-beat savant Leland Potter (The Derailers, Rosie Flores, Dale Watson) tuba William Landin (Jimmy LaFave, Joe "King" Carrasco, Guy Forsyth), and Jeffrey Barnes (Brave Combo).

Album artwork: Jennifer Hacker

Add Date: May 26th

Track Listing

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| 1. Daggers | 6. Ruby |
| 2. Nowhere | 7. No forgetting you |
| 3. Burn it down | 8. Mean |
| 4. Save his soul at last | 9. Nothing again |
| 5. Lullaby for Lilly | 10. The hole I dug for you |

Quotes:

"Pianist Charlie Pierce is keeping the music I grew up with alive and well with his modern take on the classic honky-tonk/boogie-woogie sound. He's one hell of a songwriter, too."

Earl Poole Ball (Johnny Cash, Gram Parsons)

"A truly refreshing take on Americana music."

David Arnsberger, Host, Texas Radio Live, Sun Radio KDRP, Austin Texas.

"Piano man Charlie Pierce and his band Choctaw Wildfire hit like a midnight storm."

Ray Bonneville

Though these folks are from Austin, they bring a New Orleans twist into their performances. Playing anything from heart-wrenching ballads to full-blown boogies, Choctaw Wildfire keeps the crowd on their toes and wanting more."

Frenchman Street Live