

Garretson & Gorodetsky bio long

From their releases “Webaworld”(1995), “Puttanesca” (2006), “My Skin Craves Soil” (2015) “Year of the Fire Monkey” (2018) and “Tunnel of Time” (2022) songwriters Weba Garretson and Ralph Gorodetsky have been refining their eclectic song craft. “Just as in any time tunnel, you leap into the whoosh machine of singer Weba Garretson and guitarist Ralph Gorodetsky and never know where you’ll pop out.”*

For the past year, they’ve been writing and performing with woodwind player Vince Meghrouni, bassist Laura Grissom and drummer Brian Christopherson creating music that works with traditional, popular song structures but imbues the recognizable format of “song” with subversive elements borrowed from unconventional sources.

“G&G magically weave jazz-meets-folk melodies and vocals into sensuously angular wonderlands of social thought. Watch the kaleidoscopic layers unfold with many listens!”** They have earned the moniker of “post eclectic” for their tendency to use more than several musical styles within one song. In their latest release “Weight of the World” the ensemble moves effortlessly from rock to funk soul to folk country all within the space of a 4 minute song.

Weba Garretson is a veteran of the 1980s in Los Angeles performance art scene. She was a vocalist seminal performance group SHRIMPS, and went on to create the **Eastside Sinfonietta** a band specializing in contemporary arrangements of songs by Bertolt Brecht and Kurt Weill. Ralph Gorodetsky is a self-taught multi-instrumentalist and was a founding member of **Universal Congress Of** (SST Records). As members of Webaworld and Puttanesca, they recorded two albums with **Joe Baiza** (Catasonic Records). Vince Meghrouni is a sideman for the punk, jazz and new music scene playing with **Mike Watt** (Sony Records) **Bazooka** and **Fatso Jetson** (SST Records). Brian Christopherson is member of **Saccharine Trust** (SST Records) and plays with Laura Grissom in the instrumental band **Tune to Me**. Grissom also plays guitar in **Madamn Grislee**.