

Blackwater Bridge

Gary Hassay
alto saxophone
Anne LeBaron
harp, Bertoia sound sculpture

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Blackwater Bridge features internationally renowned classical harpist Anne LeBaron with free jazz veteran Gary Hassay in an intimate musical conversation. They engage one another on the deepest possible musical levels, while anticipating each other's biorhythms with utmost sensitivity.

FORMAT:	COMPACT DISC
TOTAL TIME:	10 TRACKS IN 64 MINUTES
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SELLING POINTS

- ✓ Gary Hassay may be the best alto saxophone player you have never heard of but only because for the past 20 years he has chosen to perform rather than record with a host of jazz heavyweights like Evan Parker, Peter Brötzmann, Fred Frith, Andrew Cyrille, Gerry Hemingway, William Parker, Wadada Leo Smith, George Cartwright, Milford Graves…all of whom have sought out his warm sensitive tone.
- ✓ Anne LeBaron is a composer, harpist, and educator at the forefront of innovation. Her earliest work as an improviser extends back to the early 1970s. She has performed and recorded with leading innovators of jazz, including Muhal Richard Abrams, Anthony Braxton, Derek Bailey, and Adam Rudolph.

MARKETING

- ✓ Featured release at www.drimala.com that receives over 100,000 visitors per month
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