

identity papers

Jeffrey Ethan Lee
voice
Lori-Nan Engler
voice
Toshi Makihara
percussion

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File under spoken word and jazz

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identity papers is the debut recording by poet, Jeffrey Ethan Lee. On this recording, internationally renowned percussionist, Toshi Makihara, joins him along with film and television star, Lori-Nan Engler. This spoken symphony, an extended poem for two voices, was inspired by Jeffrey Lee's experience of being assaulted in NYC followed by his emotional journey through recovery. In these days when we are continuously bombarded by images of terror and suffering on a scale that is hard to get the mind around, **identity papers** reminds us that fear, pain, ethnic hatred, hope, and recovery are still intensely personal emotions, felt by one person, one day at a time.

FORMAT:	COMPACT DISC
TOTAL TIME:	15 TRACKS IN 57 MINUTES
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"Its thrust is soft, quick and razor-sharp." *– Thaddeus Rutkowski, novelist*

"A great music/poetry experience." *– Dick Metcalf, critic*

SELLING POINTS

- ✓ Jeffrey Ethan Lee is one of the bright new Asian-American poets who are writing and talking about life in America with a raw passion that is both refreshing and disturbing
- ✓ Lee's poems have appeared in over 100 magazines and other publications
- ✓ This spoken word project appeals to both literary listeners as well as those who appreciate the close connection between jazz and poetry
- ✓ The complete printed version of *identity papers* is scheduled to be published in 2004

MARKETING

- ✓ Featured release at www.drimala.com that receives over 100,000 visitors per month
- ✓ Monthly advertising in related music magazines, such as *Signal to Noise, Coda, All About Jazz – New York & Los Angeles*
- ✓ Radio service to over 100 leading college and other non-commercial radio stations
- ✓ Festival and concert promotions
- ✓ In-store promotion copies available

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