

Kevin Kastning: *A Connection of Secrets*

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TRACK LISTING

- 1 No Light; But Rather
- 2 Or Why it Came to You
- 3 Before Return and Prior
- 4 Of Grasp and Knowing
- 5 What you thought were alders in the snow...
- 6 ...were fragments of your darkest history
- 7 Silent Mirrors and Remembering
- 8 As Through a Window Circumscribed
- 9 Not Here the Darkness
- 10 Under the Surge Of

BIOGRAPHY

A Connection of Secrets is Kevin's 24th album for Greydisc Records; his third solo album. Kevin attended Berklee College of Music in Boston, and has studied privately with guitar legend Pat Metheny. Kevin has composed over 200 works for various solo and chamber group instrumentations. Kevin has recorded various albums with Alex de Grassi, Michael Manring, Mark Wingfield, Carl Clements, Sandor Szabo, and others.

Kevin is the inventor of the **36-string Double Contraguitar** (see photo at right), **30-string Contra-Alto guitar**, **15-string Extended Classical guitar**, all featured on this album. Kevin is also an artist endorser for multiple instrument and recording equipment companies worldwide, and resides in Massachusetts.

PRESS

- ❖ "Otherworld," Kevin's 2015 solo album, was the No.1 album in the world on the iTunes Classical charts for late September 2015.
- ❖ "Kevin Kastning is a revered guitarist and celebrated acoustic guitar wizard." - *JazzTimes Magazine*
- ❖ "Kevin Kastning earns his spurs once again as the reigning modern guitarist in the country." - *Midwest Record Magazine*
- ❖ "Kastning is a pioneer in modern acoustic guitar composition." - *Yankee Magazine*
- ❖ "Kevin Kastning is the new figure of the American guitar scene; it is not an exaggeration that he is the most modern guitarist now in the US." - *Gondola Magazine* (Hungary)
- ❖ "Kevin is an amazing player; completely original." - Dominic Miller (guitarist with Sting)
- ❖ "Kevin Kastning keeps expanding as a guitar phenomenon...." - *AcousticMusic.com*
- ❖ "Watercolor Sky," Kevin's 2014 release with Carl Clements: 2014 Album of the Year (*AcousticMusic.com*)



THE INSTRUMENTS: 36-string Double Contraguitar, 30-string Contra-Alto guitar, 15-string Extended Classical guitar, Piano

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