



## DAN BLAKESLEE

### Lincoln Street Roughs

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1. Feverlift °
2. Your Spanish Scarf °
3. Hal Kenyon
4. East Early Morning
5. Ladies of the Night
6. He Cannot Take Me
7. Carrie °
8. The Carriage House

° Recommended Tracks

Lincoln Street Roughs is Dan Blakeslee's new long awaited full length. His last proper album (not counting various home recordings) came out in 1999.

In 2003, after having moved to Portland ME from Oakland CA, Ron happened to see Dan walking down the street in Portsmouth NH. They had not seen each other in 10 years.

LSR was recorded by Ron Harrity in his South Portland living room, and in a friend's warehouse art studio in Portland known as The Map Room.

Juliet Nelson (Tigersaw) listened to John Bonham's isolated drum tracks from a Led Zeppelin bootleg before cutting her cello parts.

### Influences / For Fans Of

Leonard Cohen  
Jeff (and Tim) Buckley  
Richard Buckner  
Fred Neil  
Vic Chestnut  
Tom Waits  
Townes Van Zandt  
Johnny Cash

"Blakeslee's music ... sparks images of melted candles in city square vigils, lone tree hills or a shoreline drive at dawn. Blakeslee seems unconcerned with where the songs fall, only that he's tapped into their ghostly essence and emerged with a blinding account of life itself."

— Martin England



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