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#### ABOUT PASQUALE STAFANO

*"A formidable composer with an incisive, unashamedly European, precise and emotion-creating pianism."*

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Pasquale Stafano is one of the most talented pianists of his generation. He plays globally in the main festivals and jazz clubs and theatres and recorded seven albums as leader, the latest three with German label ENJA Records.

With his two latest albums 'Mediterranean Tales' and 'Sparks', produced by Matthias Winckelmann, Pasquale is also confirmed as a great composer and arranger too.

Very structured songs, often composed following the stylistic features of classical music, fluid and interesting improvisation, joyful interplay, pure energy and emotion, Pasquale, with his trio, plays with many influences which come together in one-of-a-kind evolving high-energy and emotional concerts and great recordings.

Creative, romantic and cinematic 'Sparks', the most recent Pasquale's album was largely written and recorded during the Covid-19 pandemic and released in September 2021.

A contemporary jazz album where, merging together jazz and classical influences with a moderate use of electronic sounds, the trio create something of hypnotic, emotional and uplifting. The trio features Giorgio Vendola on double bass and Saverio Gerardi on drums.

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PIANIST COMPOSER ARRANGER

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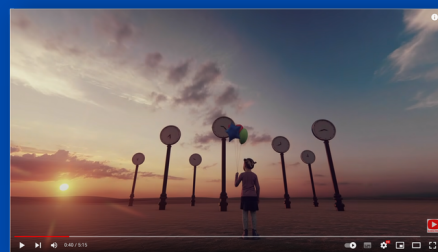
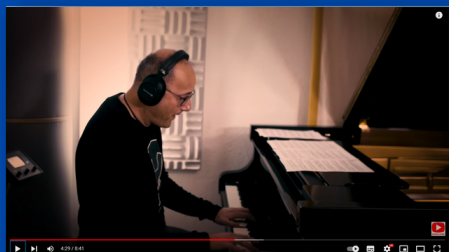
"Sparks will definitely open a lot of ears." – **ALL ABOUT JAZZ**

"An album full of vitality" – **JAZZ JAPAN**

"Lyricism, odd and articulated metric combinations, art rock hints: the late Esbjorn Svensson would have envied him a lot." – **IL MANIFESTO**

"Pasquale has a beautiful piano touch, the songs dance in a powerful rhythm. Sparks is a finest piano trio performance." – **JAZZ LIFE**

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