

iKlezperanto!

re-grooves klezmer

clarinet **Ilene Stahl**

accordion, piano, music director **Evan Harlan**

trombone **Mark Hamilton**

banjo, guitar, mandolin **Brandon Seabrook**

bass **Mike Bullock**

drums, percussion **Grant Smith**

"Clarinetist Ilene Stahl's burning-hot world beat band plays original arrangements of Klezmer and Mediterranean tunes in a bubbling stew of zydeco, funk, New Orleans second-line, rockabilly, cumbia, and Balkan brass band surf music. Klezperanto's irresistible dance rhythms are propelled by an all-star line-up from the vanguard of the Klezmer revival.

"Klezmer is the point of departure, and the sky's the limit. Klezperanto shows you where truly creative minds can take a traditional musical style. This is the most exciting klezmer fusion ever!"

– Hankus Netsky

- 1 Diddley Shmiddley / Kleine Princessin 3:49
 - 2 Skotchne 3:58
 - 3 Rushin' Sher 3:55
 - 4 I Drink to Forget 3:11
 - 5 Tartar Tanz 3:35
 - 6 Rozhinkes Mit Mandlen (Raisins & Almonds) / Oyfn Pripetshik (At the Fireplace) 3:30
 - 7 Lupita 3:41
 - 8 Garsona (The Waitress) 3:41
 - 9 Ay Ya Bibi 2:03
 - 10 Acaj Pene Rakije 5:14
 - 11 Kosher Kabana / Shepherd's Dream 6:25
 - 12 Khevre, Nit Gezogrt 3:22
 - 13 Na Sopkakh Man'chzurii (In the Hills of Manchuria) 4:07
 - 14 A Night In Tunisia / Besaraber Khusidl 3:49
- Total Time 54:50

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 Executive in charge of Naxos World: Andrew Sun
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