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## TANYA EKANAYAKA

THE PLANETS & HUMANITY - PIANO REFLECTIONS

The eight works in this album explore reflections on the eight planets of the solar system and the earth's seven continents. Most bear echoes of traditional melodies originating from indigenous peoples. Largely composed during the Covid-19 pandemic, Tanya Ekanayaka's passionate awareness of the connections and congruences between the past and present is reflected in her vision of harmonious co-existence. In this cycle she presents a tapestry of moods tenderness, fantasy and vivid 'trans-creations' of ancient melodies.

1	NEPTUNE: ASHÁNINKA KINDLED	16:44
2	MERCURY WITH ANTARCTICA	05:11
3	URANUS: NUMBULWAR SUSTAINING	05:50
4	VENUS: SÁMI TRACED	05:22
5	SATURN: GOND INSPIRED	10:12
6	EARTH – LIFE	05:01
7	JUPITER: CREE CAST	05:26
8	MARS: HADZABE TOUCHED	03:58

TOTAL PLAYING TIME: 58:03

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