EP PRESS RELEASE

ALBURN Mouthful of Glass

Artist: Alburn **EP**: *Mouthful of Glass*

Tracks:

- 1. The Nurses Can't Help Me
- 2. Golden
- 3. Mouthful of Glass
- 4. Sweetheart

Release: 25th August 2014 Label: Spilt Lies Records Format: Download/Physical For fans of: Moving Mountains, The Appleseed Cast, Thursday, Brand New



Alburn announce the release of their sophomore EP, *Mouthful of Glass*, out on 26th August 2014 via Spilt Lies Records.

Mouthful of Glass follows on from the 2012 release of their debut EP *Engines*, and sees a genuine growth and positive progression in the songwriting ability and performance of the band.

Exhibiting post-rock elements, as well as an emo-infused sound not dissimilar to classic underground American bands such as **The Appleseed Cast**, **Thursday**, **Jets To Brazil** and **Texas Is The Reason**, Alburn have produced a sound that evokes memories of the mid-to-late 90's Washington DC movement. Opening track 'The Nurses Can't Help Me' sweeps and sways - heavy, laden stop start guitar melodies angrily spit as an interchange of vocals belt out from the speakers and grab you by the throat. 'Golden' showcases the band's ability to execute the quiet / loud dynamic as well as time changes galore and screaming vocals which are all unified by flawless harmonies. While title track, 'Mouthful of Glass', conjures memories of their influences - bands who have been represented by iconic labels such as **Deep Elm Records**, **De Soto** and **Crank!**.

Comprising **Pete Duthie** (guitar, vocals), **Gee MacPhee** (guitar, vocals), **Chris Hunter** (bass) and **Danny Kelly** (drums), initially Alburn was a name Pete and Gee used to release songs under in 2007. However, Danny was approached to play drums in 2012 and, on recommending his friend and bass player Chris to the rest of the band, Alburn were born. *Mouthful of Glass* is the result of months of writing together - the first time the band have written collectively in their current guise - and the writing process has seen the band create a slightly more visceral sound than on their previous release.

Mouthful of Glass was recorded with **Neil Kennedy (Last Witness, Burn The Fleet)** at **The Ranch** and mastered by **Alan Douches (Mastodon, Converge)**. To support the release Alburn will be playing shows throughout the UK as well as playing a launch show with **We Came From Wolves** at **King Tut's** *Rock n Roll Damnation Festival*.

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- Alburn are available for interviews.
- EPK, photos and artwork available upon request
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