

ALBUM PRESS RELEASE

India Mill *Under Every Sky*

Artist: India Mill

Album: *Under Every Sky*

Tracks:

1. Caribesque
2. Morning Song
3. In Motion
4. Way To Fall
5. The Hanging Tree
6. Down Along The Jordan
7. Big Society
8. When She Walk
9. A.L.O.N.E.
10. Come On In My Gun
11. It Don't Please Me
12. This World It Aint Good Looking
13. Green Lane

Release: 24th November 2014

Label: Bold Venture Music / AWAL

Format: Download/Physical

For fans of: Manic Street Preachers, Suede, Art Brut



India Mill release their debut album *Under Every Sky* on **24th November 2014** via **Bold Venture Music / AWAL**.

Collecting a range of influences as diverse as **Oasis** and **Pixies**, India Mill have created something that not only holds true to their political ideals, but showcases the band's ability to take complex, typically downbeat subject matters and create easy to digest foot-stomping tracks.

Debut album *Under Every Sky* fuses both the everyday politics of modern day family life with the turmoil of witnessing Britain's Big Society coming apart at the seams. Darwen's neighbouring Blackburn population has a life expectancy seven years below the UK average, many of the town's children are in care, and radical extremist politics is used to divide previously tight knit working class communities. This is India Mill's homeland, our homeland, this is Britain in crisis, this is The Big Society broken in two...

Caribesque, the first single taken from the album, is a dramatic call to arms, combining the introspective anxiety of **Radiohead** with the seismic swagger of **Oasis**, as India Mill tackle living in the material world. It's the perfect opener for an album, **Al Smith's** vocals elevating the tension to breaking point with **Si Nicholson's** reverb soaked guitar work providing a haunting contrast. The single picked up support from the likes of **Fresh On The Net** who described it as "A *psychedelic slice of existential angst*" and **BBC 6 Music's Tom Robinson** who remarked that the track "sounded *effin' terrific coming through the radio speakers*" when he gave it its second spin at the station.

India Mill take music seriously, taking their name from the biggest landmark and biggest mill in their town of Darwen, one of the most deprived areas of Blackburn. They are four friends who have known each other longer than they haven't, and their goal is simple: to grasp the riot shield and baton in both hands and continue musical empowerment as witnessed by **Stiff Little Fingers**, **The Clash**, **REM**, **Manic Street Preachers** and **Bruce Springsteen**. India Mill is a band that doesn't believe, but knows that politics and music belong together.

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