

QUIET TONGUES

THIS WATER IS WET

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ABOUT THIS WATER IS WET:

Luring the listener in with dreamy guitar and distant vocals, the song quickly kicks into gear. A dynamic, powerful rhythm section sets the tone for this quick-tempo song, with a funky edge, giving space to atmospheric guitars and thoughtful lyrics.

Originally titled 'Wet Water', it started life as a song about stating the obvious. Whilst writing it the song quickly morphed into something bigger than that. It became more of a panicked stream of consciousness. It's about being on the cusp of a breakdown, feeling the burnout, and the only thing keeping you together is clinging onto a belief or something that you believe to be true and holding onto that as a comfort. "Everything else is going wrong but at least I know that this water is wet".

CREDITS:

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Mixed by: Andy Nichol & Drew Mills

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LYRICS

Drips coming from a crack in the ceiling
Steady rate, heady rhythm
My head's leaking
Help me find the source of the bleeding
Tapping into it
Under the influence
Pouring ourselves out of trouble now
We're drowning out

This hole is hollow
Content is shallow
This water
This water
This water is wet

Far too busy to get anything done
Learning to sit with the voice's charms
In odds and evens
We're routinless
Repetition made us feel weakness
If we can't beat this, we can't beat this
There's no use
We need proof
We want truth
It's my pleasure, It's my duty
To stand up here as you lend me an ear
Don't pay any attention away

This hole is hollow
Content is shallow
Absent of doubt
Worried about
Where to begin
This hole's caving in

This water
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This water is wet

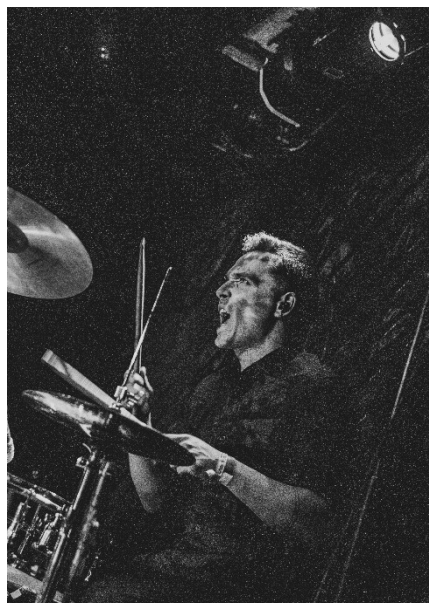
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Quiet Tongues:

With fierce, intricate rhythms, mosaic and dazzling guitars, bittersweet abstract lyricism and an influence ranging from Queens of The Stone Age, Tame Impala all the way to Massive Attack and Talking Heads, Quiet Tongues come with infectious melodic arrangement and a genre-bending sound.

Formed in 2018 under the name Modra Luna, the quartet spent the coming years circuiting the London music scene, playing venues such as Oslo Hackney, The Finsbury, Notting Hill Arts Club and Nambucca. The band took the chance presented by the enforced break in 2020 to set a new direction and rebrand. Returning as Quiet Tongues, the four piece released their debut single, **Ennui** on June 17th 2022. Their feet stomping fan favourite, **This Water is Wet** will hit all streaming platforms on September 23rd 2022. The band continues to work with producer Andy Nichol and will continue to release in the coming months.










Previous press coverage:

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Highlights:

- "Quiet Tongues deliver a masterclass in original songwriting and musical inventiveness... UK bands, take notes; UK listeners, pay attention – here is a band with a bright future." – *Pillar Artists*
- "The infectiousness of the quartet is not merely down to their melodic arrangements but also genre-bending sound." – *Nicole Mendes (Other Side Reviews)*
- "Although this is their debut number, Quite Tongues are one of those bands that nail it as soon as they publish something" – *Thoughts Words Action*
- " *Ennui* is big, bold and charming tones in abundance, you need to get on this band and join the hype train - they could be huge! – Fred Bambridge (It's All Indie)
- "We rarely see this level of perfection of expressions in a band's debut release. I can't wait to hear what they have for us in the future" – *Gave Finch (Illustrate Magazine)*
- "...a timeless sound that borrows from the last few decades of indie and alternative rock in different places to craft something that feels exciting and new [...] Quiet Tongues are just getting started but their likeable sound, fun, intricate rhythms and sense of both the familiar and fresh sets them aside as an emerging outfit to look out for. – *Kieran Rogers (CLOUT)*
- "Quiet Tongues have expertly crafted a sound of their own. A sound that we at Indie Top 39 can't wait to hear more of!" – *Jeremy Bregman (Indie Top 39)*

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