



## KARL STRØMME SONG DUST

*Song Dust* is the first trio recording from trumpeter Karl Strømme. Having toured as a member of the European Union Jazz Youth Orchestra and recorded several albums as a member of the experimental group Peloton, Strømme released *Dynalyd*, for quintet, in 2019. For his NXN Recordings debut he teamed up with exciting young musicians Gard Kronborg on acoustic bass and Per-Arne Ferner on guitar. Listeners will enjoy nods to both West Coast jazz and the Nordic cool, especially through the expressive trumpet playing. A traditional jazz trio would often include a drummer, but you won't miss one on *Song Dust*. In addition to a joyful percussive contribution on *VM* (track 5), all the musicians are given plenty of space and time to create beautiful soundscapes and passages throughout the album.

### TRACKLIST △ □ ○

- 1 Nature Boy
- 2 Opal
- 3 Dance of the Cohort
- 4 Bela Waltz
- 5 VM
- 6 One Two Trees
- 7 0502Y
- 8 Song Dust

### MEET THE ARTIST △ □ ○

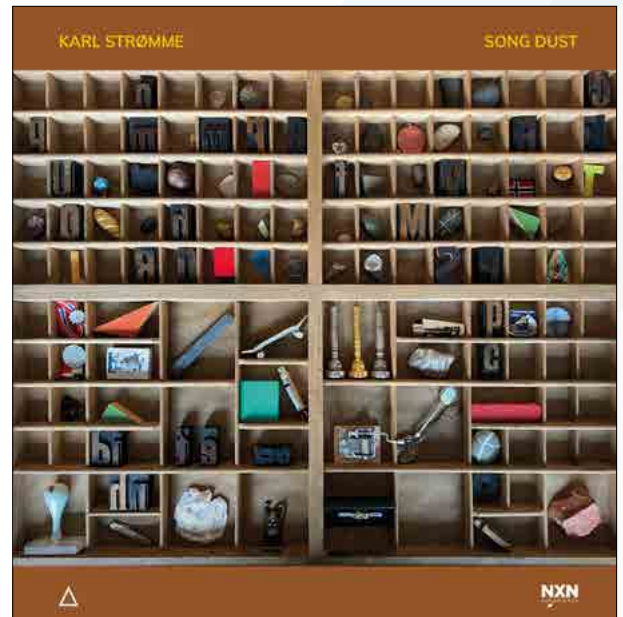
Creative Norwegian trumpeter **Karl Strømme** plays a nuanced brand of contemporary post-bop and avant-garde jazz. Marked by his delicate yet probing sound, Strømme is also recognised for his unique penchant for playing dual trumpet and synth lines. Following his emergence in the late '90s, he made his debut as leader with *Dynalyd* in 2019. Born in 1976 in Bergen, Norway, Strømme began playing trumpet in his youth and went on to earn his music degree from the Norwegian Academy of Music in Oslo and the Rhythmic Music Conservatory in Copenhagen. Privately, he has studied under several Nordic jazz luminaries, including Arve Henriksen, Jon Ebersson and Flemming Agerskov.



### PRESS QUOTES △ □ ○

**'A mellow and laid-back journey through a beautiful, melodic landscape.'**

- *Nettavisen*, NO on *Dynalyd*, 2019



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*Song Dust*



**Karl Strømme**, trumpet, synthesizer,  
percussion, bass

**Per-Arne Ferner**, guitar

**Gard Kronborg**, acoustic bass guitar



Gard Kronborg

Per-Arne Ferner

Karl Strømme

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**Bela Waltz**

