

# PAPER CUTS

AMIT EREZ (GUITAR)

Yael Shapira (CELLO)

A NEW AND INTRIGUING COOPERATION BETWEEN AMIT EREZ, THE APPRAISED AND SUCCESSFUL SINGER/SONGWRITER WITH Yael SHAPIRA, A BRILLIANT AND PROMISING CELLO PLAYER THAT FLIRTS WITH ROCK AND POP MUSIC ON THE ONE HAND AND WITH CLASSICAL MUSIC ON THE OTHER. THE NEW SHOW, THAT HAS THE SAME NAME AS THE LAST SONG IN AMIT'S LAST ALBUM, INCLUDES SONGS FROM ALL OF HIS FOUR ALBUMS, IN DIFFERENT ADAPTATIONS THAT GIVE THE KNOWN SONGS SURPRISING TWISTS AND REFRESHING ELEMENTS.

## Yael SHAPIRA:

Yael HAS RECENTLY COMPLETED WITH HONORS HER FIRST DEGREE IN CELLO STUDIES AT THE TEL AVIV UNIVERSITY MUSIC SCHOOL. AS PART OF HER STUDIES SHE PLAYED CONCERTS AROUND THE COUNTRY AND OVERSEAS UNDER THE BATON OF THE GREAT ZUBIN MEHTA. SHE ALSO PARTICIPATED IN DIFFERENT PROJECTS WITH THE ISRAELI PHILHARMONIC ORCHESTRA.

Yael IS THE WINNER OF THE ISRAEL- AMERICA CULTURAL FUND SCHOLARSHIP BETWEEN THE YEARS 1991 TO 1999. SHE HAS PLAYED WITH SOME OF THE MOST SUCCESSFUL ARTISTS IN ISRAEL.

## AMIT EREZ:

WITH TWO ALBUMS, AN EP AND A DIGITAL ONLY ALBUM COMPILATION THAT WAS RELEASED IN EUROPE, AMIT EREZ IS WITH NO DOUBT ONE OF THE MOST IMPORTANT AND PRODUCTIVE ARTISTS IN THE LAST FEW YEARS IN ISRAEL.

AFTER BUILDING A REPUTATION IN HUNDREDS OF ACOUSTIC AND ELECTRIC CONCERTS AMIT IS ABLE TO STABILIZE HIS STATUS AS A DOMINANT FIGURE IN THE CONTEMPORARY ISRAELI MUSIC. HE BRINGS ORIGINALITY AND EMOTIONS INTO HIS PHENOMENAL SONGWRITING THAT IS EMPHASIZED BY HIS PERFECT CONTROL OF HIS ACOUSTIC GUITAR AND HIS HEART-PIERCING VOICE.

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