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Album cover

California, January 11, 2016: Symphonic cellist, Irish traditional harpist, and composer Laura Olson has released her new album **Moon Trees and Sun Seas** on her own Blue Steer Studios label. Now available on CD and digital download.

**Moon Trees and Sun Seas** is her fourth New Age album in a line of cinematic style music works. Previous albums were *Mossflower Country: Inspired by the Tales of Redwall*, *Border Guardians of Ackernon: Soundtrack* of the High Fantasy web series, and *Gypsy Road* featuring the popular song *Black Hounds*. Part classical, part synthesized, Laura Olson has been nudging her listeners to greater frontiers of serious fantasy music. Her instrumental songs take us to far-away places in musically rich landscapes where you can expect to hear dark and haunting Celtic melodies, quick-tempo sparkly winter themes to sunny and heroic ocean themes.

**Moon Trees and Sun Seas** features Laura on many solo instruments. Her background in Celtic music shows when her 36 string wire harp adds metallic bell-like effects to "All That Glitters" and the electric cello plays melodies alongside the wood flute in "Quiet Sky". Laura also like to do things on a grand scale as was evident in her past televised concert production *Kid On the Mountain* and this album is no different. Many of the tracks are what you'd hear from a big-budget film score or video game with musical moments and events for the imaginative listener. These influences are revealed in "The World Torn Into Halves" or "Healed By An Aqua Garden".

**Moon Trees and Sun Seas** is sure to delight listeners of New Age, Electronic, and Instrumental music. Its inclusion in online radio playlists across the globe has started and a staged show is in development and planned for the future in California.

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