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**ACCLAIMED INDIE-FOLK GROUP DARLINGSIDE TO RELEASE
WHIPPOORWILL ON OCTOBER 7TH**

**SPECIAL EP INCLUDES B-SIDES & OUTTAKES FROM THE
BAND'S ALBUM *BIRDS SAY***

“...locomotive folk-pop confections so richly executed it’s hard to tell if it’s one voice or 12...they evoke both the likes of Guster and Crosby, Stills & Nash with a diehard earnestness, mixed with the symphonic chug of a string band.”

- Rolling Stone Country

Nashville, TN - Eclectic folk-quartet Darlingside has announced the release of *Whippoorwill*, a five song EP which will be released digitally on October 7th. Building on the success of their highly acclaimed album *Birds Say*, the band decided to release the B-sides and outtakes from those recording sessions which have become staples of their live shows. In conjunction with the release of the EP, Darlingside is also revealing a video for “Blow The House Down”. In typical Darlingside fashion, the animated video, a recurring theme for the multi-talented band members, was created from over 3,000 real hand-shot photographs of tea lights taken in a dark room. Click [HERE](#) to view. The band is currently on tour, and has plans to be recording their next studio album in 2017. For a full track listing from *Whippoorwill* see below.

Darlingside’s modern styling of indie-folk has resonated with both fans and critic’s alike across the country. The band has been the subject of a ‘Talk of the Town’ feature in *The New Yorker*, (Read [HERE](#)) and *NPR Music* premiered their gorgeous and expressive video for the song “God of Loss” (View [HERE](#)).

“This is fresh, vital and organic acoustic music that’s pure and mysterious.” – **AMERICAN SONGWRITER**

“...rooted in traditional music but has a very subtle experimental mentality that gives the music a quirky charm of its own.” – **POPMATTERS**

“...one of the great albums released this year.” – **HUFFINGTON POST, 2015**

This fall, Darlingside will be touring with supporting duo Frances Luke Accord who will join them onstage as the 5th and 6th members of the band. For a list of upcoming Fall tour dates please see below.

Whippoorwill Track Listing

Whippoorwill
Fourth Of July
Open Door
Blow The House Down
1979

DARLINGSIDE 2016 FALL TOUR DATES

October 6 – **Nashville, TN** – The High Watt **
October 7 – **Asheville, NC** – Diana Wortham Theatre
October 8 – **Silk Hope, NC** – Shakori Hills Grassroots Festival
October 9 – **Decatur, GA** – Eddie's Attic ++ **
October 13 – **Chicago, IL** – Old Town School of Folk Music
October 14 – **South Bend, IN** – LangLab **
October 15 – **Ann Arbor, MI** – The Ark **
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October 18 – **Pittsburgh, PA** – Club Café **
October 20 – **Washington, DC** – The Hamilton **
October 22 – **Brooklyn, NY** – Rough Trade **
October 23 – **Cambridge, MA** – The Sinclair **
November 3 – **Seattle, WA** – Triple Door **
November 4 – **Seattle, WA** – Triple Door **
November 5 – **Portland, OR** – Alberta Rose Theatre **
November 6 – **Bend, OR** – Tower Theatre **
November 9 – **San Francisco, CA** – Great American Music Hall **
November 10 – **Los Angeles, CA** – Bootleg Theater **
November 12 – **Phoenix, AZ** – Valley Bar **
November 13 – **Tucson, AZ** – Club Congress **
November 15 – **Albuquerque, NM** – The Cooporage **
November 18 – **Denver, CO** – L2 Arts & Cultural Center **
November 19 – **Austin, TX** – Cactus Café **
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November 26 – **Northampton, MA** – Academy of Music Theatre

++ = two shows

** = joined by Frances Luke Accord members

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