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**TURNPIKE TROUBADOURS HIT MILESTONE WITH SELF TITLED THIRD
ALBUM DEBUT AT #3 ON COUNTRY CHART AND TOP #20
ON BILLBOARD TOP 200**

**HIGHLY ANTICIPATED NATIONAL TOUR ANNOUNCED IN SUPPORT
INCLUDING STOPS IN NEW YORK & LOS ANGELES**

"...the Oklahoma band's steady rise in popularity has come precisely because it doesn't take the obvious route." – **American Songwriter**

"Armed with songs about love, loss and life in the Sooner State, the country rockers have built one of the fiercest followings..." – **Rolling Stone Country**

Nashville, TN - Acclaimed Oklahoma band Turnpike Troubadours have achieved their highest chart debut ever with their self-titled third release. *The Turnpike Troubadours* (Bossier City/Thirty Tigers) reached #17 overall on the *Billboard* Top 200, #3 on the *Billboard* Country Albums Chart, and #2 on the Independent Albums Chart. What makes these numbers even more impressive is the fact that despite a massive following, Turnpike Troubadours have flown relatively under the radar, achieving success as true independents. *Playboy Magazine* wrote that they are "wrenching country music out of a staid rut and turning it into something else entirely" and *Noisey* writes that the new album is "more mature with a few lessons learned, but still ready to raise some hell". The new album premiered exclusively via *Noisey* along with a full-length interview. Click [HERE](#) to read/stream.

Not only are Turnpike Troubadours a force to be reckoned with everywhere from Colorado to Texas to Oklahoma, they regularly headline venues ranging from 1,000 to 4,000 across the country. They have sold out The Troubadour in Los Angeles and will be returning to LA on October 7th performing at The El Rey Theatre. In New York City they'll be returning to headline the Highline Ballroom. For a full list of the band's extensive tour schedule please see below.

Turnpike Troubadours put on one of the most fiery live performances you'll ever see, however it's their great songwriting that truly sets them apart. The new album contains 11 original songs featuring the quintet's signature blend of roots, rock, folk, and raw country played with grit, passion, and authenticity.

Standouts include the compelling storytelling skills of lead vocalist Evan Felker showcased in “Bird Hunters” and “The Mercury”.

Click [HERE](#) to view *Wall Street Journal's* Exclusive song premiere of “The Mercury”.

Click [HERE](#) to view *Texas Monthly's* exclusive song premiere of “The Bird Hunters”.

Turnpike Troubadours are building massive success with their DIY attitude, honest and clever songwriting, instrumental process and hard work. Do yourself and a favor and don't overlook them.

Turnpike Troubadours Tour Dates 2015

- October 3 – **Las Cruces, NM** – Southern New Mexico State Fair & Rodeo
- October 4 – **Tucson, AZ** – The Rialto Theatre
- October 5 – **Tempe, AZ** – The Marquee
- October 7 – **Los Angeles, CA** – El Rey Theatre
- October 8 – **Solana Beach, CA** – Belly Up Tavern
- October 9 – **Fresno, CA** – Strummers
- October 10th – **San Luis Obispo, CA** - SLO Brewsky Festival
- October 11 – **San Francisco, CA** – Slim's
- October 20 – **Baton Rouge, LA** – Varsity Theater **
- October 21 – **Oxford, MS** – The Lyric **
- October 22 – **Birmingham, AL** – WorkPlay **
- October 23 – **Atlanta, GA** – Centerstage **
- October 24 – **Athens, GA** – Georgia Theater **
- October 25 – **Macon, GA** – Cox Capitol Theatre **
- October 27 – **Bristol, TN** – Paramount Center for the Arts **
- October 28 – **Charlottesville, VA** – Jefferson Theater **
- October 29 – **Raleigh, NC** – Lincoln Theater **
- October 30 – **Charlotte, NC** – Amos Southend **
- October 31 – **Rocky Mount, VA** – Harvester Performance Center **
- November 3 – **Boston, MA** – Wilbur Theater **
- November 4 – **New York, NY** – Highline Ballroom **
- November 5 – **Philadelphia, PA** – Trocadero **
- November 6 – **Baltimore, MD** – Ram's Head Live **
- November 7 – **Silver Spring, MD** – Filmore **
- November 14th – **Helotes, TX** – Floore's Country Store
- December 26th – **Tulsa, OK** – Cain's Ballroom

** - With The Black Lilies

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