

This Accident of Being Lost: A Journey Through Songs and Stories

Laura Marling's sixth studio album, *This Accident of Being Lost*, is a collection of songs and stories that explore the themes of loss, grief, and redemption. The album was released in 2018 and has been praised for its raw honesty and emotional depth.

The album's opening track, "Alexandra," sets the tone for the rest of the album. The song is a slow-burning ballad that tells the story of a woman who has lost her lover to war. The lyrics are spare and haunting, and Marling's voice is filled with emotion.



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The rest of the album follows a similar path. The songs are all about loss, but they are also about the hope of redemption. In "The End of the Affair,"

Marling sings about the pain of a broken heart, but she also finds comfort in the fact that she is still alive.

In "The Valley," Marling sings about the beauty of the natural world and the comfort it can provide in times of grief. The song is a reminder that even in the darkest of times, there is always hope.

This Accident of Being Lost is a powerful and moving album that explores the complex emotions of loss and grief. Marling's songwriting is superb, and her voice is both beautiful and expressive. The album is a must-listen for anyone who has ever experienced loss or heartbreak.

The Songs

The songs on This Accident of Being Lost are all beautifully written and performed. Marling has a gift for crafting melodies that are both haunting and memorable. The lyrics are also very strong, and they tell stories that are both personal and universal.

Some of the standout tracks on the album include:

- **Alexandra:** The album's opening track is a slow-burning ballad that tells the story of a woman who has lost her lover to war.
- **The End of the Affair:** This song is about the pain of a broken heart, but it also finds comfort in the fact that the singer is still alive.
- **The Valley:** This song is about the beauty of the natural world and the comfort it can provide in times of grief.
- **Only the Strong:** This song is a powerful anthem about the strength and resilience of the human spirit.

- **Held Down:** This song is a beautiful and heartbreaking ballad about the pain of loss.

The Stories

In addition to the songs, *This Accident of Being Lost* also includes a number of spoken-word stories. These stories are all about loss and grief, and they provide a deeper insight into the album's themes.

The stories are all very well-written, and they are read by Marling in a voice that is both intimate and powerful. The stories add an extra layer of depth to the album, and they help to create a more complete picture of the album's themes.

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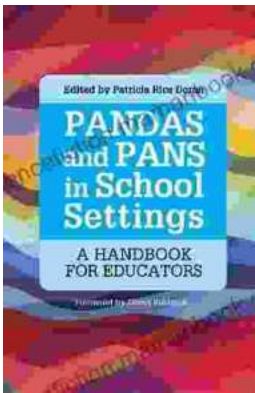
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