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Nubya Garcia by Danika Lawrence ([high res](#))

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Nubya Garcia shares details of new album *Odyssey* & releases lead single *The Seer*

Nubya Garcia has shared details of her forthcoming new album, *Odyssey*.

Alongside today's news, Garcia has also released rousing and energetic lead single, *The Seer* - watch the official visualizer online now.

The Seer reflects Garcia's efforts to find clarity. "*Wishing that you could get a peek at the future,*" she says, "*or even just gathering some guidelines in your own future so that you could know that you're on the right path.*" Whilst the song is about trying to catch a glimpse of the future, the music - with its ominous piano chords, stampeding drum break and blazing saxophone - charges forcefully to the unknown.

Odyssey - set to be released on 20th September via Concord Jazz - is, as the title suggests, an ambitious, epic journey of an album. In a largely male-dominated scene, Garcia has carved herself a prominent space and she invites other brilliant Black female musicians to join her for this adventure, namely; esperanza spalding, Richie Seiwright and Georgia Anne Muldrow. *Odyssey* is produced by Garcia and returning collaborator Kwes.

Describing the overarching theme behind the project, Garcia says; "It represents the notion of truly being on your own path, and trying to discard all the outside noise saying you should go this way or that way." It's also inspired by life's ever-changing, ever-continuing adventure, the

twists and turns of living. Musically, the album finds Garcia orchestrating strings for the first time, having fallen back in love with composition and then painstakingly studied a vast array of orchestral sounds. The bigger, bolder result is a widescreen soundscape that traverses jazz, classical, R&B and dub. *Odyssey* follows Garcia's widely celebrated and Mercury Music Prize nominated 2020 debut, *Source*, and is available to pre-save and pre-order [here](#) - the artwork and track list are included below.

Nubya Garcia is a multi award-winning artist. She has toured extensively, playing venues and festivals across Latin America, Asia, Europe, Australia, and the United States. Her reputation as a DJ is also burgeoning; she helmed a popular radio residency on NTS, and plays a growing number of live sets across Europe. Garcia has collaborated with major brands such as Lululemon, Paul Smith, Labrum, Nicholas Daley and Burberry, and as a composer, her original music has been placed with Apple TV (*Ted Lasso*); OWN Network (*Cherish The Day*); FX TV (*Atlanta*); EPIC GAMES (*Fortnite*); and on multiple podcasts (including the theme tune for Anika Noni Rose's Clio award-winning podcast *Being Seen*).

Odyssey track list:

01. Dawn feat. esperanza spalding
02. *Odyssey*
03. Solstice
04. Set It Free feat. Richie
05. The Seer
06. *Odyssey* (Outerlude)
07. We Walk In Gold feat. Georgia Anne Muldrow
08. Water's Path
09. Clarity
10. In Other Words, Living
11. Clarity (Outerlude)
12. Triumphance



Odyssey album artwork ([high res](#))

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