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In trying the handwritten notes thing! It seems easier somehow! More — expediant?

So

I've talked alot about alot of these artists already! So ~ maybe I don't need to get all overly repetative?

It's the English teacher in me!

"See the previous notes"

"We have other things to get to!"

(Etc)

↳ so on!

(So)

with all that said ~>

TNB / Best of 24

Lucas
unplugged
[single]

(+) Jesse re-issue

AK3

Hot Water (+) Chuck (F) Split

Godgrass

Horse Funeral

Rad Owl

Kendrick (2)

Kim Deal

Beth Gibbons

Kim Gordon

Jesse - Argentina (+) Silver Pat.

(+) Ryan Adams

Jesus Lizard

Knocked Loose (?) Is hardcore
mainstream?

Green Day

Blink

Jack White

Joel Plaskett...

An excuse
to listen to
a bunch
of these

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As per the previous page, I'll
maybe just shout out a
few "in the moment"
observations ~

① RIP Slim Dunlap ~ a
killer in his own right ~
Minneapolis legend
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② The new Alkaline Trio LP  
has grown on me / It is  
as strong a set of  
songs as they've ever put  
out!

③ Jesse Natin floored me this  
year. His song and visual  
for Argentina are an affirmation  
of the power of the human  
spirit ~ and music ~  
PMA

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④ You can't deny Hot Water Music.

The split w/ Quicksand was/is  
heavy as fuck. Which is  
awesome ✓

⑤ Frankie Stubbs is one of my  
favorite artists of all time ~

gravitas, depth ~ lyrics which  
imply novels, music that  
rattles you from the inside —

I've always loved the [Jesse]  
and [Pope] releases —

it's excellent all the Jesse recordings  
were put out with care —  
as part of a wider re-issue  
campaign thru Little Rocket  
Records

→ Well done everyone involved!

⑥ David from Rad Owl (MPLS)  
is the nicest dude in the world!  
Exactly one day older than me!

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⑥ Rad Owl's Barge Gracefully release is literally for anyone who enjoys heavy music. It's enjoyable AF.

⑦ Horse Funeral ~ AKA ~ Chris Bose ~ based in Kamloops ~ has a wide range of music which I tend to think of as being in a folk music idiom. Chris is a multi-disciplinary Indigenous artist with strong ties to his nation and the wider community. All his projects are worth checking out. I'd recommend starting w/ the Horse Funeral [Bandcamp]

⑧ Jon Spedgrass Barge at Will is so rad. David from Rad Owl plays with Jon pretty often. Bill Stevenson plays on this and produced it and it's so fucking great. (?) listen to. Jon is a maverick.\*

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(9) Lucero seem like they're firing on all cylinders! Lots of well-attended shows, as per 16. And Ben Nichols and Rick Steff have an unplugged rendering of songs from across the Lucero song book coming out in January — with a couple of singles released ~~all~~ already!

(10) You can't talk pop music ~ or any music this year — without mentioning Kendrick. In going to take some time at some point and take it all in at once — for an artist of his magnitude these releases are a lot to process! He is a legit literary genius.

(Post Script)

Thanks to anyone /  
Everyone who has checked  
out the TNB ~ even  
if sporadically or just  
once or whatever!

Much gratitude & respect!

= Rock Power & Eva"  
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