

South for Winter



Recommended If You Like:

The Civil Wars, Shovels & Rope,
Shakey Graves, The Crane Wives,
& The Lumineers

***also available as a trio or four-piece with drums*

BIO:

With a blend of dreamy acoustic duets, foot-stomping folk and bluesy murder ballads, New Zealand-formed and Nashville-based South for Winter's sound is as eclectic as their origins. At the core of the band are New Zealander Nick Stone and Coloradan Dani Cichon, and together the two multi-instrumentalists and songwriters combine storytelling lyricism with haunting harmonies, fingerstyle guitar, foot percussion, mandolin, and swamp resonator into a genre-bending sound described by American Songwriter as "impeccable".

SOCIAL MEDIA & ACCOLADES:

- Has gained over 50,000 followers across social media sites since October 2024
- Over 1 million streams on Of Sea and Sky since 2024
- Semi-Finalist in 2025 Shoals City Showdown
- Finalist for "Best Group/Duo" in the 2023 International Acoustic Music Awards
- Semi-Finalist in the 2023 and 2022 International Songwriting Competition
- Official Showcase Artist at SXSW Music Festival in 2023
- Official Showcase Artist at Folk Alliance International in 2024 & 2022
- "Most Wanted" Artist at Falcon Ridge Festival in 2019

PRESS QUOTES:

"Laden with delicate harmonies, intricate guitar-work and earthy vocals...impeccable sound" - American Songwriter

"Must-see artist" - No Depression Magazine

"...An ethereal, dreamy, journey sharpened with an underlying aggressive blues-edge... A journey well-worth taking" - AmericanaUK

MEMBERS:

- DANI STONE (Colorado, USA): Vocals, mandolin, acoustic guitar, tambourine, shaker
- NICK STONE (Christchurch, NZ): Vocals, acoustic guitar, electric guitar, resonator guitar, suitcase stomp

RELEASES:

- Strings Sessions (EP, Coming in Fall 2025)
- Live From New Zealand (Album, 2025)
- Of Sea and Sky (Album, 2024)
- Acoustic Sessions (EP, 2023)
- As You Wish (EP, 2022)
- Luxumbra (Album, 2020)
- How the Mountain (EP, 2018)

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS:

- HEADLINING TOURS: The USA (2025-2018), New Zealand (2025), Belgium (2025 & 2024), the UK (2025), The Netherlands (2025), Germany (2025 & 2024), Canada (2025, 2022, & 2021), Poland (2024 & 2023), Luxembourg (2024)
- NOTABLE FESTIVALS: Gooikoorfs (Gooik, Belgium: 2025), TSB Festival of Lights (New Plymouth, New Zealand: 2025), Beaver Island Music Festival (Beaver Island, MI: 2025), Mile of Music Festival (Appleton, WI: 2021-2024), , South x Southwest (Austin, TX: Official Artist 2023), Meadowgrass Festival (Black Forest, CO: 2021 & 2023), Lake Orion Music Festival (Lake Orion, MI: 2023), Falcon Ridge Festival (Goshen, CT: 2024), Cornelia Fort Pickin' Party (Nashville, TN: 2024), Shawano Folk Festival (Shawano, WI: 2024), Woodstock Folk Festival (Woodstock, IL: 2022), Cumberland Arts Fest (Vancouver, BC: 2022 & 2019)
- HAS PERFORMED ALONGSIDE: Rainbow Girls, Sawyer Fredericks, Sista Strings, The Arcadian Wild, Buffalo Nichols, The Accidentals, KILA, Damn Tall Buildings

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