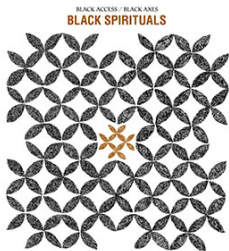


## Brainwashed - Brainwashed Premiere-Black Spirituals "Reconciliation"

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This week *Brainwashed* and [SIGE Records](#) are proud to premiere "Reconciliation," ( [MP3 download here](#) ), a song from the upcoming 2xLP by Black Spirituals entitled *Black Access/Black Axes*

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The pairing of Zachary James Watkins (guitar and electronics) and Marshall Trammell (percussion) have created another masterpiece, and their final collaboration in this arrangement. Reclaiming the core fundamentals of jazz and rock and roll, but completely recontextualizing them in a distinctly modern framework, Black Spirituals are an entirely unique entity in the world of experimental music. While *Black Access/Black Axes* is a multifaceted and varied album, "Reconciliation" is an excellent summation: Watkins generates a constantly building squall of noise and distortion, but never lets his guitar be lost in the mix, as Trammell deliberately enters the frame, transitioning from subtle cymbal accents to sharp, cracking snares that pierce powerfully through the psychedelic haze. To call the dynamic intense would be a serious understatement, culminating in a brilliantly heavy, ecstatic crescendo that is nothing short of amazing.

*Black Access/Black Axes*

is presented in a deluxe 2xLP gatefold record, limited to 300 copies, and will be released July 6, 2018 via

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