

CALEB DAVID BARGER

Indie Alt Rock | Portland, Oregon

"Building a middle ground between 90s alternative grit and the cleaner, melodic layers of 2000s indie."

Biography

Caleb David Barger builds his sound using analog warmth and digital precision. Working from his Portland studio, he focuses on creating indie-rock tracks that feel expansive but grounded, balancing textured guitar layers with pop-influenced melodies and beats.

While his roots are firmly planted in the raw energy of 90s alternative, Caleb's production style pulls from the more atmospheric indie movements of the 2000s and 2010s. His approach is defined by treating the studio as an instrument, layering specific tones to find a sound that feels familiar yet distinct. The result is a cinematic, honest backdrop designed to give listeners room to think while the music does the heavy lifting of sustaining the mood.

Press & Reviews

Atmosphere & Vocals

- **"Caleb David Barger sings like smoke hovering over slightly crooked guitars... You'll hum it during your own survival days."**
- *Mitxoda (Belgium)*
- **"A song as dense as it is intimate... gripping us with its authentic way of sounding."**
- *Chavininha (Brazil)*
- **"Nice sunlit mood."**
- *OldBandtee*

Groove & Energy

- **"We really liked the tight groove... strong guitar riffing is ace."**
- *Sounds of Sam / Bolo*
- **"Really loved how rhythmic... a dynamic alt rock treat."**
- *Lili's Music Hub / Last Day Deaf*

The Craft

Gear

Fender American Ultra Strat
Fender Super Reverb
Wampler Tumnus Deluxe
BOSS BD-2W Blues Driver

Production

Logic Pro
Software Processing

Influences

90s Alt (Grunge/Grit)
2000s Indie (Melody)

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