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## **SURLY DAVE AND THE WALLABIES ARE:**

David Monti - All Vocals, Rhythm Guitar & Bass (all tracks), Lead Guitar - Wide Eyed Aaron, Remembering Amy

## **WALLABIES**

Frankie Monacella - Rhythm & Lead Guitars - Short Sighted, Too Soon, Truth Is A Lie; Sweet Alyssa (solo); Additional Bass - Truth Is A Lie

Jason Gelb - Rhythm & Lead Guitars - Carry On, Without You: Background Vocals on Carry On Ed Stauber - Rhythm & Lead Guitar - Unbroken, Short Sighted Acoustic; Invisible (solo), Too Soon (solo), Remembering Amy (ambient guitar)

**Aaron Monti - Drums** Alyssa Monti - Saxophone Solo - Too Soon **Joey Vana - Additional Percussion** 

\*\*\* Special Guest Wallaby! Eric Bazilian - Guitar Solos on Truth Is A Lie

**Eric Bazilian appears courtesy** of http://ericbazilian.com/ & http://www.hootersmusic.com





SURLY DAVE AND THE WALLABIES use: ALM, Ernie Ball Musicman, Fender, Gibson, Cort, and Gretsch Electric Guitars, Guild Acoustic Guitars, Fender and Gibson basses, Ernie Ball strings and picks, Legend Picks, Dunlop picks, Blue and CAD microphones, Digitech Pedals, Ludwig drums, Sabian cymbals, and Zildjian cymbals and sticks.

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and The People's Republic of Wonderful Sounds, Brookfield, IL

Final Mix by Joey Vana at JTV Music, Willowbrook, IL

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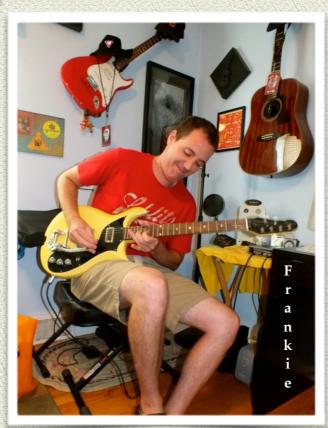


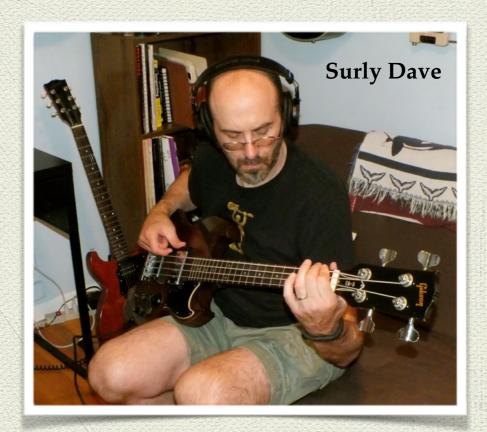












SHORT SIGHTED **WIDE EYED AARON (Instrumental) CARRY ON** WITHOUT YOU TOO SOON **UNBROKEN SWEET ALYSSA (Instrumental)** TRUTH IS A LIE INVISIBLE **REMEMBERING AMY (Instrumental)** 

> **BONUS TRACK SHORT SIGHTED (Acoustic)**



Surly Dave The Wallabies

In Memory of Amy, Renee', Aaron S., Patrick, Lee, and Will - all taken from us too soon... Orcas in the Fog Cover Art by Isabel Monti, Cover Design by Surly Dave and Denny "X-Factor" Ryan All photos by Surly Dave and Brenda Monti, Layout by Surly Dave Mosaic photo from Kleinigs Hill Lookout, Victor Harbor, South Australia **Produced by Surly Dave** 

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