JON SASS´
SOULUBA
BAND
BREEZE OF LIFE
featuring JONNY SASS

This CD is a journey rooted in a sound of the bass tuba and voice. The music is a mix of gourmet food for the soul in a blend of generations. The **tuba player** and **singer** of the band are **father** and **son**, who set out to share their musical worlds. The formation and music are both original, blending a range of stylistic vocabularies flavoring the music, from Jazz, Funk, R&B , Latin and Carribean elements yet, sets its own niche.
SOULUBA mirrors seeds planted from recent generations of singers in Jon's family. For Jon, there is without a doubt a connection between his musical bond with Jonny and Jon's father, a lead Gospel singer who he has never met.
Having grown up in Harlem, New York City at a time where the quality of creative integrity and the high humanity generated from the music of 60's & 70's remains, as a strong influence for Jon's vision with the band . Although technology is strongly connected to the lifestyle of today's younger generations, music shared, can be a space where the inner child of all generations and cultures meet, sing and speak, planting seeds for generations to come .
"It was fun making the recording and I want to first thank the musicians for every note and emotion we shared together! As well to our technician Reinhard Brunner aka Bux for your focus and gift with those great set of ears ".
Jon's imitable approach and soulful sound on the tuba has given him a truly unique solo career, being one of the most innovative tubists in the world who have their own musical niche together with Jonny, an amazing talent as singer - songwriter have clearly found a unique and rich music here with **SOULUBA.**

THE SOULUBA BAND

JON SASS . tuba . rap

JONNY SASS . vocals . E-bass

JULIAN BERANN . drums

ELDIS LA ROSA MONIER . sax . flute . percussion

CHRISTIAN BAKANIC . keyboards . accordion

I dedicate this music to the memory of my mother Panthie Sass,
father Jimmy Tex Townsend, aunt Winona Johnson and uncle Lawrence F Hopper.
This music is in tribute to all those who are fighting for the preservation of nature's creativity and who are making a difference in the world for High Humanity!
Much love to my children Aisha, Timna and Jonny and to all my Sass & Hopper family relatives.

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1 . Fantasia . Jonny Sass and Cohen Yusha . 3:51
Jonny Sass . Vocals, Jon Sass . Tuba, Christian Bakanic . Keyboard . Vocals
Eldis La Rosa Monier . Percussion, Julian Berann . Drums

2 . Half of a Golden Heart . Jonny Sass . 4:01
Jonny Sass . Vocals . E-bass, Jon Sass . Tuba, Christian Bakanic . Keyboard
Eldis La Rosa Monier . Flute, Julian Berann . Drums

3 . Walk Inside . Jon Sass . 4:19
Jon Sass . Tuba, Christian Bakanic . Accordion, Jonny Sass . E-bass
Eldis La Rosa Monier . Soprano Sax . Percussion, Julian Berann . Drums

4 . If I Make It Home - Interlude . Jon Sass and Jonny Sass . 1:35
Jon Sass . Tuba, Jonny Sass . Vocals

5 . Breeze of Life . Jon Sass and Jonny Sass . 4:59
Jon Sass . Tuba, Jonny Sass . Vocals, Christian Bakanic . Keyboard
Eldis La Rosa Monier . Percussion, Julian Berann . Drums

6 . Scudaboot´s Dance . Jon Sass . 4:21
Jon Sass . Tuba, Jonny Sass . Vocals . E-bass, Christian Bakanic . Keyboard . Accordion
Eldis La Rosa Monier . Percussion, Julian Berann . Drums

7 . Where is the Sun . Jonny Sass . 5:09
Jonny Sass . Vocals . E-bass, Jon Sass . Tuba

8 . Blue Lights . Jon Sass . 4:11
Jon Sass . Tuba, Christian Bakanic . Accordion, Jonny Sass . E-bass
Eldis La Rosa Monier . Flute . Percussion, Julian Berann . Drums

9 . Found . Jonny Sass and Cohen Yusha . 5:13
Jonny Sass . Vocals . E-bass, Christian Bakanic . Keyboard, Julian Berann . Drums

10 . Bassblowaz Club . Jon Sass . 2:36
Jon Sass . Tuba, Christian Bakani . Keyboard, Jonny Sass . Vocals . E-bass
Eldis La Rosa Monier . Sax . Percussion, Julian Berann . Drums

11 . Slide . Jon Sass . 2:22
Tuba . Jon Sass

12 . Whence . Jonny Sass . 4:51
Jonny Sass . Vocals . E-bass, Eldis La Rosa Monier . Flute

total time . 47:33

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