

a grape dope

A grape dope submits with humble gratitude his latest record entitled "Missing Dragons" to be released on the label Galaxia from farthest Santa Cruz. A grape dope (known forthwith as AGD) is the beat-oriented, slow jam-and-otherwise selector (after some stumbling) brain damaged child of John Herndon. Mr. Herndon spends the majority of his time spinning yarns for the groups Tortoise, Isotope 217, and the Eternals. AGD finds joy in the sounds between the cracks. Inspired by the breath of a two-headed garbage dog and their fearless mistress, AGD found beats where there were none, sorrow in our collective happiness, and vice versa.

Star through, up, in the middle, and back. Boys rock your girls; last night a square dance caller saved my life.

a selected discography:

Tortoise-Standards. Thrill Jockey

Tortoise-TNT. Thrill Jockey

Tortoise-Millions Now Living Will Never Die. Thrill Jockey

Tortoise-Gamera. Duophonic Records

Tortoise-Tortoise. Thrill Jockey

Isotope 217-Who Stole The Walkman. Thrill Jockey

Isotope 217-Utonian Automatic

Isotope 217-The Unstable Molecule. Thrill Jockey

John Herndon- producer of Pelo by The Aluminum Group. Hefty Records

John Herndon- part of group show "Bitstreams" at the Whitney Museum NYC

A Grape Dope-Immediate Action 12". Hefty Records

A Grape Dope-Remix of Tommy Guerrero on 'Junk Collector'. Mo Wax Records

A Grape Dope-Remix of Trans Am. Thrill Jockey

A Grape Dope-Remix of While. Chocolate Industries

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...and many others over a 20 year musical career- the above being most recent.

john herndon