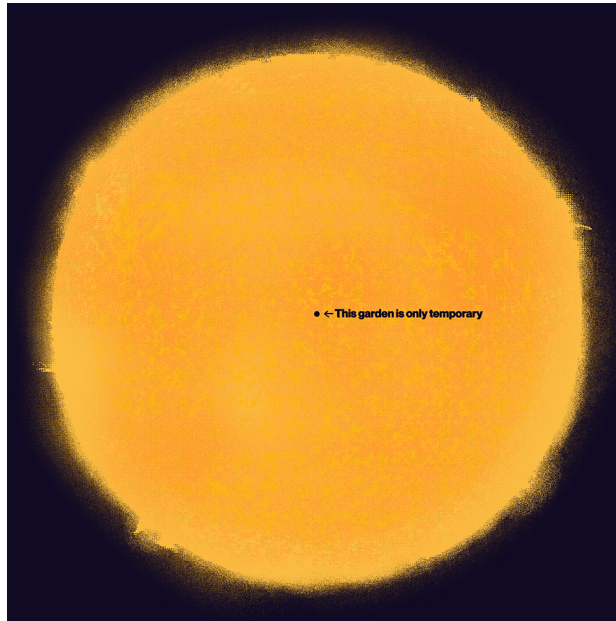


PRESS RELEASE

# ANDY WHITE

NEW ALBUM + JANUARY UK TOUR

‘This garden is only temporary’



*“One of the finest songwriters of his generation”* **Dave Haslam, R2 Magazine**

*“Breathlessly edgy and somehow heroic”* **Colin Irwin, FRoots**

*“I love this man and his music.”* **Janice Long, BBC Radio**

*“Rave On? Too right, Mr White.”* **Tony Clayton-Lea, Irish Times**

Irish singer-songwriter Andy White releases new album [This garden is only temporary](#) on January 28, 2022, with January UK tour dates (details below).

Andy met LA producer Steve Dierkens whilst he was touring Canada and the two hit it off immediately. The songs on the album were created in Calgary, Melbourne, and Belfast and feature Andy’s long-time collaborator Rod McVey on keys and Kent Macrae on drums, resulting in an impressive album, full of soaring guitars and killer melodies.

“Arriving. Meeting. Home. Leaving. Tiny movements we make on a planet spinning around the sun. This garden is only temporary.”

First up is the first single [Another Sunny Day](#), due for release on all platforms Friday November 26th. Radio edit: [Another Sunny Day \(Edit\)](#).

*“Arriving. All dressed up in white, when the city’s wearing black. Eden is open and St Peter wears a mask. Anything is possible”* ANDY WHITE

Andy White’s first EP *Religious Persuasion* and 1986 debut album *Rave on Andy White* kick-started a career which includes twenty albums, two books of poetry and a novel. Writing with Peter Gabriel, forming ALT with Tim Finn and Liam Ó Maonlaí, touring the world many

times over with his acoustic guitar, and winning Ireland's top music awards, Andy has lived in Belfast, Dublin, Switzerland and, currently, Melbourne. During the 264-day lockdown Andy livestreamed, wrote and recorded, regularly releasing tracks on [Bandcamp](#) and clips on his [Youtube channel](#). These included live performances of the albums *Kiss The Big Stone* and *Himself*, lockdown anthem *Stay at Home*, a song written to support a favourite Italian club, *Empty Streets of Florence*, a track for the Jackie Leven tribute album *The Wanderer*, and a second volume of rarities, *Rarer*—as well as a video series *Two Guys Not Touring* with his son Sebastian, who will join him on drums for the UK tour.

### **ANDY WHITE - THIS GARDEN IS ONLY TEMPORARY - TRACK BY TRACK BY ANDY WHITE**

**Another Sunny Day** - All dressed up in white, when the city's wearing black. Eden is open and St Peter wears a mask. Anything is possible.

**Tell it How You Feel** - Chuck Berry in the sunshine. Sweet Jane on a street corner. You got to tell it how you feel.

**Everything's Turning White** - A poem about the inevitability of one afternoon. It was in the tea leaves and the playing cards.

**Get it Right This Time** - You can travel when you're asleep. That's where you meet people from your past and get to do it again a different way.

**Not so Far Away** - Some things are within reach when you think they're not. "There's always someone affirming the significance of a song ... by getting through the night." *L. Cohen*

**I Miss You** - Actors, poets and spiders have a lot in common. They all like Jim Morrison, Gene Vincent and tartan skirts.

**Take me Back Home** - The smell of French pancakes can take you where you want to go.

**Shine a Light** - There's never a last wave, you both keep waving as you each disappear. A good luck charm.

**Goodbye my Friend** - Alarms, clocks, bells and notifications. One of you keeps waving as the other disappears.

## **UK TOUR DATES**

**For interview, images, and guest list requests please get in touch.**

Fri Jan 7 BELFAST [The American Bar](#)  
Sat Jan 8 BELFAST [The Sunflower](#) \*\* SOLD OUT \*\*  
Sat Jan 15 LONDON [The Mildmay Club](#)  
Mon Jan 17 BRIGHTON [The Greys](#)  
Wed Jan 19 BIRMINGHAM [Kitchen Garden Café](#)  
Thur Jan 20 LEEDS [Northern Guitars](#)  
Fri Jan 21 COATBRIDGE [Georgian Hotel](#)  
Sat Jan 22 EDINBURGH [The Traverse Bar](#)  
Sun Jan 23 GLASGOW [The Doublet](#)  
Mon Jan 24 HAWICK [String Theory](#)  
Wed Jan 26 LONDON [The Fiddler](#)

updates: <http://www.andywhite.com/tour>