

**ARTIST:** NORDVARGR  
**TITLE:** In Oceans Abandoned By Life I Drown...  
To Live Again As A Servant Of Darkness  
**CATALOG:** ESS008  
**LABEL:** ESSENCE MUSIC  
**FORMAT:** CD  
**LENGTH:** 49:28  
**RELEASE DATE:** June 8th, 2007  
**PACKAGING:** 6-panel digisleeve  
**PRESSING:**

**TRACKLIST:**  
1. in oceans abandoned by life I drown...  
2. ...to live again as a servant of darkness



The Nordic giant purveyor of modern dark ambient death drone sounds strikes again on Essence Music!

This time Mr. NORDVARGR, man of many projects - **MZ.412**, **Folkstorm**, **Toroidh**, not to mention the successful collaboration with **Merzbow** - leaves behind the detailed abyssal land of haunting minimalistic atmospheres found on **"Vitagen"**, released under his full name – Henrik Nordvargr Bjorkk – and moves towards the blackest side of the drone doom micro cosmos.

A grim place where, sitting on the throne, he commands the crushing, ear splitting and slow motion processed guitar blasts that emerge from the depths of the pitch black ambience background. Cavernous rumbles, disembodied voices and disturbing malfunction machines play the role and prepare the terrain for one of the most demonic axe attacks to come!

Presented in our custom **6-panel digisleeve** packaging with stunning artwork by **Stephen O'Malley** (Sunn O))), Khanate) and photography by **Seldon Hunt**.

#### **WORDS ON PREVIOUS RELEASES:**

"Planets imploding struggling to be heard through the deadness of space. A barely there smear of subsonic thrum, gorgeously serene, like a peaceful boat trip, drifting lazily down a river of black pitch, through the blackened caverns of the underworld. Definitely one of the most evocative, and brilliantly bleak collections of drone musick in recent memory!"

**Aquarius Records**

"Stunning in its scope and power this recording reminds you why music is such a powerful aphrodisiac. Henrik Nordvargr Bjorkk. We who are about to buy your latest offering thank you and salute you once again."

**Aural Pressure webzine**

"I am numb. I am assimilating to the otherworldliness of this environment. There is no turning back I find myself standing on the precipice of an abyss. The void of space is no longer silent. The tinkering of inhuman beings continue. Adjustments are made. I have been retrofitted with the equipment necessary for survival. I am imbued with knowledge that goes deeper than the intellect will allow verbal expression. The outlanders depart, leaving me on this brutal planet to continue my work. Again I am alone, but now with a gnosis of inexpressible profundity. There could be no other way."

**Chain DLK webzine**

#### **SELECTED DISCOGRAPHY:**

- **AWAKEN**  
CD  
(Code 666/Eibon, Italy, 2002)
- **ON BROKEN WINGS TOWARDS VICTORY**  
CD  
(Old Europa Cafe, Italy, 2004)
- **THE DEAD NEVER SLEEP**  
CD  
(Old Europa Cafe, Italy, 2005)
- **VITAGEN**  
CD limited to 800 copies  
(ESSENCE MUSIC, Brazil, 2004) - sold-out

#### **PROMOTION:**

**Promotional copies sent to web and print music publications and radio stations worldwide.**