



"3 Stars!! – Sharp and Clear.....at her most clever, Sharp always leads with her heart and comes across as a performer worth getting to know."

– USA Today



"Maia Sharp: A Songwriter Set To Arrive"

– NPR's "All Things Considered"



"a nifty power-pop record that could be her breakthrough...studded with hard-to-resist hooks, 'Echo' trades the folk and jazz elements that colored Sharp's earlier records for a rocked-up take on the classic California singer-songwriter sound."

– Boston Globe



"John Q. Lonely" might make you doublecheck the writing credits to make sure they don't read "Lennon/McCartney" – honest and true....in another time and in another place, *Echo* would be playing in dorm rooms everywhere come fall, for sure. Maybe it will ... it deserves to be." –

– Jam Bands.com



"Maia Sharp conjures the allure of yesteryears Brill Building luminaries....Sharp wields her crisp, alluring choruses like a temptress; listeners will surely be ensnared. Her tear-soaked lyrics and high-cresting melody conspire for a finely crafted lesson on invincible pop."

-Billboard



"...her finest release to date, an album whose rootsy songwriter pop crackles with shrewd insight, keen writing and a strong dose of carpe diem."

– Nashville Scene



"The songs [on *Echo*] reveal a woman with a richly mature sound, a distinctive edge and a superb voice...Sharp's melodies are consistently engaging and her lyrics are clever...in a smart fashion that reveals more provocative layers with each repeated listen."

– The Springfield Republican



"A potpourri of pop, country and rock with hints of jazz, mixing banjos and mandolins with cellos and violas to produce a sound that's polished without being slick. Sharp's free-wheeling approach recalls the spirit of Dylan's pre-motorcycle crash songs."

– No Depression



".... one of the smartest songwriters out there."

– Performing Songwriter