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Queer Out Here is an audio zine that explores the outdoors from queer perspectives. Our second issue will be released in mid-October 2018. You can read more about the zine on the Queer Out Here website: https://www.gueerouthere.com.

Preview link

If you've somehow stumbled across this transcript and want to find the audio file, it's here: https://www.queerouthere.com/listen/issue-02-preview. Total length: 1:35.

Content notes

We don't think there's anything to flag up in this preview. If you notice anything we've missed, please send us an email so we can add a note here.

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[Ocean waves]

Jessica: This is Queer Out Here.

[Ambient music and a crow cawing]

Julia: I felt like I'd failed.

Max: We got lost.

[Soft, crackly footsteps]

Fenrir: It started raining last night -

Max: We couldn't even hear each other speak.

Fenrir: - and it's barely let up today

Lise: For society you have to be boy or girl and not both.

Mary Ann: The world is in this horrible tornado.

Lise: You need to choose.

Julia: No one wants to fail.

[Twittering birds]

Mary Ann: I wish I could write about just the pleasure of sitting here...

[Splashing water fades up]

Mary Ann: ... and looking at these ripples and looking at these clouds, [voice gets softer] different versions of water...

Dru: We brushed the dew off meadowsweet and butterbur, grown shoulder high.

Mags: To a little spot called Lady's Well -

Fenrir: The lake is steaming.

Mags: - A holy well.

[Ambient music softens]

Mary Ann: The air is just so good.

Lise: I walk, step by step -

[A wave crashes]

Lise: - Take a break, walk again

Jaye: Because, you know, we deserve to be there as much as anyone else.

Dru: Making home here for a few more days.

Max: And then I pulled out the rings and I said -

[Background noises stop]

Max: "Will you marry me?"

Jaye: And I said, "I think I'm gonna throw up!"

[Music, crows, twittering birds and kookaburras cut in, loudly]

June: Yeah, so I'd never done it as a kid, and...

[Footsteps]

Mary Ann: Everywhere you look.

June: ... sometimes you have to acquire the taste for it.

Chrissy: It is like this wave of euphoria, because you, you really are, you feel you can change the

world.

Mary Ann: There's just space, there's nobody.

Julia: What you did -

[Crow caws]

Julia: - Is amazing.

[Tweeting birds fade out]

Emily: You're listening to Queer Out Here.

[Ambient music fades to the end]

Allysse: Issue Two is coming soon.

Jonathan: Visit queerouthere.com