**“STORYBOOK PSYCH POP” (FADER)** **SONGWRITING PARTNERS PURR UNVEIL NEW SONG “STM” ( VIA ANTI-), A COUNTERPOINT TO AN EMOTIONAL JOURNEY THAT BEGAN WITH THEIR NEW SONG “MANY DAYS” RELEASED LAST MONTH**

**WATCH THE VISUALIZERS FOR THESE PERFECTLY ATTUNED NEW SINGLES BELOW:**

[**“STM”**](https://youtu.be/IqwVSSHYi-I)

[**“MANY DAYS”**](https://youtu.be/wdT4PpUSD8U)

**PRAISE FOR PURR’S 2020 DEBUT *LIKE NEW***

*"Nostalgic sunshine pop"* - **Stereogum**

“*Steeped in dream pop and late 1960s and early 1970s AM radio… infectious melodies, sophisticated arrangements, gorgeous harmonies and enigmatic lyrics*” - **Forbes**

*“With a sound that is reminiscent of a 1960’s folk group like The Mamas & The Papas, Purr is honoring the organic genre of American Folk while putting their own unique twist on it.”* **– American Songwriter**

*“Purr write sunny indie pop for people weary about what the future holds.”* ***- AdHoc***

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Today, Purr, the project of songwriting partners Eliza Barry Callahan and Jack Staffen release “STM,” an honest and courageous folk-pop track showcasing the duo's unadulterated, harmonizing voices over inviting and breezy guitars.

“STM,” serves as a counterpoint to and continues the brave emotional journey of recent single “Many Days,” a vulnerable and honest profession of hanging onto something that perhaps one should let go of but can’t—a faith in a foggy, fading, changing love.

“STM” is the next chapter, Eliza says it’s a song *“about reversing out of a life, a love, a dream…”*

Eliza, who is just finishing an MFA at Columbia University and a novel project, expands on the meaning and influences behind these new songs in a personal essay for the TalkHouse, read that [here.](https://www.talkhouse.com/reference-library-how-aimee-mann-and-andreas-gursky-inspired-a-purr-song/)

**Watch the visualizer for “STM” here:** [**https://youtu.be/IqwVSSHYi-I**](https://youtu.be/IqwVSSHYi-I)

**Watch the visualizer for “Many Days” here:** [**https://youtu.be/wdT4PpUSD8U**](https://youtu.be/wdT4PpUSD8U)

Eliza and Jack met as young children, though never became friends until high school when a shared music teacher suggested that they try making music together. Just after the two had graduated high school they wrote a song and began their first musical project under their own names, Jack and Eliza. In 2018, they closed the book on Jack and Eliza and started a new project under the moniker Purr and released their debut LP, *Like New* (ANTI-), in late February 2020, which FADER called “storybook psych-pop with old school New York charm.” *Like New* established Purr as undeniably timeless songwriters with their distinctive harmonies spinning at center.

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