



# Resting Bell

**RB083** Offland Anniversary EP



## Tracklist

1. Arrival
2. Practice
3. Ceremony, part 1
4. Streams
5. Ascent
6. Of Height
7. Ceremony, part 2

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## Description

Similar to my previous release, Commute, which was an exercise in revisiting a past experience, the Anniversary ep is an exercise in revisiting a moment of time. Parts of my wedding were documented with field recordings. This included pre-ceremony unpacking / chatter / music, post-ceremony celebration / music, and a hike up a mountain. This material became the album's skeleton. The guitar and French Horn were extracted from the original field recordings.

I decided to honor the original rural conditions for playing music at my wedding and record the release with acoustic instruments only. The result is a group of dusty organic pieces that sonically represent a mountainous hike in mist and the day's memories, as far as weather conditions will let you go. A french horn bellows and the distance on an early May day in northern New Hampshire.