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RÖYKSOPP TEAM UP WITH ASTRID S ON NEW *PROFOUND MYSTERIES* INSTALMENT [*BREATHE*](https://royksopp.lnk.to/breathe)

FEATURING THE EXTRAORDINARY [*I HATE MY SHELF*](https://royksopp.lnk.to/shelfEm)SHORT FILM BY ACCLAIMED DIRECTOR ANDREAS NILSSON

[*PROFOUND MYSTERIES*](https://profoundmysteries.royksopp.com/)

AVAILABLE FROM 29TH APRIL, 2022

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05. [Breathe](https://royksopp.lnk.to/breathe) - available 23rd March 2022

[Artefact](https://www.dropbox.com/s/izttzxa6tio4gkj/Breathe.tif?dl=0) and [visualizer](https://royksopp.lnk.to/breatheYo) by Jonathan Zawada

[I hate My Shelf](https://royksopp.lnk.to/shelfEm) directed by Andreas Nilsson

Röyksopp have teamed up with Norwegian singer songwriter Astrid S on this new instalment from their *Profound Mysteries* project, *Breathe*.

***“I have always wanted to collaborate with Röyksopp, they have been and continue to be a huge inspiration for me. I’m really excited for the music to finally come out!” - Astrid S***

Alongside the effervescent electronic beat-driven [*Breathe*](https://royksopp.lnk.to/breathe) featuringice cool vocals from Astrid S,the *Profound* *Mysteries* creative world grows with a new artefact and visualiser from artist Jonathan Zawada, this time in the form of a vivid blue industrial design with black feathers.

The *Breathe* film [*I Hate My Shelf*](https://royksopp.lnk.to/shelfEm) adds to the visual adventure, directed by award-winning and internationally acclaimed Swedish filmmaker Andreas Nilsson (Kanye West, 2 Chainz, MGMT). Nilsson, known for his visually dynamic sense of humour, is a long time Röyksopp collaborator having previously worked on short films for their albums [Junior](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Vb7oMf9YJJ4opp/), [Senior](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qi8oUqkPYio) and the music video for [This Must Be It](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=61lgtPPpXCo). *I Hate My Shelf* is a compulsive watch, set in a hotel corridor with a woman, a man and a spinning shelf.

A bespoke immersive [*Breathe* AR Filter](https://royksopp.lnk.to/ig-filterEm) based around the *Profound Mysteries* trefoil logo has launched today on Röyksopp's Instagram account. The filter was developed by [Somewhere Systems](https://somewhere.systems/), the immersive web agency responsible for the ‘Press R’ landing page.

*Profound Mysteries* is an expanded creative universe and prodigious conceptual project brought to you by Röyksopp, featuring a host of audio-visual collaborators.

On January 1st, 2022 Röyksopp launched the film [*(Nothing But) Ashes…*](https://royksopp.lnk.to/nbaEm)and fans were encouraged to [Press «R»](https://royksopp.lnk.to/press-rEm). Alongside the Kasper Häggström-directed short film [*BJA*](https://royksopp.lnk.to/bjaEm), a second piece of music, [*The Ladder*](https://royksopp.com/pm-track/the-ladder/), was released.

A new artefact and visualiser, created by Jonathan Zawada, brought the music to life. On 2nd February, following the premiere of [*The Downfall* by Marc Reisbig](https://royksopp.lnk.to/the-downfallEm), another chapter was revealed with [*Impossible*](https://royksopp.lnk.to/impossibleEm) featuring Alison Goldfrapp — the first human voice to be heard on *Profound Mysteries*. A third artefact and visualiser expanded the hyper real collection. On 22nd February another short film was released; [The Conversation](https://royksopp.lnk.to/the-conversationEm) from award winning Danish director Martin De Thurah, a previous Röyksopp collaborator (*Do It Again* and *What Else Is There*), followed by [*This Time, This Place*](https://royksopp.lnk.to/tt-tp), featuring vocals from creative polymath, conceptualist and film director Beki Mari. All elements are accessible through the [Profound Mysteries portal](https://royksopp.lnk.to/press-rWe).

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Download photos [here](https://www.dropbox.com/sh/xm6qejnuvtzgse9/AAAtBTiBNWxlvMv84Jruzhp1a?dl=0)

Credit: Stian Andersen



04. [This Time, This Place](https://royksopp.lnk.to/tt-tp) - available 23rd February 2022

[Artefact](https://www.dropbox.com/s/gmhi9tf1zr3tpw8/ThisTimeThisPlace.jpg?dl=0) and [visualizer](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6UXQd8ExjEg) by Jonathan Zawada

[The Conversation](https://royksopp.lnk.to/the-conversationEm) directed by Martin De Thurah



03. [Impossible](https://royksopp.lnk.to/impossibleEm) - available 2nd February 2022

[Artefact](https://www.dropbox.com/s/f4xdzptsaew1rk6/Impossible.jpg?dl=0) and [visualizer](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ljnxZypkjn0) by Jonathan Zawada

[*The Downfall*](https://royksopp.lnk.to/the-downfallEm)directed by Marc Reisbig



02. [The Ladder](https://royksopp.lnk.to/theladderEm)

Available 13th January 2022

[Artefact](https://www.dropbox.com/s/m1o26ns6znd1qi6/TheLadder.jpg?dl=0) and [visualizer](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=s_f1Msn608c) by Jonathan Zawada

[*BJA*](https://royksopp.lnk.to/bjaEm) directed by Kasper Häggström



01. [(Nothing But) Ashes…](https://royksopp.lnk.to/nothing-but-ashesEm)

Available 1st January 2022

[Artefact](https://www.dropbox.com/s/ka6ykvms70y8ll9/NothingButAshes.jpg?dl=0) and [visualizer](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IjH4h2QZ5n0) by Jonathan Zawada

[(Nothing But) Ashes..](https://royksopp.lnk.to/nbaEm). directed by Röyksopp

*Profound Mysteries* will be available from 29th April 2022. Pre-Order *HERE*.\*

\*Formats - CD and cassette only, vinyl to be announced

01. (Nothing But) Ashes...

02. The Ladder

03. Impossible

04. This Time, This Place…

05. How The Flowers Grow

06. If You Want Me

07. There, Beyond The Trees

08. Breathe

09. The Mourning Sun

10. [Press «R»](https://profoundmysteries.royksopp.com/)

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