

Also out this month

Lamkin: Versions & Variants Across the Northern Hemisphere (Death Is Not the End) is a fascinating cassette and Bandcamp-only release, unearthing previous unreleased field recordings of the bloody murder ballad from archives across the US, Ireland and the UK. Many different, raw and rousing versions twitch the bones, from singers aged between 29 to 93. Another anthology just out on the label, of guttural, mid-century Greek rebetika recordings, **A Cloudy Dawn**, is also fantastic.