



LUKA

A DEBUT RELEASE ON MONOMYTH RECORDS, LUKA ANNOUNCES THE GHOSTLY BERCEUSE 'PLAY THING'.



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RELEASE NEW SINGLE
'PLAY THING'**

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Written by **LUKA**

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Her first song on Leeds indie label, Monomyth Records, LUKA releases a calming, yet striking single, 'Play Thing'. 'Play Thing' substantially explores themes of control and manipulation, and the resilient emancipation from these melancholy settings. Play Thing is a track of 3 minutes and 53 seconds, each section building dynamically by using profound synths to create rhythm and construct its vast, amalgamated soundscape.

Luka says: 'I woke up with the lyrics and melody for the first two lines in my head and wrote them in the notes on my phone. I spent the next day working out the chords and writing the rest of the song on my dad's, very out of tune, piano. I worked on Play Thing on Garageband, figuring out the structure and instrumentation. I wanted the vocals to be the focus of the song, beginning by layering lots of harmonies over the melody line, keeping it acapella in the beginning.'

It turned into a song about allowing somebody to have too much control over you and your emotions, and deciding it needs to change. This is a theme that I can relate to. Too often we are unkind to ourselves, allowing people to treat us badly in what we like to call love. I hope hearing these lyrics may feel familiar, something I think lots of other people will be able to relate to as well. Knowing we deserve better, and having a little dance to celebrate.'

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