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Music Review: Marillion - Somewhere Else

Marillion returns three years after their epic, widely lauded *Marbles* concept piece with another self-produced album. While no one seriously expects them to top such a feat, all ears are curious as to how they attempt to follow up what many now consider to be the unexpected peak of their 25 year career.

Marillion spent their career in the 80s carving out a niche in the resurrected prog movement of the period, aping much of the territory that *Genesis*, *Yes*, and Gentle *Giant* had already covered so well a decade before. By the end of the decade, things would change drastically with the departure of their lead singer, the poetically-gifted choke-throated Fish, who would be replaced by Steve Hogarth, wh brought to the band a more traditional pop-rock style of singing - not to mention the sensibilities of such a singer.

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