

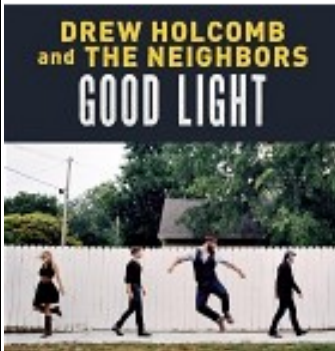
Review in The Daily Telegraph



Jack Omer's debut album, *The Music of Joanna*, is an assured work and a promise of fine things to come. The Hertfordshire-based singer, who is doing a PhD at Kings College on Anglo-Jewish anti-Zionism, uses strong musicians (including Neil MacColl and Kate St John) on a well-produced record. The melodies are strong

and inviting, as on the opening track *Something Wicked This Way Comes*, and Omer has a good voice. With *Strange Are The Ways* and *The Golden Shore*, he also shows he can write interesting songs.

Jack Omer: The Music of Joanna (Sospiro Records)



Another album worth flagging up to fans of Americana is *Good Light* by **Drew Holcomb and The Neighbors**. He can sing, he can play and he can write. *Tennessee*, *What Would I Do Without You* and *You Can't Take It With You* are powerful songs.

Drew Holcomb and The Neighbors: Good Light (Magnolia Music)