

10 tracks from this issue's best new albums + 5 bonus tracks exclusively with the September 2026 issue of *Songlines*

TOP OF THE WORLD SELECTION

- 01 **Arun Sood & Angeline Morrison**
 'A Ríbhinn a Bheil Cuimhn' Agad' (5.14)
Donn/Dubh (Real World X)
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- 02 **Diana Baroni & Ensemble Vedado**
 'Quemallama' (4.31)
Madre Selva (Paraty)
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- 03 **Galant, tu perds ton temps**
 'J'ai un beau corps / Reel d'alouette' (2.33)
Sur le faite (La Tribu)
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- 04 **Gaoussou 'Sobra' Kouyaté**
 'Sadjona' (3.12)
Sobra Dance (One World Records)
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- 05 **Sir Richard Bishop**
 'Postcoital Serenade' (3.56)
Hillbilly Erotica (Drag City)
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- 06 **Paolo Angeli & Tenore Muraless de Orgosolo**
 'Paradura' (4.02)
Vinti 'e Maju (Anma Productions)
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- 07 **Orquestra Pacifico Tropical**
 'Entre La Montaña' (3.54)
El Poder (OPT)
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- 08 **WCIA**
 'Do Rana' (7.51)
Wiwaty (Rozdroża)
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- 09 **Ryan Young**
 'Jenny Dang the Weaver' (4.04)
In the Quiet After (Ryan Young)
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- 10 **Mahan Mirarab**
 'Jina' (4.55)
Unspoken (ACT Music)
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+ HIDDEN TRACKS

- 11 **fra fra**
 'Death Can Come at Any Time' (1.57)
(Glitterbeat Records)
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- 12 **Bhutan Balladeers**
 'Cry For My Husband to Return' (4.16)
(Glitterbeat Records)
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- 13 **Comorian**
 'The Smallest Country in the World (We Are Ancient)' (2.45)
(Glitterbeat Records)
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- 14 **Famo Mountain**
 'I Miss My Wife, She Left to Find Work in South Africa' (4.10)
For Those Left Behind (Glitterbeat Records)
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- 15 **Oman Bagpipe Singers**
 'Bring the Food & Water, the Voyagers Have Returned' (8.59)
Songs of returning and leaving (Glitterbeat Records)
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