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Dreaming of Whales by composer/singer Christel Veraart & director Sebastian Jobst
World Premiere at Sedona's Illuminate Film Festival

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Sedona based composer and singer Christel Veraart, recipient of multiple composing grants and film industry awards, will present her sound healing ***Dreaming of Whales*** at the Illuminate Film Festival in Sedona, following the screening of German director Sebastian Jobst's film *Ama'ara – Song of the Whales*.

It was at director Sebastian Jobst's invitation that Christel Veraart created a sound healing to follow the screening of his poetic film that tells the story of spiritual singer and healer Marina Trost, who follows her calling to cross oceans and save whales in order to create a new and loving relationship between humans and these majestic beings. When Christel saw this film for the first time, Marina's wish to communicate with the whales gave her goosebumps, as the two women share not only being vocalists but also the whales' call.

Inspired by Christel's music, Sebastian Jobst created a beautiful short movie that features both director Sebastian Jobst's and composer/singer Christel Veraart's strengths. It allows for a deepening of the audience's experience, and, in line with ILLUMINATE's vision, hopes to inspire lasting transformation and awareness.

The mood and theme of a song are what make it interesting, and Christel Veraart has this unique knack of imbibing the whole atmosphere around that theme while composing her music. It feels like she picks you up and transports right in the middle of that sonic flow—you feel the whole of your being wrapped in it [...] - Vivek Kumar, New Music Alert

Full Review: <http://bit.ly/dreamingofwhalesreview1>

To read more about Christel Veraart's ***Dreaming of Whales***, please visit:
<https://christelveraart.com/dreaming-of-whales/>

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