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Anemo

Single - Pray

Play 90 second soundbite of 'Pray' @ 'CD quality'

With strong words and strong feelings, Anemo hope that this latest single release, 'Pray', will open up a few hearts and minds to matters that we should all care about. Tackling the topic that doesn't seem to want to go away, war and its massive knock on effect on people, politics and places (to name just a few), 'Pray' looks at conflict and loss and the blatant futility of it all. Written from deep within and performed with belief and commitment, 'Pray' is hard-hitting and well worthy of massive exposure.



'Pray' is contemporary rock music at its most compelling; not only do Anemo absolutely nail the song, they hit the spot with their words about conflict, morality and sacrifice. Inspired by the story of John Simpson, the BBC World Affairs Editor, 'Pray' doesn't pull too many punches as Anemo "pay tribute to all those who have lost their lives reporting the reality of war" and voice their views through the medium of pop/rock - hoping to at least make people review their own opinions and

perhaps motivate others into doing something positive about the futility and pure waste of what's going on in this crazy world of ours.

So, 'Pray' has a message but it's also a great piece of modern rock music that once again finds Anemo in fine form. Superb female vocals, distorted bass, punctuative drums and crashing guitar chords are gloriously pulled together to form an impressive, 'big' but not 'brash' sound. 'Pray' has anthemic qualities and certainly with the songs' topic Anemo may have penned a timeless venue rattler that I can see them reproducing in the live scenario for a while to come. Two versions of 'Pray' are included here, the second, 'Pray (Ropey Remix)' showing that Anemo are not pure rocksters and know how to reach out to the dance fraternity too.

Anemo deliver 'Pray' with typical energy and well honed musicianship; regardless of the sentiment, 'Pray' is a great single and deserves to do well. I also hope that people take heed of Anemo's words and stop to think about the dreadful loss and heartbreak associated with war and any type of conflict. Good work again by Anemo - great sentiment and brilliant 'now' rock music.



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