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Pop Rock



CA RECORDS - Bringing a little bit of southern hospitality to her West Coast pop sound, singer songwriter Carolann Ames will make a whole lotta music fans happy with her 2012 album *Laurel Canyon Road*. A solid backing band gives Ms. Ames a fresh sound but the center is really on her amazing sounding voice, which kind of sounds somewhat like 1980's pop superstar Marti Jones, almost to a startling degree. Of course Marti Jones was influenced by vocalists like Jackie DeShannon and Dusty Springfield and in some ways Ms. Ames offers a 21st century modern pop equivalent of those unmistakable voices. While the accent is on her voice and her well produced songs, there's a good down home Americana sound on *Laurel Canyon Road*. www.CarolannAmes.com