

RACHAEL SAGE: SELECTED PRESS QUOTES

"Genuine talent...Sage has a knack for writing melodies that will break your heart...Where there's poignancy there's also subtlety, unforced passion and knowing observation" **RollingStone.com**

"a witty lyricist and an adept composer...heartfelt and revelatory" **iTunes Review**

"Billy Joel's gotham zing and brashness...spiked with neatly twisted takes on long-relationship dilemmas" **MOJO**

"Her keen ironic sense of humor and quirky sense of the profound is what makes her special as a songwriter...Sage is the stitch between the great rock and pop traditions of the past and what those traditions have wrought in the hypermodern world of the present." **Billboard**

"the Carole King of her generation....Sage is easily the match for any master, either past or present." **BLURT MAGAZINE**

"She writes a fantastic hook...She very much reminded me of Dylan in the way she approaches her work." **Phil Ramone**

"...rich vocals, sparkling piano and yearning poetry" **Time Out New York**

"a uniquely rebellious style as quirky as it is passionate – the quintessential East Village Renaissance woman." **Keyboard**

"a great gift...of incredible talent and beauty." **Judy Collins**

"Sage is one of those frighteningly diverse talents who would easily make the rest of us feel inadequate if she wasn't so darn charming" **The Washington Post**

"relaxed and confident...warm, slightly off-kilter charm" **No Depression**

"Smart, piano-driven songs that forge a resonant mixture of pop, folk and jazz, with a vocal delivery that conveys stark and yearning emotion." **CMJ**

"genuine and compelling...a tattered vulnerability and quiet resolve." **M Music & Musicians**

"Even when Sage's mellifluous voice reveals deeper and darker hues, (it) has vibrancy and beauty." **Boston Herald**

"a muscular and hugely talented pop songwriter" **Uncut (UK)**

"*** (Four stars): Rachael Sage displays a wealth of songwriting talents...a unique sound that will capture and intrigue" **Maverick (UK)**

"Dexterous and haunting work, scored with dark emotional hues, rich chromatic chordings and surprising, adventurous changes. Musically sophisticated and accomplished..." **Philadelphia Daily News**

"lovely and literate...folk-pop-rock, socially aware and eclectic" **The Village Voice**

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