

5-Track - "perfectly normal music"

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OBLATIONS TO A DIGITAL MUSE by 5-Track



Meanwhile, back at Green Acres, that cantankerous old San Fran backporcher 5-Track has just issued forth an excellent cassette-only album entitled OBLATIONS TO A DIGITAL MUSE, a remarkable collection of lo-fi home funk somewhere between Sly's tinnitus-inducing top-end-storm THERE'S A RIOT GOIN' ON and Oliver's 1975 hen ejecting Oxfordshire barn LP STANDING STONE. To my mind, home-recorded funk best represents the genre

just because all that midrange caught on cheap tape gets so fucking skanky. What a hissy fit! And boy does Mr Track represent the moment on this piece of work. I don't even know where this record is available from, though I'll wager His Five-ness would magic one up for ya, should you pretty please him via the webwide. Like the New Lou Reeds' Stephe DK and Temple of Bon Matin's Ed Wilcox, 5-Track appears intent on insinuating himself into our consciousnesses as a 21st century artist of the United States' next phase... a realm where insurance and guarantees dare not show their phizzogs.



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