

For Immediate Release

THE LAST SHIP DVD — LIVE AT THE PUBLIC THEATER
FEATURING STING PERFORMING SONGS FROM HIS ACCLAIMED ALBUM AND NEW
BROADWAY MUSICAL
TO BE RELEASED SEPTEMBER 23RD VIA CHERRYTREE/INTERSCOPE/A&M RECORDS

September 3rd, 2014 — Santa Monica, CA — Cherrytree/Interscope A&M Records is pleased to announce the release of ***The Last Ship — Live At The Public Theater*** DVD on September 23rd. Featuring songs from **Sting's** latest album and forthcoming Broadway musical of the same name, the DVD captures Sting in an intimate evening of music and storytelling filmed on his birthday, during a run of 10 benefit concerts performed at The Public Theater in New York City. The DVD will be available for Amazon.com pre-order beginning today [HERE](#), and both the DVD and streaming video will be available from Amazon.com on September 23rd. The exclusive super deluxe audio version of *The Last Ship* (CD and Digital) which includes three bonus tracks is also available now.

For ***The Last Ship — Live At The Public Theater*** DVD performance, Sting is joined by a 14-piece band, many of whom also hail from the region, including actor and singer Jimmy Nail, who appears in the upcoming stage production, as well as Kathryn Tickell on violin and Northumbrian pipes, Peter Tickell on violin and mandolin, Julian Sutton on the melodeon, and vocalists The Wilson Family. Also featured is Musical Director, Rob Mathes on acoustic guitar, piano and keyboards, and background vocals. Against a backdrop of evocative visual projections, this captivating live performance takes viewers on a journey of love, loss, redemption, and self-discovery, offering an inside look at the story behind ***The Last Ship***.

Inspired by his childhood experiences, the musical ***The Last Ship*** is set in the seafaring community of Wallsend in the North East of England where Sting was born and raised. With music and lyrics by Sting and book by Tony Award-winner John Logan and Pulitzer Prize-winner Brian Yorkey, previews begin on Broadway at the Neil Simon Theatre on September 29th, prior to opening night on October 26th. Produced by Jeffrey Seller and Kathryn Schenker, ***The Last Ship*** is directed by Tony Award-winner Joe Mantello and choreographed by Olivier Award-winner and Tony Award-nominee Steven Hoggett.

Watch a preview for ***The Last Ship — Live At The Public Theater*** [HERE](#)

About Sting: Composer, singer, author, actor, activist Sting has sold close to 100 million albums from his combined work with the Police and as a solo artist. He has earned 16 Grammy awards, a Golden Globe, an Emmy, and three Oscar nominations. He has appeared in more than 15 films and authored two books including the *New York Times* best-selling memoir *Broken Music*.

The track-listing for ***The Last Ship, Live At The Public Theater*** is as follows:

The Last Ship
Shipyard
Coming Home's Not Easy
And Yet
August Winds
What Have We Got?
Practical Arrangement

What Say You Meg?
Dead Man's Boots
Big Steamers
Sky Hooks And Tartan Paint
Jock The Singing Welder
So To Speak
Show Some Respect
Underground River
The Last Ship (Reprise)

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