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THE LIONS - JUNGLE STRUTTIN' B/W ETHIO-STEPPERS (WILDERSTYLE DUB) 7"

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Prior to the release of their forthcoming debut album, **The Lions** drop a limited-edition 7" single that features the album title track "Jungle Struttin'" and a dub version of "Ethio-Steppers" that's 100% exclusive to this 7"- release only.

"Jungle Struttin'" is a dj-friendly, dusty, Jamaican-funk joint in the vein of **Byron Lee and the Dragonaires**, and the flipside is a bass-heavy dub in the vein of **Scientist** or **King Tubby** but with an added Eastern/African/"Ethiopian" twist. This heavyweight exclusive 7" will be limited to 1000 pieces, so buy it while it's hotter than hot.

The Lions is a unique Jamaican-inspired outfit, the result of an impromptu recording session by members of **Breakestra**, **Connie Price** and the **Keystones**, **Rhythm Roots All-Stars**, **Orgone**, **Sound Directions**, **Plant Life**, **Poetics** and **Macy Gray** (to name a few). Gathering at Orgone's Killion Studios, in Los Angeles during the Fall of 2006, they created grooves that went beyond the Reggae spectrum by combining new and traditional rhythms, and dub mixing mastery with the global sounds of Ethiopia, Colombia and Africa. The Lions also added a healthy dose of American-style soul, jazz, and funk to create an album that's both a nod to the funky exploits of reggae acts like Byron Lee and the Dragonaires and **Boris Gardner**, and a mash of contemporary sound stylings.

With Lions album tracks leaking out to friends an immediate sense of anticipation and excitement has grown about the band. So far this led to two high-profile gigs for the previously unheard of act. An opening slot before friends **Antibalas** put the Lions in front of a packed-house at the **Troubadour** in LA (Check for the killer footage of band in action, including vocalist **Shakespeare** in his white tuxedo, at: <http://www.youtube.com/ubiquityrecords>) A second gig at the **Sunset Junction Festival** in Silverlake saw the band play alongside **Breakestra** to a sun-soaked crowd that swelled into the tens of thousands.

Side A:
A1 Jungle Struttin': 4:38
Side B:
B1 Ethio-Steppers: 5:54



7" - CATALOG UBR11223-7
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7" BOX LOT: 200
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The Lions, "Jungle Struttin'" album on sale February 19th, 2007.

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