

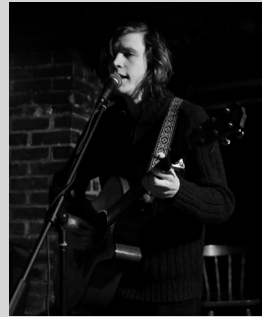
# JON COCKER

## UK ALTERNATIVE/FOLK ACOUSTIC MUSIC

Jon Cocker plays dark, full alternative/folk acoustic music. He grew up in Sheffield (UK) and played in bands in Leeds and Norwich, inspired by artists such as the Allman Brothers. He now focuses on solo acoustic music, using his band experience to develop a full guitar sound, playing at festivals in several cities, including Wild Paths in Norwich alongside the likes of José González. He also enjoyed a brief stint as an international artist with a gig in Japan. Performing regularly in Leeds, Sheffield and surrounding areas, Jon often dazzles the audience with incomprehensible mumbling between songs. His first EP ([‘Jon Cocker’](#)) has been likened to John Martyn, Nick Drake and Neil Young, and captures all the emotion possible in this age of time pressures and distraction.



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"Cocker's excellent acoustic guitar playing, freewheeling sense for melody, soulful vocals, and intimate recordings on not only "Green Blue" but his entire self-titled EP make it easy to draw comparison between him and Nick Drake. As he sings "All my love fades to grey", you feel the muted reality of heartache: no spectacle, just a lingering lack of colour." - **COUNTERZINE 10/1/2020**

"This musician from the United Kingdom has definitely deserved your attention. Especially if you want to spend some little time for your summertime sadness. His voice sounds so alive. As a contrast for modern autotune addiction, these waves going through the ears right into my heart." - **FAETON MUSIC 26/8/2019**

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**Recent performances** include Wild Paths Festival (Norwich), AIR Festival (Norwich), Filey Folk Festival, Barnsley Live Festival, Chester Live, and Headingley Enterprise and Arts Centre (Leeds).

**Releases:** [‘Jon Cocker’](#) 2019 EP

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