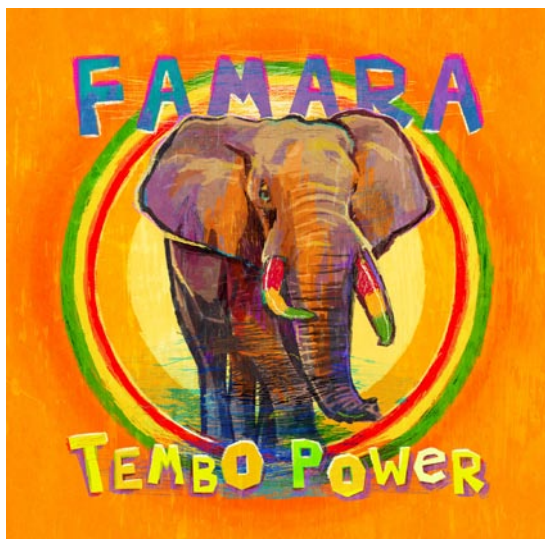


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Tracklist:

01. Famaranisch (3:36) – 2# Single (VÖ dig. 30.06.23)
02. Big Brother (4:35) – 3# Single (VÖ dig. 04.08.23)
03. Voodoo Child (3:20)
04. Café Tilibo (3:25)
05. Sag Mal (3:44) – 1# Single (VÖ digital 26.05.23)
06. Peace (3:27)
07. The Healer (4:31) – 4# Single (VÖ digital 08.09.23)
08. Lokole (3:45)
09. Money Rules (3:06)

Total Playtime: 33:35

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Genre: Reggae (Afro-Reggae/World)

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Description:

The Basel reggae artist FAMARA is back and releases his tenth studio album «Tembo Power»!

FAMARA has been writing and shaping Swiss reggae history since he appeared in 1997 as a reggamuffin singer, and since the release of his first album «Natural Fact» in 1999. The reggae bird of paradise has succeeded in combining reggae, dub and world music into a refreshing and very unique 'Afro-Reggae' mix. Even his energetic live shows electrify after a few bars. FAMARA has already shared the stage with Seeed, Gentleman, Ziggy Marley, Youssu N'Dour, Alpha Blondy and Tiken Jah Fakoly - he is probably one of the most active and certainly one of the most successful CH reggae acts!

After a longer creative break, the reggae old master is now back in Switzerland with a new album in his luggage: «Tembo Power», *elephant power* is the name of the energetic, robust title of his new work, which will be released in Switzerland at the beginning of autumn 2023. A large and excellent array of musicians contribute to the nine sunny and varied songs. Top-class riddims, fat brass sections and polyphonic backing vocals, but also an accordion ensure the typical and unmistakable world reggae sound - FAMARA ignites its fireworks of African dialects, French choruses, Swiss German and High German verses. This is proven, for example, by the first pre-single «Sag Mal», which will be released worldwide as a download/stream on May 26, 2023 and makes you want more - earthy, rootsy, easy, touching and enormously catchy. A simple but uniquely refreshing and stylish 'Afro-Reggae' track!

For the recordings, FAMARA did not travel to Gambia or Jamaica - no, to the «Groovefactory» studio in Bern. The authentic work was created there in collaboration with Matthias Urech (including Troubas Kater) and Rainer Schudel (including Famara). The new album was mastered by Oli Bösch (Livingroomstudio, Bern).

The album is a powerful yet touching work, designed to encourage listeners to embrace and overcome their own challenges. With «Tembo Power» FAMARA proves once again that he is one of the most talented and original reggae artists in Switzerland - welcome back, FAMARA!

Selling Points:

- well over 500 shows in Switzerland and on his European tours (D/A/F/I/SK), including pretty much all major festivals at home and abroad (Gampel, St. Gallen, Frauenfeld, Heitere, Montreux Jazz, Lumnezia, Reeds, Summerjam, Chiemsee, Rototom Sunsplash, etc.)
- several placements in the top 100 Swiss album and airplay charts

Marketing and Promotion GAS:

- Nationwide Radio- and Press sampling by **N-Gage**
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Concerts:

22.09.2023 | CH-Basel, Atlantis - Record Release Show
 27.10.2023 | CH-Wetzikon, Kulturfabrik
 15.12.2023 | CH-Davos, Songbirdfestival – Montana Bar, Saal
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