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They released their first album: **Jackalope Tales (& other stories)** on November 3rd, 2023. Additional artists featured on this album are Christine Rabey (vocals), Evan Dando (flugelhorn), Jordan Baldwin (fiddle), Kristan Toczko (harp), and Mark Swan (percussion). Since this album's release it has received over a million streams on Spotify. The nine-tracks include three traditional songs and six originals, including one original instrumental. Jackalope Tales explores themes of growing up, resilience, and childhood wonder. Every song on the album has an element of whimsy, while still being grounded in reality.

Jackalope Tales was followed by two singles, **The Fawn & the Huntress** and **Dance of the Dryads**, both inspired by Greek Mythology.

In the Summer of 2024 Lo & the High Road was seen on stage at Port Hope's Road to Cultivate Festival and The Enchanted Forest of Fergus, as well as a sold-out album launch at Toronto's Burdock Brewery. They are joined by Dave Finneran (guitar), Christine Rabey, and Jordan Baldwin for live performances.

Lo & the High Road has amassed a social media following of over 200 thousand like-minded people from across the world who love fantasy stories and folk music.

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