## PRESS RELEASE



PELEKINESIS 112 Harvard Ave #65 Claremont, CA 91711 USA | 909-293-9270 | www.pelekinesis.com

# 100 Cassettes

# Dennis Callaci

100 Cassettes started life as an installation of 100 hand drawn/painted cassette covers for an installation at the dA Center for The Arts in Pomona, California. Six months after that installation, the book 100 Cassettes started being written in earnest. The book's ninety nine chapters (two of the cassettes make up one chapter) delve into the possibility of each imagined release by a wealth of artists spanning over fifty years. Find early entries of abstraction on Ida Cox, Alice Cooper, Talk Talk, Earl Sweatshirt and Lord Invader to nonfiction-based entries on Tony Conrad, Korla Pandit, Jackie Moore and Black Sabbath. The book winds around autobiographical information, the rich culture of Southern California from 1969 to the present day, and all musical points in between.

#### About the author

Dennis Callaci was born in Corona, California and has bounced around Southern California his entire life. He runs the record label Shrimper, noted for bringing forth the earliest recordings from Amps For Christ, Woods, Franklin Bruno, Lou Barlow's Sentridoh, The Mountain Goats, Dump, Kevin Morby, The Secret Stars and a few hundred other releases for over the course of the last thirty years. He is also in the band Refrigerator who have released twelve records over those thirty years, as well as solo records by Callaci & collaborations with John Davis, The Debts, and Simon Joyner. A former KSPC DJ, booker of shows around Southern California, and GM of two record stores of note, music has eaten up the majority of his life.

## About the publisher

Pelekinesis is an independent book publishing company focusing on the development of literary-minded authors and artists by embracing the evolving publishing paradigm and creatively supporting the skills of these talented individuals. Full catalog and press material can be found at www.pelekinesis.com



Title: 100 Cassettes Author: Dennis Callaci Category: Literary Nonfiction Publication Date: February 14, 2020 Pages: 288

Binding: paperback ISBN: 978-1-949790-19-1 Suggested Retail Price: \$20.00

MEDIA CONTACT Mark Givens Pelekinesis 909-293-9270 publicity@pelekinesis.com

DISTRIBUTED BY Small Press Distribution

ORDERING INFORMATION 1341 Seventh Street Berkeley, CA 94710-1409 Tel: 510.524.1668 / Fax: 510.524.0852 E-mail: spd@spdbooks.org

DIRECT WHOLESALE PRICING AVAILABLE E-mail: wholesale@pelekinesis.com