

## **Papercuts**

Fading Parade

SUB POP

Dream pop that entices you to roam in the foam Beach House? More like Beach Mansion. Comparisons to the Baltimore duo are inevitable, but with his fourth album, San Francisco singer-guitarist Jason Quever expands on the woozy pop that made his labelmates' Teen Dream a staple of 2010 best-album lists. Layering a subtle sprawl of strings, Autoharp, keyboards (mellotron, Moog, church organs), and guitars that shimmer and froth like the Pacific Ocean, Fading Parade illuminates

moment-in-time snapshots of love and mortality blurry, fragile, nostalgic. WILLIAM GOODMAN