

## MUSIC

### Independent women make great kids' music

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**HUSH**, by Cory Goodrich, Wagtail Productions, \$14.99, [www.coryshouse.com](http://www.coryshouse.com); infants & toddlers.

In this collection of lullabies, accomplished singer and actress Cory Goodrich enters a crowded field of musicians creating lullaby music. Cory sings original and traditional lullabies that are beautifully orchestrated and masterfully produced by Steve Rashid. Cory's voice is soothing and gorgeous and the songs are touching and tender—a perfect combination for those snuggly times at the end of the day. Standouts include “When the Babies Come Out Tonight” and Cory’s interpretation of the classic “All the Pretty Little Horses.” Simultaneously, Cory and co-producer Paul Pement also released a second CD, “Wiggly Toes” (also \$14.99), which is designed as music for playtime and geared for a slightly older audience. Again, superbly produced by Steve Rashid, this collection includes a mix of traditional songs (“The Cat Came Back,” “Great Big Dog”) and original songs. My favorite is “Hola, Lola” the tongue-twisty story of Lola Lopez from Lima who went to visit her cousin Harry in Honolulu. Let’s hope for more music from up and coming children’s music producers Cory and Paul.

