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With their debut single

SUNLESS SUNDAYS

plus club remixes from

Kid Circus and **DJ Laverda**

and the bonus track

BRIGHT CITY LIGHTS

Artist: **TRENTON & FREE RADICAL**
Release: **SUNLESS SUNDAYS**
Format: Digital single release
Genres: Hip Hop, Reggae, Indie
Record Label: **Black Mango Music**
Distribution: **IODA** (Digital only)

Hailing from assorted places & spaces this quartet are helping rewrite the sound of 21st Century London by fusing the political frustrations of frontman **Trenton**, with fast-held musical roots in Reggae, Hip-Hop, Electro & Rock. **Trenton & Free Radical** have created something fresh & hip-shakingly danceable with their new single *Sunless Sundays* where **Trenton** laments about the UK's serious lack of sunshine this summer over a shankin' beat.

On the remix tip there's an electro club version from **Kid Circus** (releases out on *Freestyle Records* & resident DJ at *Renaissances*) and the *Bruton Mix* by rising star on the German electro scene **DJ Laverda** (*Love Parade*, *Street Parade* etc)

Originally from Johannesburg, nomadic soul **Trenton** spent his early life in Kenya, Nigeria and the Middle East. Embracing political activism he was involved in the anti-apartheid movement joining the (then banned) African National Congress. At the same time he was getting deep into music & formed electro rockers **Anti-Gravity** (signed to Sony) who went on to have chart success in South Africa & opened for the **Prodigy** & **Faithless**.



Despite initial accomplishments it was with his move to London and the forming of **Free Radical** that **Trenton** found the ultimate release for his music & political output.



Free Radical are Ugandan bassman **Kazz** (who's played with **P-Funk**, **Pee Wee Ellis** & many others), Zimbabwean percussion maestro **Sam** (on kit and calabash) plus guitarist **Marco** from Ibiza, who has laid down his chops for artists like **Roots Manuva** & **Killa Kella**.

Together they've developed a distinguished blend of easy-rolling b-lines, tight rhythms & a timeless song-craft topped off with **Trenton's** impassioned vocals & livewire charisma. The band is currently rocking the capital's cooler venues with their soul stirring live sets as well as various festivals including **Raggae Sunsplash**, **Standon Calling** and **Zimfest**. They're also working on their debut album with producer **Dean James** (Nitin Sawhney, Get Cape Wear Cape Fly) & help from **Craigie Dodds** (Sugarbabes, Natty, One Eskimo). **Trenton** also works closely with **Love Music Hate Racism** & recently project directed an "LMHR All Stars" trip to the **Sziget Festival** in Hungary.

Fans of Jamaican riddims, African beats, Soul, Rap & Rock will undoubtedly find something here that ignites their inner groove. Big things are on the way for **Trenton and Free Radical**. We say catch them now while the buzz is still underground.

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