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If you're as talented a guitarist as David Youngs, the temptation to blind listeners with dazzling technique, to the point where melodies disappear among the tapping, harmonics and percussion, must be great. So all power to Youngs who's come up with a clutch of incredibly varied instrumentals. The waterfall of hammered notes on 'And So It Goes' is breathtaking – before it's all change on 'Mutster', a folky epic recalling Jansch and Renbourn. Moving on, the complex chordal patterns and detuned guitar of 'Troisième' take a leaf out of Michael Hedges' book, before the bewitching 'Pieces Of Me', a mesmeric tune that you will hear in wonder. A stunning album. **JP**