

# Goitse

- ~ Vocalist Áine McGeeney - named **Best Female Vocalist of 2016** by the Irish American News.
- ~ **Goitse** was the 2016 winner of the **Freiburg International 'Leiter' Music Award** in Germany.
- ~ **Goitse** was named the **2015 Traditional Group of the Year** by the Live Ireland Awards.
- ~ **Goitse** was named the **2015 Group of the Year** by the Chicago Irish American News.

## What the Critics Say...

"...a country mile ahead of anything I've seen this past five years." ~ **Irish Music Magazine**

"...blending the roots of tradition with the freedom of creativity ... and perfectly summing up Goitse."  
~ **Folkwords Review**

"...a powerful force..." ~ **fRoots Magazine**

"Sprightly instrumentals with exciting and unexpected twists topped off with winsome vocals."  
~ **fRoots Magazine**

"This act is now so polished and professional it is no wonder that they are one of the most popular acts on the international festival circuit"  
~ **Chicago Irish American News**

"They have cornered the market in scalpel-like rhythms and gloriously spacious set pieces"  
~ **The Irish Times**

"Music that's brimming with energy and creative zeal" ~ **Irish Music Magazine**

"This mix of gentle grace and gloves-off grit is becoming a hallmark of Goitse's recordings"  
~ **Living Tradition**

"Scintillating, graceful, soaring music..." ~ **FolkWorld**

"They play with the wisdom of musicians with many more road miles beneath their belt."  
~ **The Irish Times**

