

# MIRROR



## **Joan Armatrading**

### ***This Charming Life* (429)**

Armatrading's virtually a one-woman show on the latest release in her almost 40-year career. She plays all instruments here save the drums, and does all vocals.

And songwriting remains one of her strong suits, as she takes these rock-leaning songs into a diverse landscape that looks both in ("Goddess of Change") and out ("Heading Back to New York City").

**7.5/10 Trial Track: "Diamond" (Gerard Dee) At *Théâtre Maisonneuve***

***(Place des Arts), Mon., July 5, 6 p.m., \$30.50-\$42.50***