



## ***DEVO: LIVE 1980 (Dualdisc)***

**Reviewed by Winslow Leach**

**THE REVIEW:** Hey Spuds! DEVO is back! Music Video Distributors is releasing a brand new Dualdisc of a Live 1980 Concert performed by DEVO for Target Video at the Phoenix Theater in Petaluma, California. At this time in 1980, DEVO was just beginning to become popular across the country and all over the world. Their super-electric live shows were part New Wave concert/part performance pieces. They included movies in their shows, a strange de-evolution of clothing and they really created a unique presentation for their fans. DEVO were one of the leaders of the New Wave genre of music in the late 70s/early 80s. They utilized the technology of the time by incorporating synthesizers into their music. This gave the music a alienlike futuristic edge and signaled the start of a new era in music.

On this awesome new Dualdisc (DVD/CD) from MVD, you'll get to witness the madness of an early DEVO concert in video AND on your stereo or computer. They perform classic hits like Whip It, Mongoloid, Girl U Want and many more. You'll find the entire recorded concert on the CD side as well, which makes this a doubly kickass title to add to your DEVO collection!

## **THE DVD**

**REGION: 1**

**STUDIO: Music Video Distributors**

**FILM SPECS: Presented in Full Frame. DEVO-COLOR.**

**EXTRAS:** At the end of the concert, DEVO show a creepy alien short film called "Tunnel of Life" with a surprise appearance by the alien from the film! As the concert closes, you'll also see the DEVO Corporate Anthem.

**DEVO perform at the M-80 New/No Wave Concert as "DOVE: The Band of Love". In this off the wall performance you'll see Devo as their God fearing alter egos**

**DOVE: The Band of Love, an evangelical christian New Wave group. They parody the TV evangelists in that unique DEVO-ized way. Its really comical stuff. Its like being at a New Wave bible meeting.**

**AUDIO: Dolby Digital 5.1 Surround Sound. Dolby Digital 2.0 Mono. The sound is clear, loud and its just perfect to turn up on your home theater system/stereo/computer and rock out to the sounds of the de-evolution.**

**THE FINAL WORD: DEVO LIVE 1980 is a look at the DEVO the way they were in the early days when they were just starting to send their New Wave signals across this planet. This Dualdisc is a must own for all you Fresh Spuds out there!**

## **THE CD**

**TRACKS: WHIP IT, SNOWBALL, IT'S NOT RIGHT, GIRL U WANT, PLANET EARTH, SWELLING ITCHING BRAIN, SECRET AGENT MAN, PINK PUSSYCAT, BLOCKHEAD, (I CAN'T GET NO) SATISFACTION, UNCONTROLLABLE URGE, MONGOLOID, BE STIFF, GATES OF STEEL, FREEDOM OF CHOICE, JOCKO HOMO, SMART PATROL/MR.DNA, GUT FEELING/SLAP YOUR MAMMY, COME BACK JONEE.**

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