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McClinton's 'Cost' album worth price

We received this one Aug. 23, before Katrina hit, and Delbert had been scheduled to play one of the casino theaters. We were really looking forward to the show, not only because of his long, distinguished career making cool music, but because of this hot new album.

McClinton is known locally as a blues player, but since he first hit the big time playing harmonica on the '60s radio hit "Hey Baby" (by Bruce Chandel), he knows his way around different musical genres. This recording has a New Orleans flavor at times, which is especially appropriate right now. Delbert's top-notch band and the guest players/singers make "Cost of Living" a great party album.

The quasi-second line flavor of the opener, "One of the Fortunate Few," sets the tone for most of the album - bluesy but light-hearted. The first song with a downbeat feel is No. 8, "Your Memory, Me, and The Blues."

My favorites at this time are the aforementioned opener, the tempo-changing "Right to Be Wrong," and the country-flavored lament, "Kiss Her Once for Me."

This really is a good album from top to bottom; however, my favorite tunes change from day to day. Patronize local businesses that are open, or order online at newwestrecords.com or delbert.com.

"Live 1980," DEVO (Music Video Distributors,

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DEVO took the stripped down ethos pioneered by punk rockers to "de-evolutionary" extremes: robotic movements, elementary-sounding keyboard riffs and monotonish vocals.

Their biggest hit, "Whip It," begins this dual-disc show (CD/DVD) and, is my favorite song onboard. DEVO was on the

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cup of major fame in 1980, supporting the "Freedom of Choice" album, which contained the aforementioned MTV staple.

Many other "hits" are here, too, including their take on the Rolling Stones' "Satisfaction."

Those who take their fundamentalism seriously will be offended by some of the lyrics, and even more so by DVD extra songs featuring DEVO as Dove - The Band of Love.

Good film, good sound and good memories for lots of folks, though. Get it at dvdnote.com.

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