

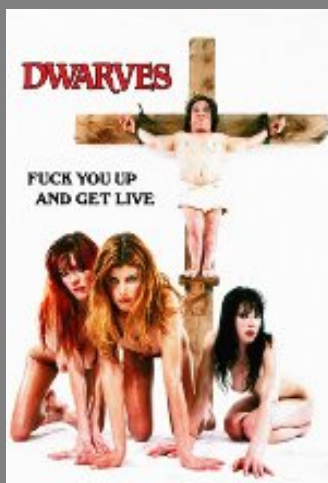


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DVD: THE DWARVES *Fuck You Up and Get Live*

MVD

Rating: 7 Out Of 10 - Reviewed by Larissa Rose



Crazy bands that continue to piss off fans by putting out ½ hour albums, performing 15 minute shows and publicizing the fact that their guitarist died when he was really alive and well (a stunt that got them kicked off their Sub Pop label) shouldn't last long. And yet here are **The Dwarves**, cranking out albums, performing and keeping fans for 20 years! One of their more recent, and thankfully, longer performances was captured in October 2004 for *Fuck You Up and Get Live*, a 75 minute DVD of the 19-song show at the Continental Club in New York City. The disc kicks off with fans outside the venue, offering up their comments on the group, most hoping that they play longer than five minutes, while others insist that they hate **The Dwarves**. After the brief introduction, the footage is entirely of the show, putting you in the middle of the mosh pit, then the next minute at the drum kit. The whole thing is well produced, and gives the viewer the feeling of actually being there. I've never seen the group perform, and I was pleasantly surprised by their energy level, as well as the crazy on-stage antics of **Blag Dhalia**, **Wreck Tom**, **Clint Torres**, **The Fresh Prince of Darkness**, and **HeWhoCanNotBeNamed**. The disc also includes such "SEXTRAS" as six music videos and alternate camera angles of the show. If you're a fan but haven't ever seen them live, go to WWW.MUSICVIDEODISTRIBUTORS.COM to order yourself a copy.

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