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Music on DVD

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**Live at Rockpalast
1978 + 1980**

Soul-Rock

★★★★

About time. Angry young lad Parker and his crack band have long been some of rock's greatest unsung heroes. Now you can see why. These two fiery gigs — one in a dim studio, the other at a festival — spotlight them at their peak as they fuse soul, punk and rock into a potent sound midway between Elvis C. and Van the Man. The technical quality is dodgy, but the content is superb.

Triumph

**Live at Sweden Rock
Festival**

Classic Rock

★★★

Nope, it's not another vintage gig from the Triumph archives. This show just happened in 2008, when Canada's other beloved power trio reunited for one night (and presumably one large payday) at a Swedish fest. Not surprisingly, they seem rusty at times — but the 72-minute gig still delivers enough magic power to make it a treat for old fans. Now, can we have a reunion tour, please?