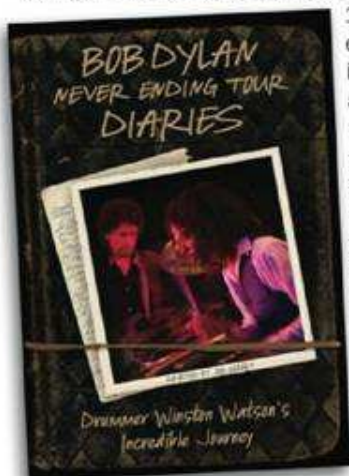


## DVD REVIEWS

### **BOB DYLAN** **Never Ending Tour Diaries: Drummer Winston Watson's Incredible Journey**

Highway 61

Winston Watson was Bob Dylan's drummer from 1992-



1996, and this DVD is essentially an extended interview with the man about his life on the road with Dylan's band. There is brief band footage, but no audio, and there is certainly very little of Dylan. We do see plenty of tour buses and hotel rooms, but, as Watson himself says, "if you're expecting to see Bob in his underwear, you'll be disappointed."

The interview, whilst a little repetitive, is very interesting if you are a Dylan nut.

Watson has great charisma and tells a good story, and he never stops talking. He expresses himself in an honest way, and never criticises his former employer. He reveals a few of the great man's nuances, but talks with genuine love about his time behind the drum stool. He explains how he got the job, and how he lost it, citing Van Morrison and a strained marriage as the main reasons why he finished. The DVD presentation is a little amateurish, but the meat is the interview, and whilst this is far from essential, Dylan fans will find some interest.

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