



AFTER THE FIRE 'LIVE AT GREENBELT DVD'

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Actually I had not heard a single note of the band AFTER THE FIRE before, so this was my first time I heard the band. I did not only hear it, but could also see them live, because it concerns here a DVD release of the concert they gave 2 years ago, which was their first show in 25 years, as they split up in the early 80s after releasing 3 records. They are well-known for their FALCO cover "Der Kommissar", but this was their least interesting song, which can be heard and seen on this DVD, because they have a very nice collection of early 80s sounding Symphonic keyboard orientated Pop/Pomprockers like the catchy "Life in the city", "Frozen rivers", "Laser love" and "Starflight". The footage is not really professional, as the hand camera was used, which not always looks very nice, but nevertheless it is nice to watch a well-performed concert of a band which was out of business for 25 years. The DVD gave me a nice idea how this band sounded like and also made me aware of their existence, so now I have to look for their 3 albums, which have recently been reissued on CD I believe. In the meantime, check out this DVD, which also contains interviews and an unplugged session as a bonus, making it a 2 hours counting must-have for fans of early 80s Sympho and all fans of AFTER THE FIRE. Available through: <http://www.musicvideodistributors.com>

(Points: 8.3 out of 10)

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