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Crushed By the Wheels of Industry - Featuring Front Line Assembly and My Life with the Thrill Kill Kult and Front Line Assembly

Around the Ripple office, Mrs Racer and I don't often agree on music. A dance music fan, she's one to lose herself in the repetitive, synthesized trance music that she loves but to me is just an annoyance that makes me to want to drive pencils through my eardrums.

Let's face it, I'm a rocker, not a clubber. But, that don't mean I don't like to dance. Heck, I can boogie just as good as the blue wind-up robot on my desk. I just need something with some meat to it. Some drive, some crunch and muscle. And for that perfect combination of metal and maven, we have industrial.

Industrial fills that middle ground between me and the Mrs. A place where we can both feel the groove and embarrass ourselves in front of our kid. And with two industrial legends releasing new albums simultaneously, I thought now would be the perfect time to fire up our dangling crystal ball, hit the strobe lights and party at Ripple north.



Front Line Assembly - Improvised. Electronic. Device

One band that clearly falls into the category of "legendary" in industrial circles, is **Front Line Assembly**. Cranking out mind-boggling juggernauts of

dance mayhem since the late '80's, Improvised. Electronic. Device is just as explosive as the name hints. Roaring on like a super-charged **Rammstein**-megalith, **FLA** comes out of the smoke and haze with all guitars crunching and lays waste to all imitators in their path. **FLA's** not getting older, they're totally hyper-fueled.

"I.E.D." chugs along with a metallic, sonic fury that could easily be the blueprint for what Industrial Metal is supposed to sound be.

"Release" is a written heavy, smoldering, shattering, delicious assault of

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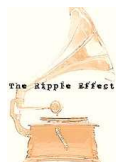
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