

Neil Young Under Review 1976-2006 DVDvideo #SIDVD522

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These two artists are a couple of blocks which rock and roll's built on. Neil Young's commercal career began with the Buffalo Springwater progressing to the Crosby, Nash, Stills & Young. This DVD keeps pace with Neil's solo efforts, They are his masterworks; as this DVD. Keith Richards, along with Mick Jagger, roamed the London pop and blues and then forming rock scene. Jagger and Richards paired for life; it seems. The Rolling Stones are still performing these days. Both have produced and perform on their solo albums. Keith is still writing and new guitar riffs too. Young and Richards two very prolific and creative artists. Like a fine wine, they get better with age.

The Neil Young DVD includes rare concert performances, interviews and historic photos. Authors, biographers and magazine editors critique Young's later career. Really, the buyer gets the DVD, information and the melodies.

The Keith Richards DVD wraps with photos and footages since 1967. Keith's partnership with Mick Jagger sure has paid off. The Rolling Stones' guitarist ex-pro, Keith's early career gives prominence his contemporaries; like the Byrds, Eric Burden and Animals, Steve Winwood, and Eric Clapton.

The Young DVD is an acoustic dream. Neil builds a normal ensemble for five or six tunes and it progressly Young introduces more players. Neil pulls up a chair and performs his classics. This DVD's music ends with solo ballads.

Keith began to rock 'n' roll with a group Alexis Korner and Friends in London. He met Bill Wyman there. The Stones played small clubs and dives; even festivals. Richards becames a recluse and drug addicted. Still, he experimented with a wah-wah pedal and other special effects. He cleaned up and led him to fight with Clapton over a girlfriend ... and so and so. 'Satifaction', 'Let It Bleed', 'Bitch', and solo effort's fantastic.

Both songwriters and guitarists bank past works, present inspiration, and future dreams. We look for two progressive artists. These DVDs scratched the surfaces of northern-man Neil Young and badboy Keith Richards careers. They are still on top!

- Mark Cole