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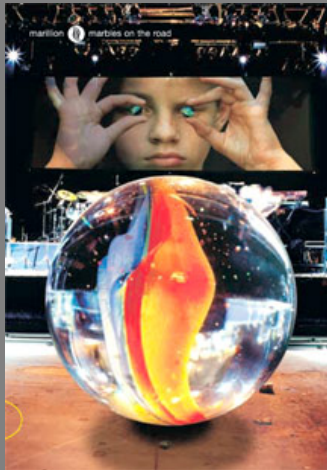
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DVD: MARILLION *Marbles On The Road*

MVD

Rating: 10 Out Of 10 - Reviewed by Bam-Bam



A simply brilliant effort on all counts; musically, visually, and conceptually!!! **Marillion** for those who don't know, is a band who has been around since the early 80's. I lost track of them after their 1984 effort, *Fugazi*, and didn't even realize that they still existed. Well, 2004's *Marbles* album is proof that they do exist and are still very relevant in today's music scene because it is one of the most intriguing albums I've heard in years. They sound like a strange mixture of **Genesis**-era **Peter Gabriel**, **Pink Floyd**, and even a bit of **R.E.M.** to boot. Nothing, however, can prepare you for how good they are live unless you have this DVD! It is exquisitely recorded with super audio and an extravagant 15-camera video shoot to provide you the next best thing to being there. What totally makes this thing work on such a high level is the fact that the songs from *Marbles* transfer so good from album to live that it just seems natural. Top that off with the fact that the whole thing was captured perfectly in front of a sold-out crowd in London, and you've got a DVD with "#1 Hit" written all over it. This is easily my favorite DVD that I own because it spoke to me on so many levels that I just sat dumbstruck and in awe of their talent. I consider myself a total Metalhead at heart, but I

would easily place my **Slipknot** DVD down at second place to make way for this incredible piece of work to sit atop the stack with pride! The entire album is accounted for and performed flawlessly by a band that would give **Rush** a run for their money. Includes two bonus videos and an EPK for the *Marbles* album, all of which are unnecessary due to the high quality of the live set alone. Available in stores now or direct from the distributor; WWW.MUSICVIDEODISTRIBUTORS.COM, who also boast an incredible catalog of goodies. Very, Very Highly Recommended!!!

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