

Dwarves - FEFU: The DVD (DVD, Greedy Media / Music Video Distributors)

At this point, we're a bit stumped by **Dwarves** videos. In fact, if we weren't so impressed by the band's songs...we wouldn't even be reviewing this in the first place. Over the course of the past few years, the rough and seedy Dwarves have managed to transform themselves from a sloppy noise band into a well-oiled intense rocking machine. We were late getting into the band's music...but once we were hooked, we were hooked. Now, after a couple of intensely satisfying studio albums, the band releases this DVD featuring the edited and unedited versions of the video "FEFU" (a fantistic modern rock tune). The video features the band mocking it up for the cameras with **The Suicide Girls**...all of whom are absolutely thrilled to be rubbing each other all over the place with fake blood. The video is funny...but certainly not shocking. In addition to "FEFU," this disc also includes some interesting footage of the band performing live early and later (from 1985 to 2006) in their career. The band is well known for their violent shocking tendencies...but we are puzzled by the fact that nothing on this disc is shocking in the least. Nudity. Oh my, how *perverted* and *weird*. Blood. Wow oh wow. Blood everywhere. How original. Out of control mosh pits...boring, boring, boring. Because we love this band's music so much...we just don't quite get why they seem to continue to try to shock everyone with things as dull as violence and nudity. On one hand, we appreciate the fact that there still *are* bands like this out there who give clueless people something to think about. But these guys write such great songs...they really don't need to be doing this kind of thing at this point in their career. So...while this disc does have some interesting sections...overall, it just doesn't hold up to repeated viewings... Sorry, Dwarves...we'll be waiting for the next studio album. (Rating: 3+)



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