

Nils Lofgren And Friends: Live Acoustic

Nils Lofgren is quite a legend, it has to be said. And the amount of friends who show up to play this rather long gig is quite impressive. It includes one of my favourite musicians Jeff "Skunk" Baxter (guitarist, former Doobie, and defense analyst of Department of Defense).

You will probably know more of the man's work with Bruce Springsteen and Neil Young, but his solo stuff is pretty impressive as well. The DVD is stunning both in audio and video with a five camera recording. If the main set is not long enough for you there are an extra cadre of tracks (six) including a Patti Smith "Because the Night", tune sung by the impressively voiced Mary Ann Redmond.

This is impressive no matter how you slice it. Mellow acoustic guitar performance with some awesome musicians in the company of the impressive Nils. An absolute must for fans as you might imagine and probably a damn good intro to anyone wishing to get into the man's solo work. And guitarists will delight in this DVD as well. One of the best gig DVDs I have had the pleasure of seeing... pure class.

And finally I have a bit of news that might surprise you, my readers. It seems Katie 'Jordan' Holmes and her hubby Peter 'Mysterious Girl' Andre have produced a CD that some are proclaiming to have <u>healing powers</u> and one of the greatest CDs ever recorded. I would recommend you head over and have a gander at some of the reviews for their new CD. It so impressive I almost forgot to tell <u>this bit</u> of news.

With that bit of info I end this column. As I was writing this, the post brought me three more CDs to add to the pile. As always stay safe, stay rocking, and check out live music where ever you might be.

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