

Rock N Roll Experience - November / December 2010

IMMOLATE **Ruminate**

Track Listing: Heathen, Hot Heat, Live By (Knife & Gun), Kill Your Idols, Trap Me, Tune Out, Ruminare, Broken, Intergator, Seven Heads, Code

Rating: 5 stars!

Immolate is a muddy sounding metal outfit that's got a new record out entitled "Ruminate" which mixes old school metal with lo-fi punk energy.

One part Dead Milkmen, 2 parts Nirvana, the solo's have an amateur sound, the vocals are rough, the riffs are hard...this is a rarity in the world of pro-tools & pitch correction music!

"Heathen" kills from the first notes of the song, "Hot Heat" is sludgy riff rock & "Trap Me" really reminds me of Nirvana on a musical level & I mean that in a good way!

"Broken" has that Nirvana sound as well with a garage meets basement jam vibe.

"Seven Heads" is my personal favorite & almost reminds me of Soundgarden in various parts.

"Code" is an 8+minute jam that closes out the disc & overall I dug this record, it's nothing like the crap you hear today, it's got an older sound & feel & if you like The Melvins I think you'll dig this band!