



## Dug Pinnick: To Release Naked Album

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dUg Pinnick, frontman for legendary hard rock trio King's X, releases his latest solo album, *Naked*, on May 7, 2013, through RockArmy Records.

*Naked* is a deeply personal release that represents Pinnick - who wrote, played, recorded, and produced the album alone at his own dUg Pinnick's 11 guitar-heavy tracks are overflowing with Pinnick's unmistakable tone, groove, and heart-wrenching vocals, including the single "That Great Big Thing" which was released on YouTube by storm with a self-shot video that Pinnick created and unleashed in late 2012 - and 'That Great Big Thing'.

Pinnick has been a pivotal figure in heavy music for over 30 years, most notably as the vocalist and bassist for the still-active King's X, with roots from the progressive metal movement (Dream Theater, et al) to the grunge scene - with Pearl Jam's Jeff Ament famously stating that "he's the real deal, Katy, Texas, with King's X" - and who are also one of the few bands in the history of rock 'n' roll to mark 25-plus years of playing together without slowing down.

Since 1998, Pinnick has released 2 solo albums under the moniker Poundhound and 3 others (including a collection of home demos featuring X songs) under his own name. Additionally, Pinnick has joined forces with a who's-who of veteran rockers - including Pearl Jam's Jeff Ament (Mars Volta, The Memorials), Bruce Fanklin (Trouble), Kelly Keagy (Night Ranger), Timothy Drury (The Eagles, Stevie Nicks), Reo (Winger), Living Colour (with whom he toured Europe as temporary vocalist in 2008), Gilby Clarke (Guns N' Roses), Yngwie Malmsteen (Billy Idol, Vince Neil), Tribe After Tribe, Carmine Appice, and many more - and young hotshots, including the Austin-based band produced by RockArmy Records owner Paul Soroski and featured a guest appearance by Philio H. Anselmo (Pantera) guitarist Marzi Mc