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The Bowery Collection Live June 10, 2004

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Ever since 2000, Los Angeles, California has been brutal place for the west coast hardcore scene. The group responsible for this brutality or as vocalist Scott Vogel would say "positive aggression" is Terror. With powerful albums such as One with the Underdogs and Always the Hard Way under their belts along with tours with groups such as Hatebreed, Agnostic Front, and Madball, Terror has brought something more to the table to supplement their brutal style. Recorded live on June 10, 2004, Terror destroyed the dance floor at CBGB's and now, hardcore fans can have the pleasure of reliving that night.

The "Terror: Live at CBGB's" album is composed of 11 tracks from the band's One with the Underdogs and Lowest of the Low albums. The album has an awesome intro with the song "Better Off Without You" and you can feel the pumped vibe in the audience's cheers. Also, Scott will increase the "hardcore spirit" by relating songs to events in life such as personal struggle.

From the opening to songs like "I Don't Need Your Help", "Overcome", and "Keep Your Mouth Shut", the album is awesomely satisfying. Basically, it comes down to if you liked their studio releases, then you'll love the live release because the band magnifies every chorus and breakdown turning the songs that you thought were cool into something amazing. Fans are sure to enjoy this album because those who did or didn't attend the show can go to it any time they want from their stereo or IPod.

Bottom Line: Fans of Terror and the hardcore genre itself should not miss out on this one.

Key Tracks: The whole album was great!!

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