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Kip Winger – "From the Moon to the Sun"

There are days when I still crave that sound before grunge started. The days when rock was just that, a great song or ballad that could become an anthem, is still in the back of my mind. When I saw this new offering from Kip Winger, "From the Moon to the Sun", I was intrigued.

The beginning interludes to some of the songs was totally different then you might expect and wondered where the song itself was going.

I was hoping to rock a little with this Cd, but it never happened. Winger has grown up in his music and while his arrangements are outstanding, his songs written with emotion, it just did not keep my attention.

Winger has put a lot of thought, as well as emotion into this CD. His arrangements are elaborate, but clean to listen to. This is a very well produced and mastered album which Winger did himself.

One thing I have always liked is artists who print their lyrics for the fans. While I am a huge proponent of actually hearing and understanding the words sung, there are times it is still good to be able to read as you go to get a deeper meaning to what the artist had in mind. "From the Moon to the Sun" has everything spelled out for you.

Maybe it was me, and what my expectations were, and while "From the Moon to the Sun" is a well polished piece of work, it was just not for me.

"From the Moon to the Sun" is listed as pop/rock (but not to me) and is now available in stores.