

TWENTY TO LIFE: THE LIFE & TIMES OF JOHN SINCLAIR

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Profile of the former MC5 manager in all his stoned glory.



John Sinclair: manager of the legendary MC5, revolutionary, DJ, beatnik and poet. The giant of a man has managed to fit a huge array of underground activities into his life so far and in *Twenty To Life* director Steve Gebhardt gets a feel for what makes Sinclair tick and keeps him motivated.

It's a beautifully put together movie, scattered with live renditions of Sinclair's poetry and featuring interviews with characters as interesting as former White Panther minister of defence Larry 'Pun' Plamondon and MC5 guitarist Wayne Kramer. The footage of John Lennon performing at a rally to free Sinclair after he was sentenced to 10 years imprisonment for giving away two joints is remarkable, but that's just one of the highlights of a fantastic documentary.



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