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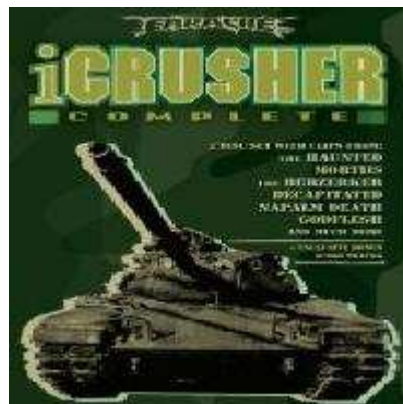
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iCrusher Complete is the long awaited DVD collection that gathers Earache Records two popular iCrusher collections together for the first time. The collection contains nearly 40 videos and live performances by many of the label's most popular artists over the years. As Earache is one of the most brutal and arguably offensive labels on the planet, this collection plays host to some of the wildest artists to grace the extreme metal genre over the years. Insision, Ephual Death, The Berzerker, Napalm Death, Usurper, Morbid Angel, Hate Eternal, and Cadaver, Inc all represent the label's most brutal moments while bands like Linea77, The Haunted, Society 1, and December represent the label's irreverent side. Throw in the creativity of artists like Mortiiis, Carcass, Cult of Luna, and Godflesh, sprinkle it with the some thick Cathedral and Entombed fog and you have a very, very diverse collection of videos and live material.

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This collection is exactly as it sounds. It's a sometimes unnerving, sometimes unbelievable, always bizarre, and always surprising group of bands that have the word "metal" in common. The video clips are surprisingly professional for the most part, especially flag ship artists like Morbid Angel, Mortiiis, The Berzerker, and Hate Eternal. As a matter of fact, Morbid Angel's "God of Emptiness" is downright creepy. This is an extreme metal fans wildest dream; forget piecing together YouTube clips when you can get this for a reasonable price.

Bottom Line: Heavy as stink and crazy as almost anything you can dream

up. These clips are as diverse as the historical earache roster suggests.

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