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Kyle Jason – Revolution Of The Cool (DVD/CD set)

Picture: C Sound: C Extras: C Main Program: C
 CD Sound: B- Music: B-



Kyle Jason is a Soul singer who is stuck in the James Brown/Prince mode and has talent, but is at a crossroads. He will either stay satisfied with archetypes and do the same thing the rest of his life or try to do something with his talents that could make him the next big voice in R&B.

Revolution Of The Cool is designed to introduced him to a new audience and the DVD is extremely determined to show he has street credibility. It overdoes it badly and the interviews with others do not make a difference one way or another.

Though he seems sincere for the most part, he should let the music speak for itself instead of this awkward program. He talks about acting in some film, but it is an urban Gangster genre hardly anyone has heard of and may be too soon for him to reflect on a second career. We'll have to see the film at a later date. But what about the music? The two Music Videos here are weak and the medley of his singing cuts in every time it is about to get interesting. The image quality is poor throughout all of it.

Fortunately, there is the CD, which offers a dozen songs that better show off what he has going for him. Unfortunately, though not as bad as the location audio from the DVD in Dolby Digital 2.0 that is sometimes stereo, the PCM 2.0 Stereo is too harsh to be enjoyed as much as it could be. With that aside, Jason is a diamond in the rough and it is hard to tell how much he realizes this. Just being an R&B singer at this time in itself is an achievement in the midst of Rap and bad Pop records, but he is going to need to do more if he is going to reach his full capacity and potential. We'll have to see what he does next.

- Nicholas Sheffo

MARKET PLACE

- >Chappelle's Show - Season Two: Uncensored
- >Be Cool (Widescreen)
- >King Kong (1976 CD Soundtrack)
- >Classic Albums - The Jimi Hendrix Experience: Electric Ladyland (DVD-Video)
- >The Daily Show: Indecision 2004



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