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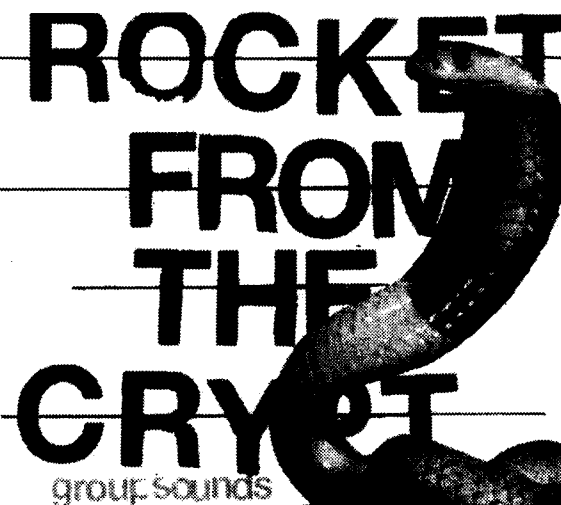


Reviewed by: Tyler Durden
Artist/Group: Lacuna Coil
Album title: *Unleashed Memories*
Label: Century Media
Release Date: Out Now
Genre: Emo/Pro Rock
Overall Rating:****
I Would Probably Buy It

Every now and then I stumble upon a great album that I normally wouldn't listen to. Lacuna Coil's *Unleashed Memories* is just such an album. Produced by Waldeman Sorychta of Grip Inc., I was expecting a progressive metal album that was most likely going far away into the unplayed bin of CDs. What I got was a band that seems to blend elements of

Cure. Harmonized male and female vocals drift over powerful straight-ahead guitar arrangements. It really is something cool to hear. If you have the means, I highly recommend checking this one out. Fans of any genre of music can appreciate this.

For Fans of: Portishead, A Perfect Circle

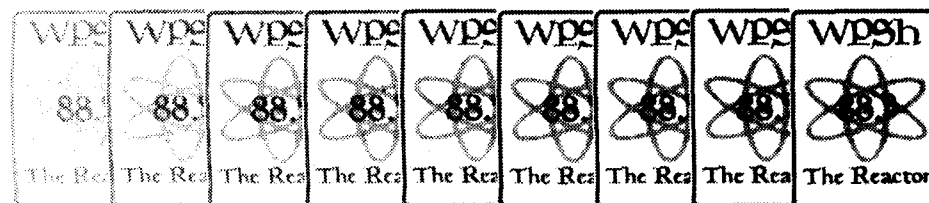


Reviewed by: Uncle Sal
Artist/Group: Rocket From the Crypt
Album Title: *Group Sounds*
Label: Vagrant
Release Date: Spring 2001
Genre: Rock
Overall Rating:*****
Stupendous

This band just doesn't stop rockin'! This album is one of their best to date. It has a feeling of nostalgia taking the audience back to RFTC's early years — *The State of Art is on Fire* and *Circa Now*. From this album, I guess it proves the point that once a band leaves a major record label (Interscope) and returns to an independent record label (Vagrant), the band has more freedom and autonomy to write real, rocking music. The guitars drive the songs while the bass and drums keep up

a steady, fast-rocking rythm and the saxophone and trumpet fill in the empty spaces with vibrant notes. Speedo's vocals are still as straightforward and raspy as ever, while the backing vocals are still harmonizing and adding a melody and a unique flavor.

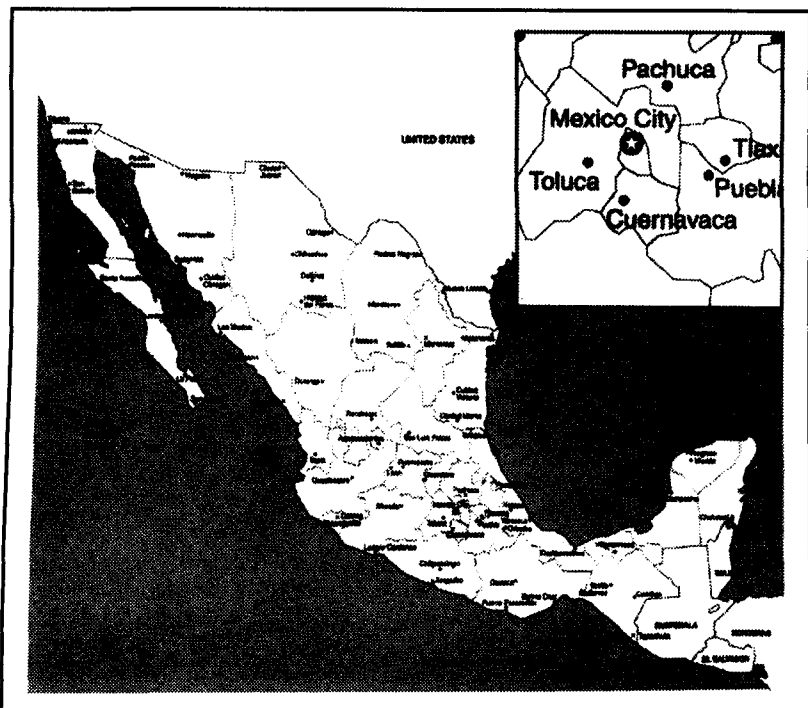
For Fans of: Supersuckers, Drive Like Jehu, Swingin' Neckbreakers, Swingin' Utters, Weezer



SUMMER IN MEXICO

(and get credit for it!)

*Cuernavaca, Mexico in 2001:
21 Days and 22 Nights
From May 19th to June 10th*



Cuernavaca, Mexico: Cuernavaca, capital of the state of Morelos, was known by the Aztecs as "Cuahnahuac," meaning "near the forest" in Nahuatl. The city's ideal climate accounts for its lush vegetation and bright exotic flowers as well as its reputation as "The City of Eternal Spring." The city of 500,000 inhabitants is located at an altitude of about 5,000 feet with an average temperature of 75-80 degrees. It is a beautiful place to study Spanish!

Intensive Spanish 010:
Students with no prior experience with Spanish (6 credits)

Intensive Spanish 020:
Students with the equivalent of Spanish I (6 credits)

The program balances goals of better communication in Spanish with an understanding of culture through the experiences of family settings as well as the larger community. Small classes put special time and emphasis on developing beginning competence in the language. The course textbook, "Pido la palabra," is included in the course fees. All students are required to participate in either Intensive Spanish 010 or Intensive Spanish 020.

May 15 - May 17, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Nine hours of seminar classes at Penn State Capital College. Classes will cover cultural and linguistic information, including survival vocabulary for travelers. Required of all Intensive Spanish and Service-learning students.

May 19 - June 10

Intensive Spanish - 75 hours of classes at the Cemanahuac Educational Community in Cuernavaca, Mexico, including 60 hours in the classroom and 15 hours of field study.

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