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Band: Karnivore (SE)

Genre: Death / Thrash Metal

Label: Lake Of Fire Productions

Albumtitle: In The Halls Of The Wicked

Duration: 52:14

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After two demos and two normal discs, the Sweden Karnivore welcome us in the Halls Of The Wicked. According to the cover, the album- and songtitles, it's no concept album here indeed, but it seems to be more of a – to use a new phrase – theme album about utterly evil people, who're situated in an asylum. But it doesn't matter, as it's truly worth listening to what the death-trasher smack us in the face. However, to call the sound death/trash, is in this case too limiting for the band.

More as an intersection of Legion Of The Damned and Carcass, Karnivore prefer melodic bows instead of pure death-shoving. What doesn't mean that the rank frenzy doesn't rule here, though. In contrary. The six string, in best trash-manner, with fine riffs through the botany, get from time to time replaced by almost hymnal and well reasoned melodies, which start off the tension bow again for taking the listener/headbanger again on a furious ride. The amazing arrangements reveal quite the parallels to the above mentioned bands. They do their own thing, however, and above everything the vocalist scream-groans (what a description) his way through the construct.

Conclusion:

Legion Of The Damned and Carcass stood as godfathers. On this band one certainly should keep an eye on. And...a more amazing reverence-number as the opener "Underground", I haven't heard from the previously mentioned bands yet. So, now I'm gonna give the band a "like" on facebook.

Rating 8/10

Weblink: <http://www.karnivore.se>, <http://www.facebook.com/karnivorematal>

Line-Up:

Martin Holmqvist - Vocals

Jens Englund - Guitars / Bass

Mattias Johansson - Drums

Tracklist:

01. Under Ground

02. Feast Upon The Living

03. An Era Of Decay

04. Ut Ur Askan

05. Psycho

06. The Warden

07. In The Halls Of The Wicked

08. Mr. Gein

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