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Band: Doomsday Ceremony (BR)

Genre: Black Metal

Label: Clawhammer PR

Albumtitle: Black Heart

Duration: 34:47

Releasedate: 22.04.2016



Black Heart was already completed and released via Cogumelo Records in South America in the beginning of 2012 and now Clawhammer PR release the second album of the Brazilian Doomsday Ceromeny in Europe. The key question is if it was worth waiting. Well, I think so.

The base of the album is Scandinavian Black Metal like in the early 90's as celebrated by bands like Dissection, Unanimated or Nagelfar. The emphasis is placed on well-balanced tempo and melodies and lesser on blind rage and nagging vocals. Doomsday Ceremony diverges another step from this base with Black Heart. The vocalist stays with his deep vocals near the border to Death Metal growls and this can be clearly identified as Black Metal. Also the majority of riffs can be allocated to Black Metal.

However, in almost every song there are moments that the thought to listen to a Power / Heavy Metal album comes to one's mind. The first 30 seconds of the titletrack and also the middle part of "Slaves Of Sin" can be placed on each Grave Digger or Hammerfall-Album. Furthermore the guitar solos sound rather untypical for Black Metal as it is neither aggressive nor melancholic or depressive.

Overall the album spreads a rather exceptional atmosphere that I personally really like. Also the sound and songwriting know to satisfy and therefore I can recommend this album to each Black Metal fan that is not impartial towards Music and doesn't disappear in the woods at the words Heavy and Metal.

Conclusion: It is an exciting and inspiring album that has its roots in Black Metal but grows towards Heavy Metal.

Rating: 7/10

Recommendations: Slaves of Sin, Black Heart

Weblink: <https://www.facebook.com/DoomsdayCeremony>

Lineup:

Moloch - Vocals

Rieche - Guitars

Ciriato - Guitars

Shaitan - Bass, Backing Vocals

Wolff - Drums

Tracklist:

01. Vultures of War
02. I Am
03. Voice of the Darkness
04. Intro
05. Slaves of Sin
06. Intro
07. Black Heart
08. Valley of Shadows
09. Fury

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