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Band: Coffin Lust (AUS)

Genre: Death Metal

Label: Hells Headbangers

Albumtitle: Manifestation Of Inner Dark

Duration: 43:28

Releasedate: 13.05.2016



Firstly, respect for this sound as it's really perfect. On the one hand each instrument sounds clear and forceful out of the speakers and on the other hand it sounds as if it'd come directly out of the crypt. The balancing act between a modern production and an Old-school sound is fully succeeded.

Both band members have gained a lot of experience and have been active in the Australian Death/Black Metal scene for years. Deströyer 666, Hobb's Angel Of Death and Nocturnal Graves, only to name a few.

However, if anyone thinks that they are only two musicians who like to jump on the highspeed Death Metal bandwagon making a quick buck, I don't think so. Well, Coffin Lust already exists for 6 years. So far their only sign of life was the demo "Beyond The Dark" released in 2012.

The listeners must not expect songs hacked together in a few hours but rather a well thought out and excellent written Death Metal inferno with a length of nearly three-quarters of an hour. In fact, from the first tone right through the finishing of the album there is no weak point. From this perspective I could choose each of the 8 songs as recommendation.

This opus starts with rolling mid-tempo-sound and bands like Hail Of Bullets, Benediction, Asphyx or Autopsy send their regards. The drums will be unleashed in the third song and so the change in tempo between fast and slow runs throughout the end. The band forgoes fusses like instrumental interludes or intros. It is fascinating how the band manages to sustain the power of the slower parts at high speed. The double bass drumming was probably created for such kind of music. The songwriting impresses with its easiness but it doesn't sound dead or monotonous. Each riff, each break and each vocal part is masterful. Talking of vocals...the dominant pitch is of course deep growling. The vocalist intersperse some high screams now and then as one know it from Chris Barnes.

Conclusion: This is where one gets Death Metal, only Death Metal, nothing else. It is straightforward and simple without getting boring. The total package is more than harmonious. Any Death Metal fan that has no watering mouth by this cover and the song titles, definitely cannot be helped any further.

Rating: 9/10

Recommendations: Mass Extinction, Swarming Black Inferno

Weblink: <https://www.facebook.com/Coffinlust> , <http://coffinlust666.bandcamp.com>

Lineup:

P. W. - Vocals, Guitars

J.R. - Drums, Guitars

Tracklist:

01. Execration of Mortality
02. Beyond Redemption
03. Mass Extinction
04. Chaos Absolute
05. Swarming Black Inferno
06. Damnation's Bringer
07. Prophecy of Malevolence
08. Manifestation of Inner Darkness

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