

Metal Only

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Band: Khaos-Dei (F)

Genre: Black Metal

Label: Osmose Productions

Albumtitle: Opus II: Catechism

Duration: 48:41

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The Frenchmen of Khaos-Dei come around the corner with their second album completely without Corpse-Paint and the common image affectations. The guys like to redefine the French Black Metal with this album as per info sheet. Well, let's see what the result will be at the end.

However, they look rather like the brother of the later Jon Nödtveidt (deceased frontman of Dissection) and truly the band also sounds more like Dissection than many other rumble combo. Well, they can't quite reach the level and majesty of above mentioned band, but they know what they are doing, at least.

It is also good, that they not always bomb it but rather keep the songs exciting through slow parts. Therefore the whole thing is never boring as it is undifferentiated. Powerful and nasty riffs fire partly disharmonic and partly with anthemic deadness throughout the speakers. In general the whole album mediates one sinister atmosphere that appears really coherent and in this way it leads up to a real clump of hate.

One notices, that the band attaches importance to good arrangements and not only falls into rough beserk rage. Of course, here they also unleash the hell, but they know their limits.

Indeed, the sound is much better than so many productions in this genre, but it could have had more scabious filth. Ok, this would be bitching on high level.

Conclusion:

Really good album, that can be checked out as fan of Black Metal. Whether they really redefine the French Black Metal will be shown with such bands that are possibly inspired by it.

Rating: 7,5/10

Weblink: <http://www.facebook.com/khaosdei>

Line-Up:

Nacht - Guitars, Vocals

Kha-Lash - Bass

Damien - Drums

Tracklist:

01. Prelude
02. A L'Enfant Du Diable
03. Au Fond
04. Le Noyau du Chaos
05. Où Vous Tomberez
06. Dans Nos Abîmes
07. Sous La Bannière Noire
08. Une Armée Entière
09. Prête à Servir
10. Là Où Les Mots Ne Parlent Plus
11. Allégeance

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