

DIRECTLY FROM MEXICO CITY!

THE FUNERAL RATS

From the noisy, chaotic, depths of the Mexico City underground— there is no other band on the scene that represents the antithesis and emboldens the decay of rock-n-roll like The Funerals.

Their sound has been described as raw, uncompromising, and lyrically iconoclastic. Espousing anarchist ethos and a disregard for the hollow, disposable trends of modern times— they have been compared to the likes of early Iggy and the Stooges, "except dirtier and harder."

They came onto the scene in early 2007 with their first single, "Everything makes me remind you." The name of the band was inspired by vocalist, Edward Vox's family business— who remembers writing his earliest material between corpses laying' on the coolin' board ready to be embalmed or cremated.

He recalls fondly: "Those memories playing the first guitar chords amongst coffins..."

After years of frustration with the status quo as well as internal conflicts— the band took a five-year hiatus in 2010.

They rose again from the ashes in 2015— this time masked up in balaclavas as an anti-establishment statement— for their first European tour. After that they went on to play several significant festivals in Mexico such as the Marvin Gateway Festival, and MonkeyBee fest. They are being featured at the Freakout festival in Seattle, Washington in the fall of 2023.

Clearly influenced by the brutal, primitive Lofi sounds of bands such as Black Flag, The Sonics, and the Mummies —They have released 2 EPs, "Dinosaur Meth/Ebola Heart." And "WAR." And, most recently— their debut album, "OINK!", in 2023.

The newly released album— lyrically inspired by George Orwell's "Animal Farm" where the ruling classes and elitists are satirically portrayed as pigs; as well as aesthetically by the vandal and anti-establishment "street art" of Blek le Rat and Banksy— features 11 tracks of heavy-hitting, shameless, iconoclastic punk rock. Described by one critic as, "An album that will give the new generation crystal goosebumps."



RELEASES



DINOSAUR MATH
EBOLA HEART 2008



STRANGE GIRL
2020



WAR 2020



WAR 2020



Die Hippie
Die 2021



LEILA 2021



OINK 2022



Live Sessions
2023



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