

The Savage Voice

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It is Friday the 13th, the second of only three this year. Enjoy!

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New CD To Be Released April 20, 2012!

Austin, TX: 13-April-2012: King Kohn will release his second full-length album, **Blackened Blissful Bloom**, on April 20, 2012. This album is now available to pre-listen and purchase on his web site, www.KingKohn.com. Digital distributors and CD retailers will not start selling to the public until the official CD release date of April 20, 2012.

Blackened Blissful Bloom includes 13 tracks, three of which are solo piano and vocal compositions. King Kohn spent a lot of time this past year composing music on the piano for theatre, so these pieces are very theatrical in nature and

add a different texture to his tradition of non-traditional music.

Blackened Blissful Bloom demarcates a new direction in King Kohn's music. It is bolder, more dynamic and more experimental. King Kohn added another lead guitarist, Lance "Captain Shred" Woodburn, with a harder, metal edge, and Doug Frazier, from Peace. Love. Death., returned again to add his unmistakable flavor.

Again, King Kohn has chosen to eliminate the traditional base guitar to add a more folk element to his music as well as to bring out the drums.

There is more emphasis on the drums as compared to Peace. Love. Death., King Kohn's first album. Michal Krieger returned once again and did an incredible job on the drum work. The third track, **Veni Vidi Voro**, a song about a cult of vampires who prey on corrupt politicians, begins with an epic drum solo; **Prickly Little People**, track 11, features an off-beat, fun and playful experimental rhythm; and throughout the album, the drums have been moved to center stage.

CD Release Show and Party:

Kicking off his new CD release, King Kohn will be performing at the **Carousel Lounge** in Austin, Texas on Friday April 20, 2012. Doors open at 6:30pm. Tickets are \$5 and include a copy of *Blackened Blissful Bloom*. Advance tickets can be purchased at www.KingKohn.com.

Starting off the evening, the KROX 101x radio station van will be broadcasting live from the venue and giving away t-shirts and other swag from 6:30pm to 7:30pm. Commercials will be airing the week prior to the show, and if you would like to hear King Kohn's Kommercial you can listen to it at: <http://www.kingkohn.com/101x.mp3>

Performers for King Kohn's CD Release show include:

Michael Krieger: Drums
Doug Frazier: Lead Guitar
Captain Shred: Lead Guitar
King Kohn: Vocals, Guitar, Piano

Opening Act: Elizabeth Von Santillan

Intermission Act: Weston "White Keys" Woodburn.

King Kohn is looking forward to putting on a great show, so join him on April 20, 2012 for a one of a kind show in Austin, Texas, the live music capital of the world! ■

Spread the Love:

One of the best things you can do as a fan, is introduce King Kohn's music to friends and family. Feel free to rip his CD and share it with those closest to you.

King Kohn has implemented a **Name Your Own Price** plan for his music, so if you haven't yet purchased a CD, please do so and support independent musicians.

You may go to King Kohn's website, snag a widget and share his music on social networks, blogs and anywhere you can place html code. It takes only a moment, and voilà, instant access to Acoustic Death Metal Hippie Folk Rock! Go to www.kingkohn.com, and click the "SHARE" button. Thanks for spreading the word.

Another way to help shave the love is to purchase a song from iTunes or Amazon and leave a short and righteous review about King Kohn's music for others to see. Many people are hesitant to purchase new music, and taking a little time to write a few words of praise is a wonderful way to help promote King Kohn's music. ■

Thank You From The King:

I appreciate all my fans who continue to support my music. I appreciate you giving me the opportunity to continue to hone my craft. Thank you for your continued patronage, and enjoy the newsletter and the new music!

Paix et Amour ou Mort,

~King Kohn

