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THE POLICE EXPERIENCE is the most authentic Police tribute band in the world; performing internationally for over 20 years- delivering the ultra high-energy show The Police were known for in their prime. This highly acclaimed tribute to The Police has even won the praise of Police founding member Stewart Copeland himself, who commented...

*"...every nuance, all the drum parts, and the singer has Sting down to a tee..."*

Originally founded in 2002, THE POLICE EXPERIENCE were soon befriended by Stewart's brother Ian Copeland, who was also founder of FBI Booking and the driving force behind The Police's unparalleled touring success. Ian was so impressed by the band's authenticity, passion and energy that he had them perform for Stewart Copeland's birthday in July 2003 at a small gathering for friends and family- including Miles Copeland III; founder of IRS records and manager of The Police. Upon hearing the band, Stewart himself jumped up on stage and sat in with THE POLICE EXPERIENCE, tearing the house down with "Driven to Tears" and "Roxanne." For the band it was an honor and a solid affirmation of their efforts to play with one of the world's most talented rock drummers ever and the founding member of The Police. Later- Miles Copeland said of the band...

*"...the best copy band I have seen to date...close your eyes and it's my boys..."*

In addition to being named one of the "World's Greatest Tribute Bands" (AXS TV), THE POLICE EXPERIENCE has continued performing in variety of theaters, performing arts centers, casinos, cruise ships, and clubs- featuring a client list that includes Disney, Xerox, and Royal Caribbean. Even more recently has been the advent of "THE POLICE EXPERIENCE- SYMPHONIC"- a full 90-minute show of all the classics, backed by a Symphony Orchestra.

The band has also has been embraced by a community of musicians who all share the same respect for the music of The Police- most notably the band's good friend Taylor Hawkins who would frequently "borrow" David and Jimbo for his own local "Police" gigs and talk about them whenever given the chance- even in a National interview he was quoted as saying-

*"... all of a sudden I was transported back to 1983... they knew EVERY single Police song perfectly... it might have been the awesomest, funnest, most musically satisfying experience.. this guy sounds exactly like Sting..."*

Two decades after their inception, the band continues to thrill audiences worldwide- THE POLICE EXPERIENCE is as close as it gets to the real thing... "Roxanne," "Walking On The Moon," "Every Breath You Take", "Don't Stand So Close to Me..." You'll hear all your favorite Police songs. You'll get transported back to your youth, You'll discover the genius in the music- You'll experience what it was like to see one of the world's best bands in their prime. You **will** see why "it doesn't get any closer" than THE POLICE EXPERIENCE.