



Band: Freaky Things
Album Title: Nightweaver
Magic Songs Vol 1'
Label: Independent
Genre: Hard Rock



Band Line-Up:

Chuck Arlund - Cowriter,
All Instruments, Backup
Vocals
Joe Spiller - Cowriter, Lead
Vocals

CD Track Listing:

- 1- Hurl Through Hell
- 2- Eater of the Dead
- 3- Approach of the Second Sun
- 4- Insidious Dreams
- 5 - Bonfire of the Damned

Hailing from Nashville and Kansas City, USA, we find Hard Rock duo **FREAKY THINGS**, and they have an excellent new five track album out now called 'Nightweaver Magic Songs Vol 1' which clocks in at around twenty-six minutes long, and it is the band's debut release other than a single back in May. **'Hurl Through Hell'** kicks the EP off and this song is

a heavy catchy rocker with hints of Megadeth and W.A.S.P., which is due to Joe Spiller raspy vocals. The instrumental work from Chuck Arlund is quite energy driven and technically complex, good starter.

Next up is the very catchy **'Eater of the Dead'**, this is one of my favourite songs, its punchy and heavy with slamming instrumentation, again Joe goes full force vocally, there a drop in musical pace for a little neo-classical soling before the energy picks up again. This is fantastic song. There is a sense of mystery with the next track **'Approach of the Second Sun'**. This one is hard hitting yet melodic and catchy; it is also the longest song on the EP clocking in at over six minutes long. The song gives Chuck the chance to really expressive his creativity and the musical work is fabulous and quite complex yet melodic, whilst Joe sounds raspy and gutsy with tons of energy, easily the best song on the album.

'Insidious Dreams' is a subtle melodic atmospheric ballad, the music is also quite mysterious and Joe puts in an amazing vocal performance, coming across a little like Alice Cooper meets Phil Lewis from L.A. Guns, magnificent song. The EP ends up with the band in full rock mode with

the hard hitting catchy **'Bonfire of the Damned'** its full on blazing guitars with catchy fist pumping anthemic chorus.



Overall 'Nightweaver Magic Songs Vol 1' will please most hard rock fans, the songs are well produced and the band deliver them with confidences, its actually hard to think that these guys are duo, they come across better than a lot of full bands out there, 'Nightweaver Magic Songs Vol 1' is therefore highly recommended.

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