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Nightmares By Design



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All vocals and instruments performed, recorded and produced by Jono Bacon apart from some solos performed by Jim Adams. Recorded in Oakland, California in August 2010. Mastered by Dan Lynch. Album art by Sonia Bass.

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Foretold Revelation

Music and lyrics by Jono Bacon

Disguising, divining, the prophet told,
Receiving, deceiving, the age of old,
Repeating defeating, to cast them high,
And then we take the ashes and throw
them to the sky,

The eagle flies above the sea,
The blood of Thoth, it flows through me,
To keep the captor, prisoners will see,
Foretelling revelation,
Revelation siege,
Revelation siege.

And then we walk beyond the ashes,
walking through the sky,
Annihilation follows us, catastrophe on high,
The immolation, the martyrdom, the victim's
hands held low,
The final fight, the death at night, the lion's
head it glows.

The eagle flies above the sea,
The blood of Thoth, it flows through me,
To keep the captor, prisoners will see,
Revelation siege,
Revelation siege.

Solo: Jim Adams

Drill Down

Music and lyrics by Jono Bacon

Ride wide, keep your head outside, that
one silver bullet ain't on your side now,
They're never gonna take the hate away,
the bullets and the knives and the hand
grenades,
Eighteen, drunk on fate, I pulled that plug
when I signed my name on,
Don't care, don't need no war, I'm living
on the edge until I live no more.

Drill down, drill deep,
You look the wrong way,
Raping and killing,
Stop the ghosts who choose to haunt me,
Drill down, drill deep,
You look the wrong way,
Raping and killing,
Stop the ghosts who murdered me,

Never gonna take the ride to hell,
The killing and the maiming, the muscle
to rebel,
It's time to sin then it's time to prey,

Shoot to kill, stab to thrill, my power drill,
Take this hell, take it to the killing fields,
Power over heresy,

You give, I take, your life for sale,
Human flesh has never looked so god
damn pale,
Mannequin of a fallen son,

Take the ride, make it right on time,
Outside is the genocidal line,
Supremacy of strength...strength that
never ends

Drill down!
Drill down!
Drill down!
Drill down!



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Politcold

Music and lyrics by Jono Bacon

Disrespect my name, as you step into the
game,
Repel this morality, under guidance from
the state,
My money rules these fools to lose,
extortion, abortion, never proved,
You take what's sacred and you rip it out of
me,

Disrespect my hate, tap this vein, eradicate,
Break reality, wrap it up in the world we see,
Fight with fire, wonder why the house burns
down,
God damn liar, ship of lies this country
drowns

You're taking down the state, you're
politcold with hate.

Solo: Jim Adams

Solo: Jono Bacon

Fight Philosophy

Music and lyrics by Jono Bacon

Sweat pours, outside,
Clenched fist, defend my pride now,
Ten years, your rule,
Defend, violent mule,

Fight tall, fight proud,
Sweat pours in the crowd now,
Round two, black cloud,
Your rage, your hate!

Don't defend the state,
Disrespect the only way,
Violence moves with me,
Blame the anger
Fight philosophy,
Violate the will to speak,
Violence moves with me,
Blame the anger.

Blame your fate.

My chest impacts,
Cracked rib, aching back,
Clenched fist, hit the ground,
Concussed, seventh round.

Don't defend the state,
Disrespect the only way,
Violence moves with me,
Blame the anger
Fight philosophy,
Violate the will to speak,
Violence moves with me,
Blame the anger.



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Fallout

Music and lyrics by Jono Bacon

As the darkness covers me, the
walls inside are sound,
Never found the riot seige, as the
time to kill counts down,
Feed the fear as my blood runs
clear, and the sweat begins to
pour,
And then the doors they open,
and they reek of bloody war.

As you follow me, feel you
breathing,
Beyond heaven's fields, god is
kneeling,
As you tighten me, pain forever,
Rip apart my soul, feel the hate
control.

Fallout!
Fallout!
Fallout!
Everyone hit the ground.

Fallout!
Fallout!
Fallout!
Fallout!

As you follow me, feel you
breathing,
Beyond heaven's fields, god is
kneeling,
As you tighten me, pain forever,
Rip apart my soul, feel the hate
control.

Forgotten Heroes

Music and lyrics by Jono Bacon

Beyond the ashes, beyond the ground,
Beyond the rain, beyond the clouds,
Inside the trenches, my brothers they would be,
Protect the way in which we're free,
They took them away from me,

As I step into our home, their wives in black in
white are gone,
Drifted memories, the past in which we bleed,

Sacrificed by rage, pawns in forgotten war,
Trapped inside these hills, a story that goes on,
and on, and on,
Lives that should been, the fathers pride at their
children's dream,
Forgotten heroes in a world in which they freed.

And now I'm back here, on a path that I once tread,
Machines of war stood still, beside the dead,
The trees are calm, I feel the dew it coat my face,
Hands chilled, birds sing for the first time in this
place,
But the memories are real,

And I still can feel the pain,
Laid awake at night, I see my brothers my slain,
And now I stand here where they lay,

Sacrificed by rage, pawns in forgotten war,
Trapped inside these hills, a story that goes on,
and on, and on,
Lives that should been, the fathers pride at their
children's dream,
Forgotten heroes in a world in which they freed.

Solo: Jono Bacon
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The Blackening

Music and lyrics by Jono Bacon

Demons tempting me, faith tries to heal,
My body caked in sweat as this war erupts in me,
Psychosis pacified, doctors fears not justified,
Blood runs black, my mind is freed, a place where
no-one wants to be,

Death is what you see
Have you forsaken me?
Taste my grip, my hate,
We eviscerate!

What have you become?

Take my pain away, take it from place,
I will take your pain,
Repent the sins of one, beckoning the sun,
I denied your reign,

Never will I hurt you, never will I maim,
Yet you walk away from me,
Darkness is your family, in shadows you are
clothed,
Blackening your soul,
Blackening your soul.

Fight the fight, fight to kill,
Rip apart, tear to thrill,
Take belief, rip it through,
Hate my devil, hate yours too,

Fight the light, evil rides,
Burning sin, justified,
Tantric vision, world that slays,
Taking back my blackened ways,

Inside me, inside you, change is true,
Battles I'm winning,
Take my hate, claim my fate, selfless state,
Forgiveness has drowned your soul,

Kill the king, take control,
Blunt force, in his soul,
Clashed steel, rage of fire,
Demons fight the devil's Sayer

Don't stop endless war,
He stabs, dragons roar,
Fallen victim, sin of gabe,
Unmasked savior, demons saved,

Inside me, inside you, change is
true,
Battles I'm winning,
Take my hate, claim my fate,
selfless state,
Forgiveness has drowned your
soul,

Drowned your soul.

Be.



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They Prey

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Everything I say, at the end of everyday,
The fires burning slow, as my people they all
stay,
Eradicate my fate, as integrity is stained,
The founding fathers, the freedom taught the
enemy to stay,

We all saw them prey, we destroy their race,
Never fight their way, we reject you,

As they walked us, hands behind our backs,
Beside the darkness, the torches lit our path,
Fighting no one, fighting to be free,
Hatred breathed,

Never be this way, you never feel your fate,
You fight inside of me, it's the nothingness I
crave,
Despair in no one's faith, appointed to the grave,
The crosses lay, the burials are growing by the
day,

We all saw them prey, we destroy their race,
Never fight their way, we reject you,

As they walked us, hands behind our backs,
Beside the darkness, the torches lit our path,
Fighting no one, fighting to be free,
Hatred breathed,

Solo: Jono Bacon

End Of Days

Music and lyrics by Jono Bacon

Outside the fiefdom lies, the barriers
of one,
Beyond the faith transpires, as the
people we have come,
Finding fault in the recent change,
as the myths they take us low,
Dividing sin as my brothers did, in
stories they once told,

As the fires were lighted, and the
burning trees revealed,
One thousand angry men, one
thousand swords and shields,
Hunger for our women, hunger for
our dream,
Starved by civility, cause the
violence hates our peace,

And we were never told, they came
to bring the cold,
As they tore apart our ways, they
brought the end of days,
End of days
End of days
End of days.

Librate
Librate
Librate
Disrespect your fate



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Machines Of War

Music and lyrics by Jono Bacon

Bodies falling, death all around,
I seal my contract as my
money reigns the crown
Fighting fury, as I pay my dues,
Tear apart your ethic, nothing
more do

Inside of me, my conscience
leads the way,
Never wanted pain, it's the
dollars that I craved,
Outside of me is a greed I
can't control,
Machines of war stood still I
repent the final blow,

Laid asleep now, as my
thoughts replay,
Gotta get away, gotta stop the
hate parade,
I've seen their faces, I've seen
their lives,
I seen destruction, paid for by
my lies,

Inside of me, my conscience
leads the way,
Never wanted pain, it's the
dollars that I craved,
Outside of me is a greed I
can't control,
Machines of war stood still I
repent the final blow,

Go!

Repent

Music and lyrics by Jono Bacon

Creeping forwards, keeping low as I crawl my way,
through the endless pain,
You don't know me, the shadows fall, as I walk my line,
with death defined

Do you belong here? Do you believe in hate the way I
do?

To defend the death of truth.
As we fuel the world's fear, As we take our hatred to
the streets of corporate grief?
To bathe them in belief.

Take my faith, fear my rage, redeem my soul, repent
my hate.

Repent! Repent! Repent my hate, repent my hate!
Repent! Repent! Repent my hate, repent my hate!
Repent! Repent! Repent my hate, repent my hate!
Repent! Get outside, and get inside, and repent!

Nothing matters, nothings left as I walk through the
dead, their screams in my head,

Do you see you? Do you feel the pain inflicted to, all
those who cared for you?

Money talking, business speaks a language you revile,
as your greed becomes denial,

Take my faith, fear my rage, redeem my soul, repent
my hate.

Repent! Repent! Repent my hate, repent my hate!
Repent! Repent! Repent my hate, repent my hate!
Repent! Repent! Repent my hate, repent my hate!
Repent! Get outside, and get inside, and repent!