

PROTECTOR - Cursed and Coronated LP High Roller 2016

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I will tell you that after stunning PROTECTOR`s return and their amazing Reanimated Homunculus I was worried whether Martin and his mates didn't set their bar too high and, in result, it'd be hard for them to compose another equally destructive album in the future. So, three years passed and here we can enjoy PROTECTOR`s new album. While listening to this stuff, I can only say I didn't need to worry at all. Their previous album wasn't nothing extraordinary as it happens when bands reactivate and record some excellent stuff at first to feed us with some mediocore shit later. Why?

Because this outfit is a coasted metal machine no one shall be able to stop. Despite new trends and fashions, this very band is one of very few which decided to prove that, in spite of their long inactivity, they still are able to produce the old atmosphere the fans expect and desire. Cursed and Coronated refreshes the old formula of the 80s. And this stuff could've been easily recorded after Golem or Urm the Mad. Of course, I am not talking about the verbatim sound of the old PROTECTOR only, but also the riffs. It is absolutely unbelievable how "old-school" this album sounds. It still has got plenty of youthful rebellion in itself, as well as wrath and omnipotent energy. This material is very sincere, it is honest to the bone, full of passion, too. Martin is a real visionary – and his vocal is, after so many years, still very powerful. Another good thing is the line-up has been refreshed. It works well, here. One just listens to these tracks and wonders how powerful they are.

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