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## Silke Berlinn & The Addictions To Release 'RETROPUNK'

Silke Berlinn, often referred to as the 'Janis Joplin of punk rock,' is preparing to release her newest record, 'RETROPUNK.' The new outing, accompanied by her band the Addictions, is an eclectic and dark jaunt through a very real, gritty punk sound. The Queen of the Underground is in top form.

True to name, 'RETROPUNK' feels vintage. It does, however, feel contemporary as well. Berlinn has bridged the divide between classic and modern punk rock in an elegant fashion. The record is a sonic culmination of influences the likes of the Velvet Underground and Iggy Pop. There's a remarkable uniqueness to Berlinn's latest offering, too. She supercharges each track with her intense presence and haunting performance.

The album is fully original content with the exception of 'Happiness,' Berlinn's rendition of the Beatles classic 'Happiness is a Warm Gun.' and Berlinn pulls it off one hundred percent. Her rendition of the classic John Lennon song is jaw-droppingly captivating. Read what the critics are saying!!

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"RETROPUNK" – Gives rock music the wake up call
Rick Jam, JamSphere
From beginning to end "RETROPUNK" is the best indie punk record I've heard
Brett Stewart, Independent Spotlight
"RETROPUNK" – attitude, spontaneity and incredible songs
Video Stars News
"RETROPUNK" – the definition of pure, unabashed, scathing rock n' roll
Peter Burns, Review Indie
"RETROPUNK" is more than a perfect 'retro-punk' or alternative rock album, from
start to
finish
Jenna Johnson, Sound Looks
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Silke Berlinn maintains an impressive presence online with 120,000 Facebook followers and more than two million combined views of her videos from the last year. The current line-up of the Addictions is Gary Kaluza on bass, Matt Lee on guitar, and Dead Kennedy on drums, and of course, mind-blowing vocal performances from Silke Berlinn.

The band will be preforming select shows in Southern California all summer and the album is soon to drop both digitally and physically. (Major distribution outlets such as iTunes will house the album. Fans will also be able to swoop up a copy of 'RETROPUNK' on CD or vinyl.)