

STEVE MORSE MAJOR IMPACTS 2

MAGNA CARTA MA-9070-2



- 1) Wooden Music (4:57)
- 2) Where are you? (3:25)
- 3) Errol Smith (4:38)
- 4) Cool Wind, Green Hills (3:55)
- 5) Organically Grown (3:47)
- 6) 12 strings on Carnaby St. (4:39)
- 7) Zig Zags (4:28)
- 8) Abracadab (4:14)
- 9) Tri County Barn Dance (3:51)
- 10) Air on a 6 String (2:20)
- 11) Motor City Spirit (3:01)
- 12) Ghost of the Bayou (3:06)
- 13) Leonard's Best (4:17)

Widely hailed as an innovative alternative to the more standard tribute album, Steve Morse's "Major Impacts" concept sees him paying tribute to his influences not with direct covers but with original numbers that recall the style of his heroes, through his own interpretive sheen. Not only does it showcase his incredible versatility and inventiveness as a guitar player, composer and interpreter, it provides a window into what makes him the guitar player he is today.

"When Magna Carta came up with the idea, my take was to come up with the stuff and take artistic liberties, like interpreting a vocal artist using only instrumental sounds," says Morse. "I liked the idea immediately because it was such a challenge. So many people do tribute albums where they simply play the artist's stuff, but this was so totally different: to sound like some of the artists that inspired me but with an instrument instead of a voice. That's a supreme challenge, and one which I really enjoyed."

"Major Impacts 2" shows the Dregs and Deep Purple guitarist composing songs in homage of Crosby, Stills, Nash & Young; The Who; Aerosmith; Emerson Lake & Palmer; The Yardbirds; ZZ Top; Genesis; Spirit, Deep Purple, Ted Nugent; and Lynyrd Skynyrd.

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"The concept was for me to write music that reflected the styles of some of the musicians that had influenced me", offers Steve. Impacts include Cream, Jimi Hendrix, Jeff Beck, The Byrds, Jimmy Page, John McLaughlin, George Harrison, and more.

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"...the fact that I couldn't decide between two different ideas actually became the concept. That is, part of the album is heavier, band type material, the other part is more mellow, with acoustic elements in much of it. I really wanted to do both, hence the title, Split Decision."

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