



HELLBASTARD

Genocidal Crust: The Demos 1986-1987

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RADIATION REISSUES

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DESCRIPTION

Either intentionally or unwittingly this is a band experimenting with extremes. Formed in 1985 when Thatcherism swooped over England and scalped the North East, **Hellbastard** admit to being "too metal for punk, too punk for metal," instead coining the term "crust" as a way to feel at peace within themselves whilst simultaneously starting a sonic war that shocked the nerves into spools of frayed tape. With **Malcolm "Scruff" Lewty** on guitar and vocals, **Ian "Scotty" Scott** on bass and vocals and **Phil Laidlow** on drums, it was all captured with their classic Ripper Demo debut release in '86'. But really, it's all encapsulated right here with this reissue, also containing the follow-up demolition from '87 - Hate Militia. Both are perfect ways to establish the nightmarish worlds, of death camps and dark sides, that wildly writhe within his group's menacing worldview.

TRACKLISTING

- A1. Intro
- A2. Nazi Killed
- A3. Massacre
- A4. Deceiver
- A5. Insanity
- B1. Death From Above
- B2. Life? For Who
- B3. Kill Or Be Killed
- B4. Outside Claustrophobia
- B5. Skag-Kill D-Pushers
- B6. And Nowwww...
- C1. Intro (For Hammerhead R.I.P.)
- C2. Conditioned
- C3. Nazis Killed
- C4. Civilised?
- D1. Hate Militia
- D2. Death Camp
- D3. Dark Side
- D4. Ok... Go... Napalm Death (And Now... Pt 2)

HIGHLIGHTS

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