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Early 1989, soon after their former bands had split up, bassist Claus Vonberg and guitarist Thomas Tefke met to play a session. With them were guitarist/Keyboarder Harald Moellges and Thomas' old buddy Roland Busch, aiding them on drums.
Inspired by well-known Hard'n'Heavy-bands of the late 70s & 80s, Claus and Thomas idea of a band matched immediately: Classic, riff-based Heavy Metal giving space for melodic vocals and a powerful rhythm section.
Getting aware that Duesseldorf's Hard Rockers "Stallion" split up as well, Thomas convinced singer Achim Hopf to join in. Both knew each other from times playing together in a band called "Sentinel".
Soon skilled drummer Alvar Siefert completed the line-up.
The band's name resulted of their common preference for the same-titled movie and the great Soundtrack by Queen.
At this time no other same-named band existed. Still they decided to add a typo to the band's name to avoid potential copyright-struggles in the future.
After live-shows with astounding feedback from the audience a first demo-tape was recorded in 1990 at Duesseldorf's Joswig-Studios.
After that 5-track demo, the band parted with keyboarder Harald, seeing Hyghlander's musical future in pure guitar sound.
A live-session at Joswig Studios followed in 1991, resulting in another 6-track demo.
When first record companies showed interest, Hyghlander did one more live-session in the same studio, to provide a decent song-selection for a first longplayer-album.
Instead the band had to split up out of personal reasons during 1992.
The present Hyghlander 17-track compilation has been exclusively re-mastered by Sasch Menschl for TopX Music/Scream. The hard disc-version is available with an elaborate 12-page booklet.

For fans of **Whitesnake, Def Leppard** !

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Achim Hopf, Lead Vocals
Thomas Tefke, Guitars
Claus Vonberg, Bass
Alvar Siefert, Drums

Tracklist

01. Birds Made Of Steel 03:35
02. Playing Just For You 03:17
03. Gunlady 03:18
04. Troublemaker 03:37
05. United States Of Europe 03:30
06. The Miracle 04:02
07. Your Own Tiny World 04:49
08. Colors Of Blood 04:22
09. No, No, No 05:00
10. No Time For Dreamers 03:37
11. Hot For Glory 03:32
12. Lonely Star 03:36
13. World Of Broken Dreams 03:28
14. Only Heartache Remains 04:48
15. Sitting In A Glasshouse 03:37
16. Universe 03:06
17. Reign Of Noise 03:09

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