

QUIET RIOT

QUIET RIOT is a rock & roll phenomenon. Famously described as the first heavy metal band to top the pop chart at #1 on Billboard magazine, the Los Angeles quartet became an overnight sensation thanks to their monster 1983 smash album "Metal Health".

QUIET RIOT first signed a record deal with Pasha records in the dawn of the 80's at a time when radio was dominated by the "new wave" sound. Their hard driving pop metal sound was deemed "out" by record labels so the debut album "Metal Health" was against the grain. Driven by the irresistible double whammy of the rendition of the old Slade chestnut "Cum on Feel the Noize," and their original song "Metal Health" (Bang your head) the album stormed up the U.S. charts, duly reaching the number one spot and going platinum five times over in the process. Against all odds it jumped over Michael Jackson's "Thriller and "Synchronicity" by The Police to land in the number one slot on the Billboard album chart.

This opened the door for the other Sunset Strip "Hair Metal" bands to get their record deals and kicked off the craze that dominated MTV and radio in the 80's.

The sales of the "Metal Health" album have now well exceeded the 10 million mark worldwide. Quiet Riot went on to have other hits and over a dozen albums and still plays live with a line up consisting of Rudy Sarzo, Alex Grossi, Jizzy Pearl and Johnny Kelly.

- Over 15 Million Records Sold Worldwide
- METAL HEALTH - The First Heavy Metal Album in History to go to NUMBER 1 on the BILLBOARD TOP 200 Chart
- Over 2.8 Million Monthly SPOTIFY Listeners
- Over One Million Social Media Followers
- The Critically Acclaimed QUIET RIOT Documentary "Well Now You're Here, There's No Way Back" recommended by ROLLING STONE and spent 2 years in rotation on SHOWTIME

Performing the Hits:

- CUM ON FEEL THE NOIZE
- BANG YOUR HEAD (METAL HEALTH)
- MAMA WEER ALL CRAZEE NOW
- SLICK BLACK CADILLAC
- THE WILD AND THE YOUNG & MORE...

QUIET RIOT IN POP CULTURE:

Quiet Riot's song "Cum On Feel The Noize" was the first heavy metal song to reach Billboard magazine's top FIVE.

Quiet Riot's Album "Metal Health" was the first heavy metal album to reach Billboard magazine's number ONE.

Quiet Riot's Album "Metal Health" was also the first DEBUT heavy metal album to reach Billboard magazine's number ONE.

Quiet Riot's video "Metal Health" was the first video to bring an album cover to life.

In 2008 movie, The Wrestler, the song "Metal Health" was used in the movie's opening sequence and also as Randy "The Ram" Robinson's entrance theme.

In 2008, the song "Cum On Feel the Noize" was played in the opening scenes of the movie "Tropic Thunder" during the movie preview parody scenes.

In 2007, Quiet Riot were featured in radio promos for ESPN Radio, parodying their status as dated rock and roll icons with commentary from both DuBrow and Banali.

Quiet Riot are mentioned in Ben Folds's song "Rockin' the Suburbs" in 2001, in the lines "I'm rockin' the suburbs, just like Quiet Riot did. I'm rockin' the suburbs, except that they were talented".

In the 2005 episode of The Simpsons entitled "The father, The Son and the Holy Guest Star", the band is depicted as converted to a religious band called Pious Riot and plays a parody of the song "Cum On Feel the Noize" as "Come on Feel the Lord". When Bart calls them "a crappy rock band from the 1940s," Kevin DuBrow responds, "We've played more state fairs than The Beatles."

Quiet Riot's track "Bang Your Head (Metal Health)" is used as the title theme to the video game Showdown: Legends of Wrestling. The same song also appears in the soundtrack to Grand Theft Auto: Vice City Stories, while their version for Slade's "Cum On Feel the Noize" is featured in Grand Theft Auto: Vice City, both playing on Rock radio station V-Rock. "Bang Your Head (Metal Health)" was also used in the Crank soundtrack, as the song played during the film's opening sequence. It was also used in a scene for the film Footloose. The song "Bang Your Head (Metal Health)" is a playable song in the game Guitar Hero: Rocks the 80's. On the Weezer track "Heart Songs" from their self-titled "Red Album", lead singer Rivers Cuomo sings "Quiet Riot got me started with the banging of my head", as part of a list of heavy metal bands who have inspired him.

In the 2005 album "Punk Goes 80's", Relient K covered The Bangles' song "Manic Monday" and changed two original lines to read "He says to me in his Quiet Riot voice: 'C'mon Feel the Noise'". Professional Wrestler Necro Butcher uses "Metal Health" as his entrance theme in Wrecking Ball Wrestling. "Bang Your Head (Metal Health)" is a playable song in "Guitar Hero Encore: Rocks the 80's".

Quiet Riot song, "The Wild and the Young" is in the soundtrack to "Brutal Legend".

The song "Cum On Feel the Noize" is featured in the musical and the movie, "Rock of Ages".

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