



## BIOGRAPHY

**GURD** was formed back in early power-thrash metal legend decided to take a step into a rather more modern and crunchy sound to metal.

1994 out of the ashes of the Swiss Poltergeist. Stylistically, **GURD** different direction, as they preferred a

Between 1995 and 1998, they released 4 critically well-acclaimed albums (**gurD**/1995, **Addicted**/1995, **D-Fect**/1996, **Down The Drain**/1998) and played several tours and shows with acts like Slayer, Venom, Prong, Annihilator, The Spudmonsters, Biohazard, Destruction, Schweisser, Life Of Agony, Stuck Mojo, Pro-Pain or Such A Surge. The Dynamo Open-Air appearance in 1996 was an early highlight for **GURD** and secured them a new record deal with **Century Media Records**.

With their album **'Bedlam'** (2000), the band started to shift their musical focus more and more towards their Thrash-Metal influences. After the 2003 Album **'Encounter'** they released a **CD/DVD** package called **'10 Years Of Addiction'** to their 10th anniversary, filmed at their 'home-club' **Z-7**.



Two Albums and several tours later (**Bang!**/2006, **Your Drug Of Choice**/2008), they signed a deal with **NoiseArt Records** and released their latest album **'Never Fail'** in 2011, followed by a big european tour with Dark Tranquility and Eluveitie. In 2012 they appeared on the Metal Fest Festival Tour and had the opportunity to support Acts like Testament, Coroner, Soulfly and Prong.

Currently **gurD** is working on new material to be released in their 20th Anniversary year 2014 and there is a big Anniversary Party planned for the end of the year, of course again at the famous Z7!

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