

RICHIE KOTZEN RELEASES FIRST-EVER PROFESSIONALLY-FILMED DVD SHOWCASING VIRTUOSITY FROM AKASAKA BLITZ IN TOKYO, 'RICHIE KOTZEN LIVE' OUT NOW VIA AMAZON AND CD BABY

November 18, 2015 -- For fans of guitarist/singer/songwriter RICHIE KOTZEN, their wish for a professionally-filmed look at his intricate guitar and genre-spanning song stylings has finally come true in the form of his new DVD, <u>RICHIE KOTZEN LIVE</u>, which was released October 13 via his Headroom-Inc label.

KOTZEN and his band ended their 2014-2015 tour in Tokyo, Japan at Akasaka Blitz, where they shot the entire concert in high-definition. This is RICHIE KOTZEN and his band—bassist Dylan Wilson and drummer Mike Bennett--at their best. It features some of his classics, "You Can't Save Me," "Remember," as well as new songs "Cannibals," "War Paint," and "Walk With Me." The collection also includes off-the-chart improvisational solo sections between KOTZEN and his virtuoso rhythm section. This live DVD concert is a must-have for KOTZEN fans worldwide, and it's the perfect introduction to those who have yet to be a part of the RICHIE KOTZEN experience.

With his guitar styles ranging from rock, blues, jazz and fusion to pop and soul, RICHIE KOTZEN has built a remarkably diverse 20-plus year career as a guitarist, singer and songwriter. During that span, KOTZEN toured with his trio extensively outside the United States, building a loyal fan base and selling out shows throughout Europe, Latin America, and Japan. In 1996, Fender guitars honored him with not one, but two signature model guitars. His signature model Telecaster is available worldwide and continues to be a top seller for the brand. In 2006, KOTZEN received one of his biggest personal honors when The Rolling Stones chose him to open up a string of Japanese shows placing him in front of some of his biggest crowds to date. He has not only built an incredibly successful solo career, but has also found himself writing, recording and playing live with a variety of different artists, including Jazz legends Stanley Clarke and Lenny White.

He currently plays guitar and fronts The Winery Dogs with bassist Billy Sheehan and drummer Mike Portnoy (the band's latest <u>HOT STREAK</u> album debuted at #2 on the <u>Billboard</u> "Top Current Alternative Albums" chart and #5 on <u>Billboard</u>'s "Top Current Hard Music" chart).

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Here's the complete track listing of RICHIE KOTZEN LIVE:

- 1. War Paint
- 2. Love Is Blind
- 3. Bad Situation
- 4. Cannibals
- 5. Walk With Me
- 6. Fear
- 7. Doing What The Devil Says To Do
- 8. Peace Sign
- 9. drum and bass solo
- 10. Help Me
- 11. Remember
- 12. Fooled Again
- 13. You Can't Save Me
- 14. Go Faster

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