SONS OF APOLLO <u>ANNOUNCE</u> <u>'LIVE WITH THE PLOVDIV PSYCHOTIC SYMPHONY'</u> <u>RELEASE</u>

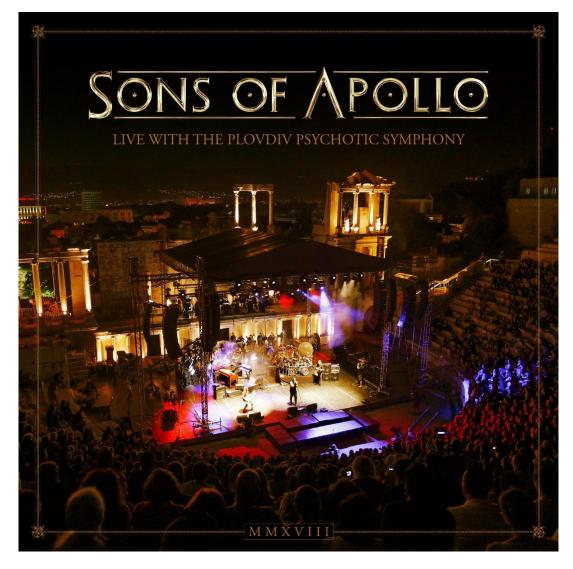


SONS OF APOLLO--former Dream Theater members Mike Portnoy and Derek Sherinian, Ron "Bumblefoot" Thal (ex-Guns N' Roses), Billy Sheehan (The Winery Dogs, Mr. Big, David Lee Roth) and Jeff Scott Soto (ex-Journey, ex-Yngwie Malmsteen's Rising Force)—are pleased to announce the release of 'Live With The Plovdiv Psychotic Symphony' on August 30.

'Live With The Plovdiv Psychotic Symphony' documents the band's remarkable one-off performance at the Ancient Roman Theatre in Plovdiv, Bulgaria alongside a full orchestra & choir, playing tracks from their debut album, <u>PSYCHOTIC SYMPHONY</u>, as well as a selection of tracks by legendary bands. It will be available as a limited deluxe 3CD + DVD + Blu-Ray Artbook, Special Edition 3CD + DVD Digipak, standalone Blu-ray and digital album.

Mike Portnoy comments: "I've released several dozen live albums through the years with about a dozen different bands, but I have to say that this live release from SONS OF APOLLO may indeed be the most special one of them all!! Everything was aligned that evening: an absolutely beautiful Roman amphitheatre and a perfectly gorgeous summer evening, one set of SOA material and one set of specially chosen cover songs, and to top it all off being joined by a symphony orchestra and choir...it was a magical evening for everybody in attendance and now we can share it with the rest of the world immortalized in this incredible live package.

"This package will serve as a nice souvenir to capture the band's first year on tour and should tide over all of our fans while we complete work on our sophomore studio release that will coming in Jan 2020."



The track-listing is as follows: **CD 1:** 1. God Of The Sun 2. Signs Of The Time 3. Divine Addiction 4. That Metal Show Theme 5. Just Let Me Breathe 6. Billy Sheehan Bass Solo 7. Lost In Oblivion 8. Jeff Scott Soto Solo Spot (The Prophet's Song / Save Me) 9. Alive 10. The Pink Panther Theme 11. Opus Maximus

CD 2:

Kashmir
 Gates Of Babylon

 Labyrinth
 Dream On
 Diary Of A Madman
 Comfortably Numb

 The Show Must Go On

 Hell's Kitchen

9. Derek Sherinian Keyboard Solo 10. Lines In The Sand

CD 3: 1. Bumblefoot Guitar Spot 2. And The Cradle Will Rock 3. Coming Home

Released October 20, 2017 via InsideOutMusic / Sony, <u>PSYCHOTIC SYMPHONY</u> is available as a 2CD Mediabook (featuring a second disc of instrumental mixes and extended booklet with an exclusive Studio Diary), Gatefold 2LP vinyl + CD (which comes with an etching on side D and the entire album on the CD), Standard Jewelcase CD & digital download. It was produced by the dynamic production duo of **Portnoy** and **Sherinian**, also affectionately known as "The Del Fuvio Brothers," which is the nickname given to them over 20 years ago during their time together in Dream Theater. Get your copy here: <u>http://smarturl.it/SonsOfApolloPS</u>

<u>PSYCHOTIC SYMPHONY</u> picked up fantastic reviews upon release, and got them a nomination at the Progressive Music Awards 2018 for Best International Band:

"Fuck the term 'supergroup', that's not what this is about. Sons of Apollo are simply a group that are super." – **Classic Rock**

"Psychotic Symphony is fierce, loud, bewildering, brilliantly performed and monstrously entertaining." – **Prog Magazine**

"God-like in conception, stellar in ambition and perfection in delivery." - Metal Talk

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