

The ^{fabulous} Counts

Legendary Funk-Group ^{The} ^{fabulous} Counts reunites after more than 30 years in the Original Line Up!



The ^{fabulous} Counts - Story of the funkier Jazz-Group

Mose Davis (organ,voc)

Leroy Emmanuel (git,voc)

Demo Cates (sax,voc)

Jimmy Junebug Jackson (dr,voc)

Jimmy Brown (saxes,tp,tb)

New record „^{Real Side}“ out April 09

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„We are just another Jazz-Group“ – Mose Davis and Leroy Emmanuel, heads of the group always said.

It was more than a Jazz-Band. When the term „Funk“ not even was created, these cats took the tools from the jazz, creating a new, fresh, rhythmic, danceable mix of what was later called „funk“. outta detroit´s hood in the 60ies, like the hippies on the westcoast, these young black musicians spread their vibe, energy and philosophy around their area and became one of the most influential groups in the scene. 4 albums for westbound and aware, chart-songs and uncountable high energy-shows made what the mythos „counts“ still reflects today.

The first funk-group who didn´t use an electric bass-guitar. „we had Mose, he played the bass with the hammond organ, that gave us the specific sound“, Leroy Emmanuel says.

1975 after 4 records and due to economical reasons one of the most important funk-groups, The Counts split up.

Counts-samples stayed hip for the last 30 years, from invention of the hiphop. Missy Elliott, Jay-Z, among others used their material, their musical heritage. 30 years later the same musicians still have fun in music, finally noticed, that there´s big respect in the world for the input they gave to the developement of „black music“.

2007: After 32 years the 4 original members - Mose Davis, Leroy Emmanuel, Demo Cates, Jimmy Junebug Jackson - meet for one Show in Atlanta, GA.

2009: It´s time for an official reunion – „The Counts“ will continue in the original line up from ´75 hittin´the world´s stages and releasing the album „coming from the real side“, recorded in 1975, but never came out cause of the band´s split. musicians kept contact to each another for the whole time – „one time a Count, all time a Count“ - rarely after such a long period of time. A musical philosophy became reality again.

They will bring back the magical spirit of „a Counts-live-appearance – a high-energy performance, a remarkable band-sound, a message.



ON TOUR:

USA: April '09 Europe: June 10th - July 26^t '09

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with 10 new & unreleased songs

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