

APRIL 1991 NEWSLETTER

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** These dates are subject to change and more dates will be added. Please watch your local papers so that you don't miss SANTANA live!



BAND LINE-UP

Carlos Santana - Guitars
Chester Thompson - Keyboards
Raul Rekow - Bongos,
Congas, Percussion
Benny Rietveld - Bass
Graham Lear - Drums
Tony Lindsey - Vocals

NEW RELEASE

The LOTUSCD was released on February 26 in the U.S. When Carlos was working with CBS on the sequencing of the CD he heard a song which had been titled Savor on the original album and realized that it was actually a jam. That song has now been titled Mr. Udo on the CD.

The Festival album has also been recently released on CD.

Guinean musician Mory Kante has released an album titled *TOUMA* on the Mango label and Carlos' guitar can be heard on the song *Soumba*.



SANTANA AT ROCK IN RIO II

The Santana band left for Rio De Janeiro the day before the War in the Persian Gulf broke out to perform at 'Rock In Rio II'. Originally the band was scheduled to play one show. However, when other musicians were unable to travel to Brazil, the concert promoters

asked Carlos if he would stay and do a second show. Carlos said yes and proceeded to put together the most well-vL received show of the two week event.

For the second show Carlos brought Djavan, a Brazilian singer/guitarist, Pat Metheny and Jilberto Gil together with the Santana Band for a two hour set. The critics overwhelmingly agreed that the musicianship and passion of the performance left the most enduring impression on the people of Brazil.

Unfortunately MTV did not elect to feature Santana during its coverage of 'Rock In Rio II'.



WHO'S LOOKING FOR WHAT?

Anyone who is interested in a copy of FILLMORE THE LAST DAYS album please write to:

Fillmore The Last Days 282 Adams, Apt. #6 Oakland, CA 94610

The album is in mint condition. If you are interested please include the price that you are willing to pay for the album

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I have received many letters over the last few months inquiring about CD's and albums that people have been purchasing with titles like Live From Amsterdam and Jingo and More Famous Tracks. These albums are not authorized and are nothing more than 'bootleg' recordings. Be aware that when you purchase these types of recordings the sound quality is usually very poor.



BAMMIES

Carlos brought the Caribbean All-Stars together with 13 Native American musicians and members of his own band to perform at the 14th annual event. Carlos also teamed with Tramaine
Hawkins on his song Somewhere In
Heaven which was dedicated to Stevie
Ray Vaughan. One newspaper claimed
that it was the vocal performance of the
evening.



THANK YOU

I've received letters from several of you who decided to participate in one of the programs that we listed in the last newsletter so I am going to take the opportunity to mention them once again.

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