

# SEPTEMBER 94

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## WOODSTOCK II

The 25th anniversary of the historic Woodstock concert has come and gone and Santana, according to the Albany Times Union, was one of the best groups there. The band arrived in the area Saturday night, following three shows at the Greek Theater in Los Angeles. The band stayed in Pleasant View, approximately 25 miles away from the concert site, but that short drive the following morning took two and one half hours as the clogged roads reduced the traveling speed to a crawl. At one point, as the vans carrying the band and crew got closer to the site, the hundreds of concertgoers who lined the road walking to the venue became aware that Carlos was in one of the vans and their friendly waves of recognition and cheerful comments were all the more impressive given all the muck and rain they were enduring. Once there everyone had to deal with the mud, everywhere more mud, but that did not dampen the spirits of the musicians or the audience. Carlos said, "It was overwhelming to see a living organism of Spirit and flesh that endured the weather and circumstances. It was very inspiring to feel the people's radiant smiles and their penetrating hungry eyes. It was richly rewarding to witness such a harmonious event again."

Carlos had planned to bring Jimi Hendrix and Bill Graham back to Woodstock by playing a video tribute to the two just prior to the start of his set; however, legal issues prevented this. Carlos did invite Jimi Hendrix's step-sister, Janie, and his cousin Diane on stage during "Make Somebody Happy" to make a statement about Jimi's music and estate. It was obvious by the roar of the crowd that love for Jimi's music and spirit is very strong.

Selections from the sets of the artists will be released later this year on A & M Records.

# IT'S A FAMILY AFFAIR

For those of you who want to know the identities of the people enclosed in Carlos' arms on the cover, they right): Carlos Santana as a young boy, Jorge Santana, in the Beaver cap, as a young boy and Carlos Hernandez in Junior High School. In the center is Jose Santana, Carlos and Jorge's father and next to him is Saunders King,

Carlos

father-in-law.



JORGE

CARLOS SANTANA GUITAR

CARLOS TERNANDEZ GUITAR

BROTHERS, Carlos' 29th album, is truly a family affair. Joined by his brother Jorge and their nephew Carlos Hernandez, Brothers will be released on September 27. "I felt that the music that my brother and nephew were writing deserved to be heard," says Carlos about the inspiration for the project. "I'm grateful that I have the opportunity to shed some light on their work and to be able to present it to my fans." This album is almost exclusively instrumental and will be released on Carlos' label, Guts & Grace Music, which is distributed by Island Records.

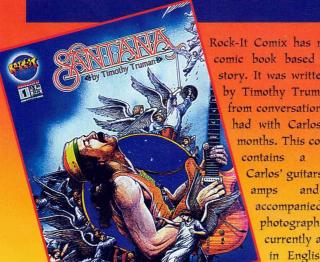
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# WHERE'S THE BAND?

You don't have to be in the dark any longer! Just call STARQUEST, a concert information service. Call 900-420-4010, Santana's code number is 277, for the current tour schedule. The cost for each call is \$2.99 per minute. This service is only available for our U.S. fans and the information listed is for U.S. tour dates only. Santana is not planning to tour the U.S. until early Spring, 1995.

### EUROPEAN TOUR DATES

Sep 26	Manchester, England	Apollo
Sep 28-30	London, England	Hammersmith-Odeon
Oct 1	Rotterdam, Holland	Ahoy
Oct 3	Brussels, Belgium	Forest National
Oct 4	Hamburg, Germany	C.C.H.
Oct 5	Berlin, Germany	Berlin Tempodrom
Oct 7	Warsaw, Poland	Torwar
Oct 9	Paris, France	Le Zenith
Oct 10	Nancy, France	Le Zenith
Oct 11	Dijon, France	Le Forum
Oct 12	Marseille, France	Le Zenith
Oct 14	Rome, Italy	Tenda a Strisce Theatre
Oct 15	Milan, Italy	Palatrussardi
Oct 16	Imst, Austria	Festival Tent at Sportzplatz / Au
Oct 18	Neuchatel, Switzerland	Patinoire du Littoral
Oct 19	Zurich, Switzerland	Hallenstadion
Oct 21	Graz, Austria	SFZ
Oct 22	Vienna, Austria	Kurhalle
Oct 24	Casablanca, Morocco	Med V Complex



## COMIC BOOK

Rock-It Comix has released a Santana comic book based on Carlos' life story. It was written and illustrated by Timothy Truman and adapted from conversations that Timothy had with Carlos over several months. This comic book also contains a feature on Carlos' guitars and on his and effects accompanied by color photographs. It is currently available in English only and sold in the U.S. and Canada

## NEW MERCHANDISE CATALOG

through retail outlets and also on tour.

Santana has a new merchandiser, SONY SIGNATURES. We've enclosed their exciting new color catalog of Santana merchandise. Please order through them directly at 1-800-577-9090. The prices for merchandise whether sold on tour or through the catalog will be the same. Look over the catalog and you will see brand new merchandise with pictures so that you know what each item looks like prior to purchasing. The merchandise in the catalog will change as new tour merchandise is created. Some items sold through the catalog will not be sold on tour (such as gold records, the signed Paul Reed Smith guitar and the Sacred Fire video.)

Special for our beloved fan club members: With your first order, Sony Signatures will give you a 5% discount and send you a set of guitar picks as a gift if you mention that you belong to the Santana Fan Club!!

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### MAIL ORDER MUSIC & VIDEO

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Today, Carlos Santana would like to pay tribute to Bill Graham and the festival that helped launch his incredible career.

ROLLING STONE MAGAZINE photographer, Baron Wolman was able to capture that incredible moment forever. Carlos Santana, Bill Graham and the beautiful people that made WOODSTOCK happen.

That unbelievable moment can be shared by all. Walnut Street Gallery has created a poster from the original Baron Wolman photograph.

The poster is \$25.00

For information regarding the poster or the limited edition serigraph, signed by Carlos Santana, Bill Graham's Estate & Baron Wolman.

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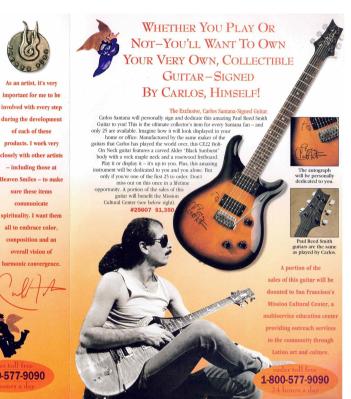
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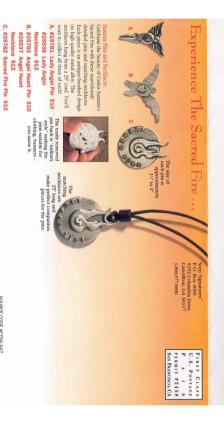
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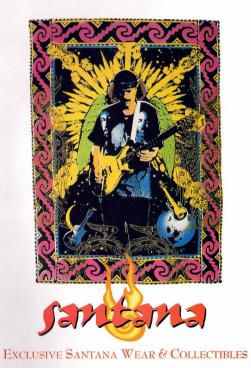
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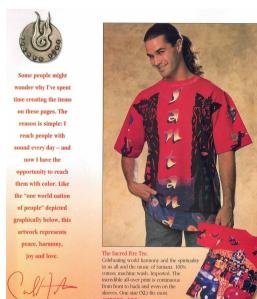
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