

# The Basic Music and Movie Magazine

JUST PLAIN ROCK?  
OR JUST PLAIN SH#T?!

JACK BLACK

MOVIE FLOPPED?!

"Lazy, and complete  
nonsense"  
Says critics

Clean version of lyrics will be used  
in this review, along with the clean  
version of the songs in links. But  
this Magazine will go over the  
original crude songs and movie!

Too Crude for Audiences?!

KYLE GASS

"Offputting"  
Says Critics  
due to  
crude  
humor

DID THEY DEFEAT  
THE DEVIL?

**TENACIOUS D**  
**THE PICK IN**  
**FLAME**  
**OF DESTINY**

Movie and Album Review  
History of the Band  
By Mathew Corbett

## **DID THEY DEFEAT THE DEVIL?**

The History of Tenacious D started back in the late 80's, where Kyle Gass and Jack Black met through the Actor's Gang theatre located in Los Angeles.



Now you all wouldn't expect that they originally were not very fond of each other, they were basically rivals, until the topic of Music came up, then they both came together, became friends, bonded more, and eventually created a Band in 1994, Tenacious D, which consisted of the Actor in the Theatre, Jack Black, and Kyle gass who was there to compose songs for shows.



1997

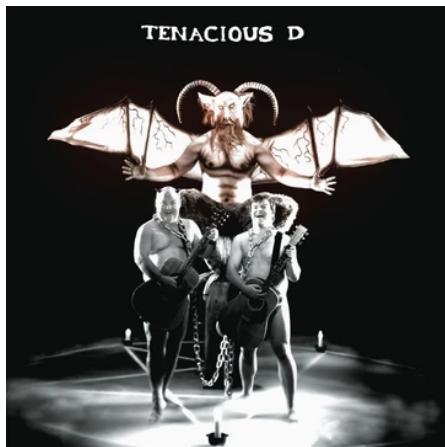
So the band was brand new and out there, Tenacious D! Jack Black with vocals that felt raw and gimmicky, and Kyle Gass playing acoustic, 2 people with a dream, ironic isn't it?

They started playing on the sidelines, until meeting and befriending a David Cross, and well..one thing led to another, and they had their own TV show on HBO, the comedy was...something.



(Tenacious D HBO show  
1997-2000)

2001! The year they signed with Epic Records, and just after one year, they released their first album, named “Tenacious D”, which featured a full band, and a certain Dave Grohl on drums, who they befriended a little while back.



After their first album, they released a single, and a live show DVD, and shortly after, in 2006, they starred in their very own Motion Picture.

## ***TENACIOUS D In The Pick of Destiny (MOVIE OVERVIEW)***

The Movie is about how Kyle Gass and Jack Black met “not realistically of course”, but more of just a comedy that's filled with humor that only a few people can enjoy, like me, sure it's very weird and sometimes just plain corny and crude, but it's just a fun movie, it feels like a movie plot you'd make with your best friend.

In the movie, we see Jables/JB (Jack Black) run away as a kid to Hollywood, where he finds Kyle Gass playing by the beach, initially Jables thinks KG is this God of rock? But KG makes it clear that he goes solo, “KG solo man 5000”, so Jables is left alone, till he's attacked at night by...british men, and KG comes across them, KG “saves” JB, and they form a bond, KG helps JB get over stage fright, JB soon finds out that KG is a good for nothing living off his mother's cheques, and that he is bald.

JB and KG eventually form the band after JB gets a Kickass guitar from KG. They get their first gig in a nightclub, and initially, no one really likes them, so they go on their way before finding a poster for a competition, they sign up, and realize they need to make their music better, they eventually find out about “The Pick of Destiny”, which is the Devil's tooth, and the pick is in a rock museum, so they “borrow” a car, and travel, along the way, KG gets girls and goes back to JB, while JB is busy getting lost and very high on mushrooms, until they come together and find the museum.

They break in through the vents, and eventually find the pick surrounded in lasers, JB deactivates the lasers by pressing a button with something unordinary, but they eventually get the pick, get chased by police, get back in time for the competition, when suddenly, someone turns out to be the Devil in disguise, the Devil wants to drag them both to hell, but JB makes a deal, rock competition, if the Devil loses, he goes back to hell where he shall remain...and pays for their rent? But if JB and KG lose, KG becomes the Devil's “personal” slave. KG and JB lose, but they break off the horn of the Devil and banish him from the world with a poem.

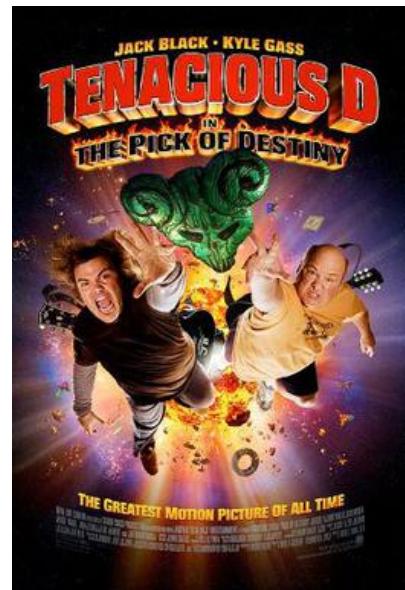
In the end, they use the horn as “The Bong of Destiny”, and they live in their crappy apartment, rent free.

## ALBUM AND DVD COVERS

After the Movie release, it received horrible numbers at the box office, and critics didn't help, but they did release an album a few months later in the same year, while next year in 2007, the DVD was released.



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The imagery in the Soundtrack Album was apparently “satanic”, so it was banned from being sold in Walmart and other places, and as you can see, with the DVD release, they strayed further away from a “reference” to actual art, and make a generic movie cover, while still making it look great.

**WARNING:** This next part will be about some of the songs and reviews on them, links provided will take you to “censored/Clean” versions of the songs, but some of them may not be official versions, and some might still have swears left in them, though the lyrics that will be featured here, they will be censored by myself with other words, censored and changed lyrics will be underlined, click on links with caution, and proceed with caution if you watch the movie, it is absolutely crazy, and stuff that some viewers might find weird, but if you're unhinged like myself,

you'll love it! Thank you. Songs will be rated out of 10 electric guitars.



## *KICKAPOO (lyrics)*

A long ass freakin' time ago, In a town called Kickapoo, There lived a humble family, Religious through and through, But yeah, there was a black sheep And he knew just what to do, His name was young J.B. and he refused to step in-line, A vision he did see of Freakin' rockin' all the time, He wrote a tasty jam and all the planets did align

Oh the dragons balls were blazin' as I stepped into his cave, Then I sliced his freakin' cockles, With a long and shiny blade, 'Twas I who slayed the dragon slay a lie sing slay a loo, And if you try to mess with me, Then I shall slay you too, Gotta get it on in the party zone, I gots to shoot a shot in the party zone, Gotta lick a toad in the party zone, Gotta drink a soda in the party zone.

You've disobeyed my orders, son, Why were you ever born?, Your brother's ten times better than you, Jesus loves him more, This music that you play for us comes from the depths of hell, Rock and roll's The Devil's work, he wants you to rebel, You become a mindless puppet, Beelzebub will pull the strings, Your heart will lose direction, And chaos it will bring, You better shut your mouth, You better watch your tone, You're grounded for a week with no telephone, Don't let me hear you cry, Don't let me hear you moan, You gotta praise The Lord when you're in my home

Dio can you hear me?, I am lost and so alone, I'm askin' for your guidance, Won't you come down from your throne?, I need a tight compadre who will, teach me how to rock, My father thinks you're evil, But man, he can kick some rocks, Rock is not The Devil's work, It's magical and rad, I'll never rock as long as I am stuck here with my dad

I hear you brave young Jables, You are hungry for the rock, But to learn the ancient method, Sacred doors you must unlock, Escape your father's clutches, On this oppressive neighborhood, On a journey you must go, To find the land of Hollywood, In The City of Fallen Angels, Where the ocean meets the sand, You will form a strong alliance, And the world's most awesome band, To find your fame and fortune, Through the valley you must walk, You will face your inner demons, Now go my son and rock.

So he bailed from freakin' Kickapoo with hunger in his heart, And he journeyed far and wide to find the secrets of his art, But in the end he knew that he would find his counterpart Rock. Rah-ha-ha-ha-hock. Raye-yayayayaye-yock

## *Review of "Kickapoo"*

It's a great opening song, it suddenly makes you realize what ride you're gonna go on when watching the movie, and the scene that goes with it establishes JB's Character right away. (🎸🎸🎸🎸🎸🎸🎸🎸)

## *CLASSICO (lyrics)*

Can't you see he's the man, Let me hear you applaude

He is more than a man , He's a shiny golden god

If you think it's time to freaking rock

And freaking roll out of control

Well then you know you got to rock the block

You freaking break, my freaking block

'Cause when you rule your freaking school

All of the fools out of their jewels

'Cause if you think it's time to

If you think it's time to

If you think it's time to freaking rock

He is going to mow your freaking grass

And you know his name is Kyle Gass

Rocking and freaking rolling And freaking rocking

and freaking rolling And freaking

(Scat singing)

## *Review of “Classico”*

Absolutely one of my favourite songs, the first song they sing as a duo in the movie, it shows the rivalry and love between them, as JB keeps going, adding lyrics while KG tries to match it with his guitar, it's just awesome.



## *“Baby” (lyrics)*

I can't get to sleep tonight , No matter how hard I try , 'Cause it's cold and it's dark , And the wind is a whistlin' , And I can't seem to put out the light , Mama's been searching for baby, But baby been tryin' to get home , 'Cause it's cold and it's dark , And the moon cannot light the way , And daddy's gone, bye-bye, I'm just a baby (cries).

“Extra line from the album version that which is spoken instead of sung” (I've had this birthmark since I was born It's the name of our freaking band, dude I have an ass mark too)

## *Review of “Baby”*

A song that didn't feel like it needed to be added, but it was still a good touch to the movie of how JB felt, leaving his home, cold and alone, basically going out alone when he was still a child, he yearns for a mother's love, yet he still feels like a baby at heart. Emotional, and still nice, and no swears in the song itself, except for the added dialogue added for the Album version.



## *“Destiny” (lyrics)*

“They must pay the rent with their Rock!”

## *Review of “Destiny”*

Mhmm. Yeah, sure...



## *“History” Lyrics*

This is a song called The History of Tenacious D. And it's not just a list of bullseyes that we've done in the past. It's a chronicling of our rise to power! We ride with kings on mighty steeds across the Devil's plain.

We've walked with Jesus and his cross, he did not die in vain, no! We've run with wolves, we've climbed K2, even stopped a moving train. We've traveled through space, and time, my friends to rock this house again, rock! We ride and we ride, and we'll never subside and we'll ride 'til the planets collide And if you say that we do not ride, I'll tan your freakin' hide, ride! Kyle's fingers be silver, Jack's voice then be gold.

But lest you think we're vain. We know you're all robots, and we don't care Tenacious D, we reign! We reign supreme Oh God Burrito Supreme And a Chicken Supreme And a Cutlass Supreme Supreme, yeah Go now Kyle, one two three Supreme, yeah Go now Kyle, one two three Supreme Go now Kyle, one two three Burrito Supreme And a Chicken Supreme And a Cutlass Supreme Supreme!

## *Review of "History"*

A remarkable song, not for the lyrics or even the song itself, but for a checkpoint in the movie, JB and KG finally working together, and this is their first “public” appearance as a band in the film.



## *“The Government totally Sucks” Lyrics*

The government totally sucks, you motherfather! The government totally sucks, Ben Franklin was a rebel indeed. He liked to get naked while he smoked on the seed.

He was a genius, but if he was here today The government would frick him up his righteous A! Now let me tell you somethin' about the government (Uh huh) They're frickin' up the environment (Say what?) They're takin' all the freakin' beautiful animals (Yeah?) And making them freakin' extinct (Oh no!) The government totally sucks, you motherfather The government totally sucks The government totally sucks, 'Cause the land of love and freedom Is just a baby's breath away And if we hold hands together We can bring back the USA

## *Review of “The Government totally Sucks”*

The song is catchy, sure a bit tasteless compared to actual songs, but it still holds its own charm. The song shows how close they've come in the movie, just bursting into song in public, singing to one person. There's not much to say about the song, it's fine for what it is, quite a minor role in the movie, but still an okay song.



## *"Master Exploder" Lyrics*

Aaah! Arghhh!  
I do not need, (he does not need)  
a microphone (a microphone)  
My voice is Freakin, (freakin)  
Powerful!! Aaah!! Arghhh!  
Sorry  
I did not mean, (he did not mean)  
to blow your mind (to blow your mind)  
But that shit happens to me, all the time!  
Now take a look (take a look)  
Tell me what do you see? (tell me what do you see?)  
We've got the Pick of Destiny!  
AAAH! Arghhh!!

## *Review of "Master Exploder"*

This dream sequence in the film was a bit unexpected, but relatively tame, I love the guitar KG uses, even though others might find it crude. It's a good song for what it is, rock instead of acoustic, and the words go together well, and the title, Master Exploder? Love it, honestly it's a good song for the movie, it reminds you what movie you're watching in case you forgot.



## **(HALFWAY but THE END)**

That's all the songs I am able to do a review on without going too far about the story, it's better if you just watch the film and/or listen to the songs. Overall, it's a good album, good movie, good soundtrack, It's no Beethoven, but it's fun and just a good time, you'll laugh, maybe get offended, and maybe even cry? Links will be listed below along with places you could watch the movie. I really do encourage you to watch it, but like stated

before, it's very naughty, somewhat vulgar, and poor with its jokes, as well as its music being a bit meh, but honestly, just have fun and let loose while watching it.

## **LINKS TO SONGS THAT WERE SHOWN :**

- ▶ Kickapoo (Clean Version)
- ▶ Classico (Clean Version)
- ▶ Tenacious D: Baby (Movie clip)
- ▶ Destiny
- ▶ History (Clean Version)
- ▶ The Government Totally Sucks (Clean Version)
- ▶ Master Exploder (Clean Version)

<https://ww4.fmovies.co/film/tenacious-d-in-the-pick-of-destiny-6631/> (Full Movie) Try different servers if the one that plays doesn't work.