

the FORECAST PROOF OF IMPACT

THE FORECAST "Proof of Impact" 7-song CDep

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Bio:

Hailing from the once quiet town of Peoria, Illinois, The Forecast exploded onto the indie rock circuit in 2001. With their must-see live performances alongside bands like Planes Mistaken For Stars, Hey Mercedes, The Jealous Sound, Motion City Soundtrack and The Velvet Teen, they earned a rabid following in not only Peoria, but also the Midwest in general. Taking cues from indie staples such as Rainer Maria, Braid, and The Anniversary, The Forecast gave the genre a well-deserved kick in the ass, ratcheting up the intensity and throwing down balls to the wall, in-your-face rock and roll. After playing in local bands, the members of The Forecast came together with a vision of the kinds of songs they wanted to play, inspired by the blue collar lives in their hometown. "Our biggest influence is the people we are surrounded by, our friends and family. We come from a town that is pretty easy to get discouraged in and witnessing some of them give up their dreams for factory jobs or worse helped form some of our songs," explained guitarist/singer Dustin.

The Forecast signed to Victory Records in 2005 after having already released 2 EPs and a split CD on Thinker Thought Records. Their albums have received critical acclaim from magazines and newspapers across North America and The Forecast has toured with bands like Bayside, Hot Road Circuit, Action Action, I Am The Avalanche and Planes Mistaken For Stars.

"Proof of Impact" is the beginning of the road for The Forecast. It was recorded with AJ Mogis (Cursive, The Faint) in Lincoln, NE and shows the promise that has led the band to their current success.

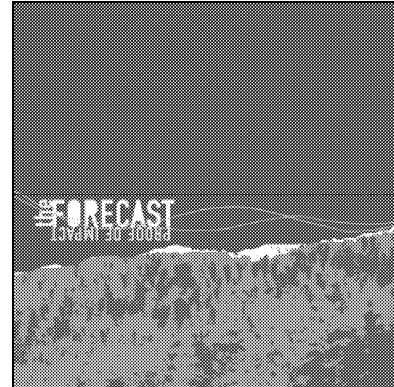
The Forecast have synthesized twang, rock and roll and bittersweet lyrical themes into their own signature sound. With all the heartache and sweetly sad odes to longing and loss, make no mistake about it - this is a band with power and intensity to spare.

"This rural Illinois quartet not only bring to the table super-catchy, melodic, country-tinged, post-hardcore-influenced indie rock, but they also fill each of those songs with powerful dual male/female vocals, that, rest assured, will rock you like a hurricane. If AP were in the business of making bad puns, our 'Forecast' would be partly rock with a change of singalong." - **Alternative Press**

"Sometimes quiet, sometimes loud. Catchy melodies, diverse songwriting, and good male/female vocals." - **Punk Planet**

"THE FORECAST calls for rock!" - **Impact Press**

"My only complaint is that I wanted more." - **Skratch Magazine**



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1. Tiny Star
2. Water Makes the Weeds Grow Tall
3. Freebird 2: This Time It's Personal
4. Proof of Impact
5. Summer Song
6. Chicago
7. Bad Reception

Band Members:

Addis- Lead Vocals, Guitar
Rhys Miller- Drums, Vocals
Marsha Satterfield- Bass, Vocals
Jared Grabb- Guitar, Vocals

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