

Where was the video shot? Are you gonna do any more videos in the near future ?

The video was made in two different places, two different gigs, here in Italy. But the show we made is a little old now, so we are thinking of releasing a new live video tape with new songs, but we think it will only be for promotion, in order to find a good label for the 2nd CD.

How large were the crowds from the 2 live shows? How long is your usual set ?

I think there were about 150 people, but I don't remember well. Usually our shows last one hour but it depends if we play alone or with other bands. In last times we played with MORTUARY DRAPE, SADIST, ABSU, SADISTIK EXEKUTION here in Italy.

Do you think being a woman in a male dominated field helps you or hinders you ?

For me it's totally natural to be in a band full of men! I consider the other members of OPERA IX as my brothers and I think there are only positive aspects of it... I would not change anything in OPERA IX music 'cause I find well in be part of them and the way in which we stay together and in which we compose new songs is completely perfect. I mean that all is born naturally, every one of us is able to feel what the other one wants to express through music of lyrics... About music in general, it would be better if there were more places to play live: here in Italy you must work hard to find out a serious one.

Do you like to play live? How often do you practice ?

Yes I love to play live, in those occasions I give the best of me, my personal energy becomes one only thing with the crowds energy, and another ritual is celebrated... We meet 2 or 3 times a week thanks to the fact that we all live near each other. When we finish to play we often go out together and we make common experiences, and I don't mean only party, etc, but also to go in a wood or a cemetery to breath the

air of nature... and the mystery of Death.

Are you happy with the way the video turned out ?

Yes, we are happy 'cause all the responses were good and we continue to sell it, even if the songs are old for those times. It would be great to release other video clips, we have good ideas in our mind but we have no money and then now we must be concentrated on the new songs for the 2nd CD.

Are you happy with the progress your band has made so far ? What would you like to happen to the band in the future ?

I'm happy with the progress of the band of those last times especially in the new songs we are composing now, and I'm happy also for my progress in using my voice in the new songs. I often use melodic voice in doom parts... Yes obviously I would like to find a good deal for OPERA IX so that our hard work would be spent for something great. I would like to live only for music... for now it's a dream.

How is the scene in your country ?

It's great, bands like MORTUARY DRAPE, SADIST, SCHIZO and others are making great things.

Last words

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Entrevista con Cadaveria:

Actual line up.

Cadaveria	vocal
Ossian	guitarras
Vlad	bajo
Flegias	batería



Cuales son vuestras influencias líricas ?

Hablamos sobre nuestras experiencias, sentimientos, leyendas, rituales antiguos y algunos tópicos de ocultismo.

Quien esta en la foto de la carátula del CD ?

La chica en la foto de la carátula del CD es una modelo, y no yo como la mayoría de la gente piensa. La mascara fue hecha por un amigo mío que le encanta plasmar este tipo de cosas. La carátula es nuestra interpretación personal de un Dios pagano, este es mitad humano, mitad bestia. El título del CD es un ritual en honor a este. Realizamos este carátula porque nosotros mismos preferimos vivir toda la experiencia del CD en cambio de hacer un simple dibujo a mano. Alberto es el "artista" del grupo, autor también del vídeo, él hizo la foto, etc.

Donde fue hecho el vídeo ? Van a hacer más videos en un futuro cercano ?

El vídeo fue hecho en dos diferentes lugares, dos diferentes conciertos, aquí en Italia. Pero el show hecho es ahora un poco viejo, así que estamos pensando en realizar un nuevo vídeo en vivo con los nuevos temas, pero pensamos que será solo para promoción, con el fin de encontrar un buen label para el segundo CD.