



Eternity Void

Krawallgeier - Who are the members of the band and what instrument does each of them play?

Mike, Mitch, and me. Mike plays the drums, Mitch plays bass, and I do guitar and vocals.

Krawallgeier - How did the band form?

Me and Mike have known each other since middle school and we've been in bands together for years. In the summer of 2003 we got together after not jamming for a while. We started playing and not long thereafter, started writing what would be the first batch of Eternity Void songs. This band was and still is simply a product of our growing love for this style of music, and a need to write and play it.

Krawallgeier - How would you describe your music style?

The music is brutal and aggressive, but also tragic. People have said that we have elements of doom, black, and death metal, and they also say our music shows a classical influence. We use big, sweeping chords to create melodies in the music, which make the music very dark and are really fun to play.

Krawallgeier - Which bands are your paragons?

Personally, I get much inspiration from Opeth and Immortal, musical and non-musical. There are numerous other bands who I am influenced by, but those 2 have the biggest impact on my playing and songwriting. People have told us we resemble Opeth, however we could never be as good as them, haha. The other guys in the band have their own influences as well.

Krawallgeier - Do you follow these bands? / Do you copy these bands?

We know their music very well and keep up on what's going on with them (although unfortunately Immortal called it quits). Since I listen to this type of music so much, our music can't help but resemble these bands somewhat, however we don't try to deliberately sound

like them. We don't set out saying "lets try to sound like Morbid Angel with this next song" or something like that.

Krawallgeier - How do your songs come into existence?

Me and Mike pretty much write the songs, it's kind of always been that way, it just seems to work. Once we have a series of ideas, we usually end up wanting the song to move in the same direction too. I am sort of the "composer" and mike is defintiely the arranger, he has a very good sense of which parts sound good together, and which ones dont sound good together, haha.

Krawallgeier - What about gigs? Do you have many gigs?

We always try to play as many shows as possible. During the recording of the album, we did a minimal amount of shows, but recently we just played Atlantic City and Philadelphia. We have some gigs lined up in April as well as a 4 day tour from NJ to MA lined up in late May.

Krawallgeier - Are they well attended?

For the most part, yes! Thanks to a great many supporters in South Jersey, our gigs there are usually very well attended and have excellent crowd energy and participation. Shows in Central NJ, Connecticut, and Philadelphia have also been a fucking great time.

Krawallgeier - Are the people content with your live-Performance?

They seem to be! We usually get good feedback from several or at least a few people at every show we play, and the audience energy at some of the shows is truly captivating and fucking brutal.

Krawallgeier - How is the reaction of the people refered to your music style? Any criticism?

Many people who listen to the style of music we play enjoy our music and complement us on it. Some people tell us that we sound more like black metal than death metal, but i leave that up to them, haha. I dont really concern myself with these classifications in relation to Eternity Void.

Krawallgeier - Why do you make music? (mission, passion, expression, hobby)

Definitely for passion, expression, and personal enjoyment. I guess you could call it a hobby, but to me it's much more than that, because I have been playing music for so long. It is truly part of my life and part of who I am.

Krawallgeier - Let's talk about your albums. Tell us something about your albums?

We've underwent 3 recording sessions since the origin of the band, which all took place in Mike's basement and were done entirely by us (mostly by Mike who has a growing talent

and affinity for production). If you listen to our demos consecutively, you'll notice that the quality of the recordings increases on each one, as well as the songwriting strength. To me, each recording is an attempt to capture the most accurate representation of we were doing musically at that time.

Krawallgeier - What about the future of the band. Have you got some plans or do you just wait and see?

We are always writing music and we plan to hopefully record again not too long from now. T-shirts are a priority for us, and we plan to get them made soon. We are looking forward to the tour! Other than that, playing as many shows as we possibly can!

Krawallgeier - Is there anything you want to tell the people out there? Like a final say?

Listen to the tracks from the album at www.myspace.com/eternityvoid, so you can see for yourself what you think of us. Better yet, come to a show! Thanks to all the people who made the record possible and continue to support us!

Krawallgeier - Thank you for this interview.

Thanks, hail!