

GRETA VAN FLEET

"I have seen and heard the saviors of rock'n'roll, and it's Greta Van Fleet."

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"It's the best rock and roll I've heard in 20 f**king years.

These guys are so talented, they take my breath away." — Sir Elton John



L-R: Jake Kiszka, Danny Wagner, Josh Kiszka, Sam Kiszka

2017/2018 Highlights...

- 1st single, "Highway Tune," was #1 for five consecutive weeks on the U.S. *Billboard* Rock Radio charts
- the track has amassed 16+ million Spotify plays, and 12.7 million YouTube views for the companion video
- 2nd single, "Safari Song" also hit #1 at U.S. Rock Radio
- 8.5-million Spotify plays so far
- GVF is now the only artist in history to have a #1 song for 16 consecutive weeks on Canadian radio, across all formats, with its second single, "Safari Song."
- Every headline date on the band's 2017 U.S. tour and those announced on their 2018 global tour schedule have sold out in advance.
- Greta Van Fleet is the first artist to see its first two singles, "Highway Tune" and "Safari Song," maintain the #1 position for nine or more consecutive weeks - at any format - on the Canadian charts.
- In March, Elton John personally invited them to perform at his annual Oscars Viewing Party and together they performed "Saturday Night's Alright for Fighting" and GVF's "You're The One."
- Debut EP, *Black Smoke Rising* entered both the U.S. and Canadian iTunes charts at #1.

Greta Van Fleet is four young musicians - brothers Josh/21 (vocals), Jake/21 (guitar) and Sam/18 (bass/keys) Kiszka, and longtime family friend Danny Wagner/19 (drums). All are from the tiny Michigan hamlet of Frankenmuth, known for its family-style chicken dinners and the world's largest Christmas store. All four were raised on their parents' extensive vinyl collections which helped give birth to the music they make: a high-energy hybrid of rock'n'roll, blues and soul. Each band member has killer musical chops and Josh has a voice that is simply jaw-dropping.

While rock'n'roll is prevalent in the band's catalogue of music, what binds the four together is their love of the blues. Their individual tastes in music is another story: Sam is a big fan of John Denver; Joni Mitchell and Bach; Danny listens to a lot of folk music - Crosby, Stills & Nash, Bob Dylan, and, courtesy of Sam, Joni Mitchell. Josh - who hadn't really entertained the idea of being a singer - he planned to pursue a career in theatre and film - is very world music oriented - African spiritual, Native American, tribal music; and Jake is a fan of Janis Joplin, Hendrix, Clapton, Elmore James and Sam & Dave. But when you put them all together, and they channel their individual energies, it all adds up to Greta Van Fleet.

Greta Van Fleet's shared message with their music is to spread "peace, love and unity," and their collective goal in terms of their live shows is to have people "walk out of the show feeling invigorated, energized and exhilarated, and to take that feeling out into the world," so says Jake. The band will release its debut album this summer.

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