

# THE Valkyrians

Ska is coming back at full steam! One of the most exciting groups to emerge from the scene are **The Valkyrians**, a five-piece ska patrol from the Finnish capital Helsinki. Their groovy tunes are a mix of early reggae, traditional 60's Jamaican ska and British two tone, spiced up with a fresh touch.

When it comes to playing live, The Valkyrians have become a stamp of quality and intensity. Rumours of their ass-kicking live shows started spreading among the wider audience in the early 2006, and already by summer, The Valkyrians' gigs were among the most anticipated performances at the Finnish rock festivals. After the release of their debut album *High and Mighty* in September 2006, the group has been playing at sold-out venues all over Finland. The album debuted at no. 24 in the official Charts and the first single *Rankin' Fullstop* spent over a month in Top 20, climbing at its best to no. 6.

The Valkyrians were also awarded as the Most Danceable Act of 2006 by the prestigious Finnish rock magazine

Rumba, and their single *Do You Really Wanna Know* won the Best Song of 2006 Award at the Finnish Funk Awards.

*High and Mighty* will be out in Central Europe on the 30th of March on Pork Pie, and a European tour commences in April. Take a ride with The Valkyrians!

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#### **Line-up:**

Angster – vocals

Letku-Leroy – bass

Big Deal – drums, backing vocals

Gladiator – guitar, backing vocals

Mr. Moonhead – keyboards, backing vocals

#### **Management:**

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