
KONKURENT

Background

The rock band KONKURENT was founded in 1986 by Emil Anchev, and over the years until now it has established itself as one of the leading Bulgarian bands. The band has released 10 studio albums, the last anniversary of which - "The Hard Way" was premiered at the end of 2023.

Over the years, KONKURENT has performed numerous concerts both in Bulgaria and abroad. They were the opening act for world - famous artists like Whitesnake, Toto, Glenn Hughes, and Deep Purple.

During their participation in the World Music Fair festival, they share the stage with bands such as Scorpions, Toto, Rammstein, Iron Maiden, Yngwie Malmsteen and many others.

With Deep Purple, they played at the prestigious Montreux Jazz Fest, where the band participated two years in a row.

In 2010, the group was selected to be the support band for AC/DC both in Bucharest, Romania, and in Sofia, Bulgaria where they performed in front of 85,000 people - a record for the country!

Awards and Achievements

- Rock band No.1 (BNR awards)
- Best Rock Song (Varna Music Festival)
- Rock band of Bulgaria (1997, NDK and BNT Awards)
- First prize at Rock Ring Sofia
- Most-sold album in Bulgaria “Something Wet”
- Two nominations for MCM Awards France - music video and rock band from Eastern Europe
- Best Rock Singer - Emil Anchev (Art Rock Center Awards)
- Best Song of Sofia - The ballad "I Want" ("The Hard Way", 2023), (Festival of pop and rock music "SOFIA 2023")
- Best album of the year 2023 ”The Hard Way”
- The song "Give Me Time" was chosen by music journalists as an evergreen Bulgarian rock hit, and the song "Mama" as an evergreen rock ballad of all times

DISCOGRAPHY

Konkurent /1989 Something

Wet(bg) /1994 Something Wet(en)

/1995

Live in Montreux /1999

Konkurent /2000

Running from Heaven/2002

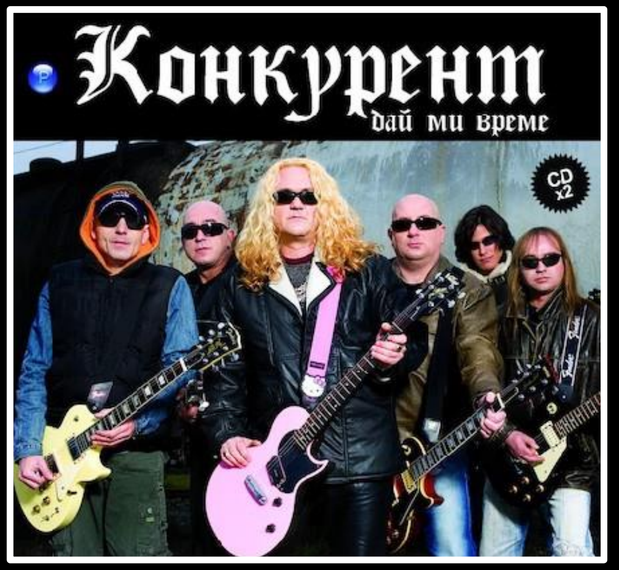
20 Years Later/2006

Give Me Time – Best of Konkurent /2007

In Flames /2018

The Hard Way /2023







At the end of 2023, the rock band presented a 10th-anniversary album for its discography, entitled
"The Hard Way".

The disc includes 11 studio versions and 3 bonus live performances of the band's iconic songs "Give Me Time", "Mama" and "Dream Come True".

”The Hard Way" collects the latest singles of the band - "Born for Rock", "Crazy Night", the ballad "I want" and a rock version of the pop hit ”I Lose Control”.



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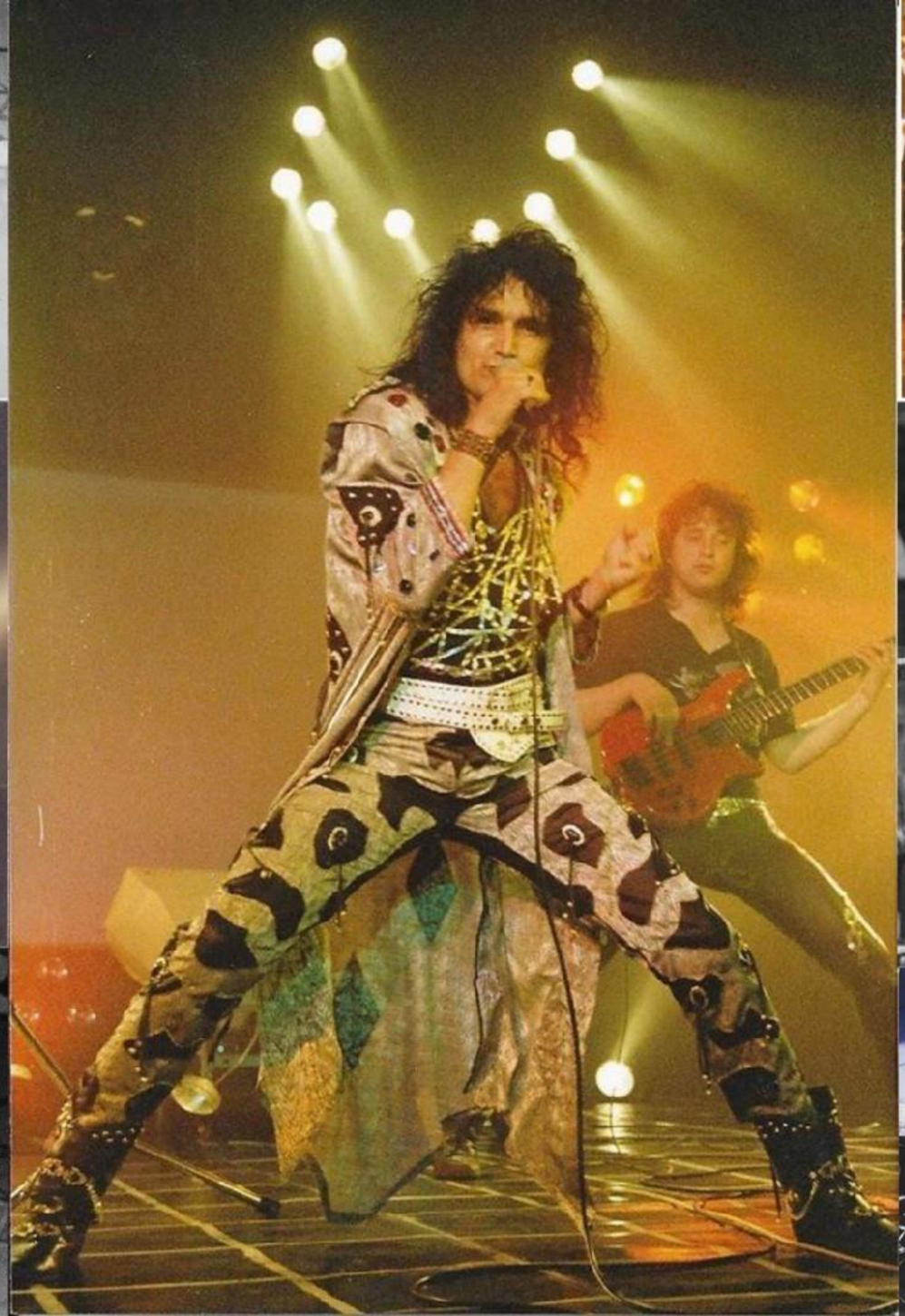
Live Performances

“Born for Rock” Music Video


















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