

# Les choix 2023 du « Rock Master »

## Top 20 « Classic rock »

#	Artiste	Album
1	Uriah Heep	Chaos & Colour
2	The Rolling Stones	Hackney Diamonds
3	Alice Cooper	Road
4	Mammoth WVH	Mammoth II
5	The Guess Who	Plein d'Amour
6	Genesis	BBC Broadcasts
7	Extreme	Six
8	Black Oak Arkansas	The Devil's Jukebox
9	Jethro Tull	RökFlöte
10	Ann Wilson & Tripsitter	Another Door
11	Queens of the Stone Age	In Times New Roman
12	Royal Blood	Back to the Water Below
13	Gov't Mule	Peace... Like a River
14	Winger	Seven
15	Buckcherry	Vol. 10
16	The Damned	Darkadelic
17	Tesla	Full Throttle Live
18	Paramore	This Is Why
19	The 69 Eyes	Death of Darkness
20	Joe Perry	Sweetzerland Manifesto Mark II

## Top 15 rééditions

#	Artiste	Album
1	Black Sabbath	Live Evil – 40 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary Super Deluxe Edition
2	Frank Zappa	Over-Nite Sensation (expanded 4CDs 50th ann. reissue)
3	Alice Cooper	Killer et School's Out Deluxe Editions
4	The Beatles	The Beatles: 1967 – 1970 (2023 Edition 3 LPs) [The Blue Album]
5	Holocaust	Heavy Metal Mania: The Complete Recordings Volume 1 - 1980-1984
6	Richard Wright	Wet Dreams (2023 Steven Wilson Remix)
7	Yes	The Yes Album Super Deluxe Edition
8	The Drive-By Truckers	The Complete Dirty South
9	The Who	Who's Next/Life House
10	Jethro Tull	The Broadsword and the Beast 40 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary Edition
11	The Jimi Hendrix Experience	Live at the Hollywood Bowl: August 18, 1967
12	The Flaming Lips	Flight Test, Ego Tripping at the Gates of Hell
13	The Runaways	Neon Angels on the Road to Ruin 1976-1978
14	13th Floor Elevators	Bull of the Woods (LP)
15	Derek Smalls	Smalls Changes (Meditation Upon Ageing) – Deluxe Edition

## Top 20 rock et métal progressif

#	Artiste	Album
1	Haken	Fauna
2	Agusa	Prima Materia
3	Crown Lands	Fearless
4	Ne Obliviscaris	Exul
5	Steven Wilson	Harmony Codex
6	Mondo Drag	Through the Hourglass
7	Riverside	ID. Entity
8	Ice Age	Waves of Loss and Power
9	AVKRVT	The Approbation
10	Io Earth	Sanctuary
11	Moon Safari	Himlabacken Vol.2
12	Earthside	Let the Truth Speaks
13	Tusmørke	Hestehoven (18 août)
14	Unitopia	Seven Chambers
15	Tesseract	War of Being

16	Katatonia	Sky Void of Stars
17	Darsombra	Dumesday Book
18	Devin Townsend	Devolution Series, Vol. 3 [Empath Live in America]
19	Voyager	Fearless in Love
20	Ozric tentacles	Lotus Unfolding

## Top 25 Hard Rock, Occult Rock et Rock psychédélique

#	Artiste	Album
1	Danko Jones	Electric Sounds
2	The Winery Dogs	III
3	Phil Campbell and the Bastard Sons	Kings of the Asylum
4	Max Boogie Overdrive	Stone Again
5	Margarita Witch Cult	Margarita Witch Cult
6	Mount Atlas	Poseidon
7	Blood Ceremony	The Old Ways Remain
8	Love Gang	Meanstreak
9	Sandrider	Enlevetration
10	Mutoid Man	Mutants
11	Arjen Lucassen's Supersonic Revolution	The Golden age of Music
12	Moon Coven	Sun King
13	Wucan	Live at Deutschlandfunk
14	Siena Root	Revelation
15	Osees	Intercepted Message
16	NOBRO	Set Your Pussy Free
17	Robots of the Ancient World	3737
18	The Struts	Pretty Vicious
19	Crush the Core	Crush the Core EPK
20	Goat	Medecine
21	Thangorodrim	Liberation in Chaos 666
22	Death Valley Girls	Islands in the Sky
23	Spotlights	Alchemy For The Dead
24	The Grunions	Shadow Breaker
25	Greta Van Fleet	Starcatcher

## Top 200 métal

#	Artiste	Album
1	Aggression	Frozen Aggressors
2	Spirit Adrift	Ghost at the Gallows
3	Avatar	Dance Devil Dance
4	Cirith Ungol	Dark Parade
5	Tomb Mold	The Enduring Spirit
6	Enslaved	Heimdal
7	Raven	All Hell's Breaking Loose
8	Mork	Dypet
9	Insomnium	Anno 1696
10	Wayfarer	American Gothic
11	Church of Misery	Born Under a Mad Sign
12	Angelus Apatrida	Aftermath
13	Danava	Nothing But Nothing
14	Green Lung	This Heathen Land
15	Obituary	Dying of Everything
16	Enforced	War Remains
17	Hellripper	Warlocks & Grim & Whitered Hags
18	Wytch Hazel	IV
19	Baroness	Stone
20	Xoth	Exogalatic
21	Doro	Conqueress Forever Strong and Proud
22	Crypta	Shades of Sorrow
23	Autopsy	Ashes, Organs, Blood and Crypts
24	Cruciamentum	Obsidian Refractions
25	Cannibal Corpse	Chaos Horrific
26	Sorcerer	Reign of the Reaper
27	Moonlight Sorcery	Horned Lord of the Thorned Castle
28	GodThrymm	Distortions
29	Overkill	Scorched
30	Nervosa	Jailbreak
31	U.D.O.	Touchdown
32	Tygers of Pan Tang	Bloodlines
33	Voivod	Morgöth Tales

34	Blood Incantation	Luminescent Bridge
35	Trastorned	Into the Void
36	Outer Heaven	Infinite Psychic Depths
37	Incantation	Unholy Deification
38	Burning Witches	The Dark Tower
39	Girlschool	Wtfortyfive?
40	Hitten	While Passion Lasts
41	The Elegant Weapons	Horns for a Halo
42	Sadus	The Shadow Inside
43	Smoulder	Violent Creed of Vengeance
44	Tanith	Voyage
45	Blood Star	First Sighting
46	Meurtrières	Ronde de nuit
47	Cobra Spell	666
48	King Gizzard and the Lizard Wizard	PetroDragonic Apocalypse...
49	Majesties	Vast Reaches Unclaimed
50	Immortal	War Against All
51	Royal Thunder	Rebuilding the Mountain
52	L.A. Guns	Black Diamonds
53	Periphery	Peryphery IVL: Djent Is Not a Genre
54	Night Demon	Outsider
55	Shadows	Out For Blood
56	Void Ceremony	Threads of Unknowing
57	Dying Fetus	Make Them Beg For Death
58	Ghost	Phantomime
59	Kvelertak	Ending
60	Sortilège	Apocalypso
61	Lovebites	Judgement Day
62	EMBR	EMBR
63	Dieth	Metamorphosis
64	Malokarpatan	Vertumnus Caesar
65	The Lion's Daughter	Bath House
66	Sulphur Aeons	Seven Crowns and Seven Seals
67	Anima Hereticae	Descended from the Mountains
68	Lunar Chamber	Shambhallic Vibrations
69	Orbit Culture	Descent
70	Vastum	Inward to Gethsemane
71	Rezn	Solace
72	Marduk	Memento Mori
73	Burden of Grief	Destination Dystopia
74	Mindrager	A Thing of Nightmares
75	Butcher Babies	Eye For an Eye... 'Til the World's Blind
76	Okrútnik	Krwawy Pontifikat
77	Suffocation	Hymns from the Apocrypha
78	Satan's Fall	Destination Destruction
79	Frozen Soul	Glacial Domination
80	Death Ray Vision	No Mercy from Electric Eyes
81	Horrendous	Ontological Mysterium
82	Memoriam	Rise to Power
83	Sodom	1982 (EP)
84	Arkona	Kob
85	Marianas Rest	Auer
86	The Zenith Passage	Datalysium
87	Jag Panzer	The Hallowed
88	Mayhem	Daemonic Rites (live album)
89	Metallica	72 Seasons
90	Anthem	Crimson and Jet Black
91	Till the Dirt	Outside the Spiral
92	Filth Is Eternal	Find Out
93	Spillage	Phase Four
94	Fires in the Distance	Air Not Meant For Us
95	Kalmah	Kalmah
96	Domidium	Beyond
97	Helms Deep	Trecherous Ways
98	Freya	Fight As One
99	Blackbraid	Blackbraid II
100	Steel Panther	On the Prowl
101	Vendetta	Black as Coal
102	Kerrigan	Blood Moon
103	Cruel Force	Dawn of the Axe
104	The Legion of the Damned	The Poison Chalice
105	Krieg	Ruiner
106	Vertebra Atlantis	A Dialogue with the Eeriest Sublime
107	Soen	Memorial
108	Asinhell	Impi hora
109	Nita Strauss	Call of the Void
110	Nightmarer	Deformity Adrift

111	Extinct	Trinity Redux
112	Rascal	Lost Beyond Reason
113	Enforcer	Nostalgia
114	Ancestral Curse	In Dreams of Endless Darkness
115	Dead Heat	Endless Torment (EP)
116	Urne	A Feast of Sorrow
117	Poison Ruin	Härvest
118	Roadwolf	Midnight Lightning
119	Rage Behind	Eminence or Disgrace
120	K.K.'s Priest	The Sinner Rides Again
121	Texas Hippie Coalition	The Name Lives On
122	Siege of Power	This Is Tomorrow
123	Creeping Death	Boundless Domain
124	Svalbard	The Weight of the Mask
125	Triskelyon	Artificial Insanity
126	Bloodshot	Sacramental Gore
127	Conquer Divide	Slow Burn
128	Savage Existence	Savage Existence
129	Terminalist	The Crisis As Condition
130	Fabricant	Drudge to the Thicket
131	Ulthar	Helionomicon
132	Mourning Mist	Amen
133	Doomsday	Doomsday EP
134	Profanatica	Crux Simplex
135	Demonstealer	The Propaganda Machine
136	Powerwolf	Interludium
137	Eleine	We Shall Remain
138	Blood Oath	Lost in Eternal Silence
139	All Hell	All Hail the Night EP
140	Cavalera Conspiracy	Morbid Visions
141	Blut aus Nord	Disharmonium - Nahab
142	Paracrona	Sun God
143	Hinayana	Shatter and Fall
144	Disguised Malignance	Entering the Gateways
145	Morbikon	Ov Mournful Twilight
146	Scar Symmetry	The Singularity (Phase II - Xenotaph)
147	Thy Catafalque	Alföld
148	Theocracy	Mossaic
149	Tribunal	The Weight of Remembrance
150	Worm	Gloomlord
151	Radiant Knife	Pressure
152	Obelyskkh	The Ultimate Grace of God
153	I Am	Eternal Steel
154	Fugitive	Maniac
155	Necropanther	Betrayal
156	Somnuri	Desiderium
157	The Gorge	Mechanical Fiction
158	Sludge Keeper	Slough of Despair
159	Street Tombs	Reclusive Decay
160	Veriluola	Cascades of Crimson Cruor
161	Elm Street	The Great Tribulation
162	Alcatraz	Take no Prisoners
163	Twilight Force	At the Heart of Wintervale
164	Kommand	Dark Age
165	Godslut	Procreation of God
167	Ignea	Dreams of Lands Unseen
168	Mystic Prophecy	Hellriot
169	Dyspläcer	Temple Heights
170	Cronos Compulsion	Malicious Regression
171	Dripping Decay	Festering Grotesqueries
172	Vomitory	All Heads Are Gonna Roll
173	Tribulation	Hamatia EP
174	Plaguemace	Reptilian Warlords
175	Vittra	Blasphemy Blues
176	Botolph Dissidents	The Back of the Beyond
177	Avenged Sevenfold	Life Is But a Dream
178	Ruin Lust	Dissimulant
179	Khanate	To Be Cruel
180	Pyramaze	Bloodlines
181	Sapremia	Subconscious Existence
182	Nixil	From the Wound Spilled Forth
183	Hellwitch	Annihilational Interception
184	Pénitence Onirique	Nature Morte
185	Ufomammuth	Crookhead
186	Gorod	The Orb
187	Kataklysm	Goliath
188	St. Madness	Last Rites – The Final Blessing

189	Redemption	I Am the Storm
190	Shylmagoghar	Convergence
191	Cattle Decapitation	Terrasite
192	Mercenary	Soundtrack For The End Times
193	Ahab	The Coral Tombs
194	Ancestral Darkness	In dreams of Endless Darkness
195	Vai/Gash	Vai/Gash
196	Deitus	Irreversible
197	Pyrexia	The System of the Animal
198	Sin Crazy	Sin Crazy
199	Evile	The Unknown
200	Savage	Glory Riders
<b>Bands that didn't made the cut in the end</b>		
201	The Raven Age	Blood Omen
202	DiGelsomina	Sic Itur Ad Astra
203	Empire of Disease	Shadows in the Abyss
204	Myrkur	Spine
205	Shade Empire	Sunholy
206	Thanamagus	Lie in Wait
207	Glacier Eater	Tempest
208	Secret Sphere	Blackened Heartbeat
209	Cadaver	The Age of the Offended
210	The Infinity Ring	Nemesis & Nativity
211	Dixie Goat	Order, Chaos, Life and Death
212	Unblessed Divine	Portal to Darkness
213	Millenium	The Sign of Evil
214	Skull Servant	Traditional Black Magicks II
215	Peservera	Genesis
216	Embalm	Prelude to Obscurity
217	Blackbriar	A Dark Euphony
218	Beyond God	The Great Divide
219	Concrete Caveman	Feral
220	Dirty Audio Machine	Only Fury Remains
221	Mortuous	Upon Desolation
222	Dripping Decay	Festering Grotesqueries
223	Plague Bearer	Summoning Apocalyptic Devastation
224	Spirit Possession	Of the Sign
225	Lordi	Scream Writers Guild
226	High Spirit	Safe on the Other Side

## Spectacles 2023

1. **Avatar** à l'Olympia le mercredi 13 septembre (meilleur concert de métal auquel j'ai assisté depuis la tournée « The Beast on the Road » d'Iron Maiden en juin 1982!)
  2. **KISS** au Centre Bell pour la dernière fois le samedi 18 novembre.
  3. **Electric Callboys** au MTelus
  4. **Mayhem** avec **Cannibal Corpse**, **Gorguts** et **Blood Incantation** à l'Olympia.
  5. **Enslaved** et **Insomnium** au Corona.
- Mention honorable au concert que Ivan Doroschuk et Men Without Hats ont donné en mars dernier à la salle J.-Antonio Thompson qui en était un quasiment « heavy métal ». □

## Les déceptions de 2023

- The Dark Side of the Moon Redux! Quelle idée pas d'allure!
- Le dernier album de Yes, *Mirror to the Sky*. Je pense qu'il est temps de devenir juste un « legacy band! » □