CKWAL Tracks

Date 2014-07-10 01:22:01

Hi Again. A lot of this site has been the re-accumiliation of all the previously published material that was scattered all over the web and made more presentable. Also, during this hiatus has been underway some new music which a preview of a couple of the tracks can be heard in the re-cap videos. What will this turn into? Ideas have included other singers, bases for remixes or entirely new songs/lyrics that have not been used, or the soundtracks for video. Stay tuned.

RE-CKWAL

Date 2014-12-19 08:46:33

The transition to CKWAL and the alienation that has been going on along with it as well as the newfound lands is quite unbelievable I would think from many others' perspectives; maybe not though. I guess CKWAL is seemingly so young that what is left of SK wants to merge ideas, the world wants to quickly corrupt and misunderstand and having to go through all that again is well .. level: difficult. Recently travelled without much to show in the visual sense as the trip was turned out to be something quite different. The new music is on hold, but with so much stuff happening out there this year there doesn't seem to much need for it yet. This site may stay as is for an archive as some new concept has been raging with a domain of it's own. Will CKWAL survive? Will we be web-bound, is the question, and how does it translate in this world?

Store Links CKWAL's New Year Mix 2016001-1

Date 2016-02-14 19:46:03

Recording: 1 January 2016 Publication: 11 January 2016 3:42 Russian iTunes Links (may redirect to your local store) 1. Rave Century - Glowinthedark & Deorro 2. Century (Tiësto & Moska Remix) - Tiësto & Calvin Harris 3. In My Head - Galantis 4. Silverlined - XY constant 5. Waiting for You - Modern Machines 6. Valencia - MOTi 7. This Could B Us - Prince 8. Prelude - Michael Calfan9. Reload (Carli Remix) - Sebastian Ingrosso, Tommy Trash & John Martin 10. Illmerica - Wolfgang Gartner 11. Landmines (feat. J. Hart) - Pierce Fulton 12. Dance - Rebecca & Fiona

Date 2016-04-01 04:58:22

Recording: 24 February 2016 Publication: 25 February 2016 1:17 iTunes Links - US Store by default on this except for the first one. All should redirect to your local store 1. Let The Groove (Original Mix) - Promise Land Was a free download from Sosumi Records on Soundcloud 2. Knightlife (Extended Mix) - Riggi & Piros 3. Tribeca (Original Mix) - Rene Amesz, Mendo 4. At Night (Album Mix) - Shakedown 5. Yoohoo - Dusky 6. Crazy For You feat. Bishop (Extended Mix) - Bishop, Zonderling 7. Midnight Hearts (feat. Angi3) [Extended Mix] - Sam Feldt & The Him 8. Plastic Smile (Example vs. Felguk) [Bonus Track] - Example & Felguk 9. Bun Up the Dance - Dillon Francis & Skrillex 10. Crumbling Down feat. Zoe Phillips (Original Mix) - Nick Thayer, Zoe Phillips 11. Opus (Four Tet Remix) - Eric Prydz 12. Ride This Train (feat. Aniff Akinola) [Icarus Basement Mix] - Icarus

Date 2016-05-12 07:12:53

Publication: 16 March 2016 3:12 1. Killasound - Laidback Luke 2. Revive - Julian Calor 3. Burn Down - Tom & Jame 4. Fonk - Dannic 5. Hot Rod - Dannic 6. Nitro (Original Club Mix) - Michael Woods 7. Superwave - Ummet Ozcan 8. Monsters (Radio Edit) - Marco V & Flatdisk 9. Birthday Card - Marcus Marr 10. Pasilda - Mike Polo (Beatchugger & Sidelmann Remix) 11. Pure Grinding - Avicii (iSHi Remix) 12. Mini Mix (Compiled From Viper Presents: The Sound of Drum & Bass 2016) Update 4.30.18: Nathan W.'s Mix

Store Links CKWAL's New Year Mix 2016001-2

Date 2016-02-14 19:58:42

Recording: 1 January 2016 Publication: 13 January 2016 7:42 Russian iTunes Links (may redirect to your local store) 1. When It Feels This Good (Dub Mix) - Richard Vission & Luciana 2. Baby Slow Down feat. Torica (Ext. Mix) - Franky Rizardo, Ferreck Dawn, Torica 3. Push (Cazzette Remix) [feat. Andrew Wyatt] - A-Trak 4. Embargo - Armin Van Buuren & Cosmic Gate 5. On My Way - Axwell Λ Ingrosso 6. Magnets - Disclosure Feat. Lorde 7. The Reward Is Cheese (Nom De Strip Remix) - deadmau5 8. They Don't Know - Disciples 9. Blinded By the Light - Julian Jordan 10. Walk This Way (KANT Remix (Club Version)) - MØ 11. The Dark Defender - Place 2b & Paimon 12. We Are the Sun (SICK INDIVIDUALS Remix) - Savoy & Heather Bright

CKWAL'S Saint Valentine's Day Mix Store Links (2016003-2)

Date 2016-03-10 21:12:51

Publication: 14 February 2016 22:32 iTunes Links (may redirect to your local store) Click and buy to support the artists and future Ckwal mixes. 1. Lifetime - FTampa, Sex Room 2. Helium - Chris Lake 3. Say My Name - Max Vangeli (Was only available as a download on Soundcloud). Special thanks to No Face Records for the support. MaxVangeli.com 4. Lion (In My Head) - MOTi 5. Jezabel - Alesia 6. I Can Fly - Jewelz & Sparks 7. Bumblebee X The Limit (Cut Edit) - Zedd X Jordy Dazz Ckwal Mix Exclusive Rubix Separate Tracks: Cut Edit Not available. Full track (Parental Advisory) here:8. Burnin - Calvin Harris & R3hab 9. Overdrive (Part 2) - Ummet Ozcan, Calvin Harris Buy on Beatport 10. PAYDAY - Alesso 11. Wolfpack - TĀLĀ & Banks 12. Intro - 50 Cent 13. Hypnotized - Akon

Date 2016-02-19 20:20:37

Recording: 19 January 2016 Publication: 20 January 2016 6:57 Russian iTunes Links (may redirect to your local store) Click and buy to support the artists and future Ckwal mixes. 1. Alarm - Dzeko & Torres 2. Police feat. Rivero (Extended Mix) - Rivero, Tony Junior, Jetfire 3. Flying Blue (Zack Mia Radio Mix) - Ferry Tayle & Daniel Kandi 4. Phantoms Can't Hang - deadmau5 5. Party People 2K15 (Extended Mix) - Ralvero 6. If U Got IT (The Magician Remix) - Chris Malinchak 7. got Me Thinkin' - Don Diablo & CID Recently made unavailable 8. PLUR Police (Jauz Remix) - Knife Party 9. Need Someone (Original Mix) - Bali Bandits 10. Why (Extended Mix) - Futuristic Polar Bears, D.O.D. 11. Death Drive (feat. KLP) - What So Not 12. Dangerous Love - Bush

iTunes store links CKWAL MIX 2016003-1

Date 2016-03-10 20:10:14

Recording: 26 January 2016 Publication: 27 January 2016 2:29 iTunes Links (may redirect to your local store) Click and buy to support the artists and future Ckwal mixes. 1. Keep Your Lips Sealed - The Dø 2. Pharaon - Dirty Rush & Gregor Es 3. The Way You Move - Deorro & ZooFunktion 4. Bitch Better Have My Money - Rihanna (Michael Woods Remix) 5. The Motion - Drake 6. Kaikō - Djedjotronic 7. Love Like This (feat. Faith Evans) [Radio Edit] 8. Wild Men (feat. Sirena) - CLMD 9. Remember (feat. The Presets) - Steve Angello 10.Mask (Original Mix) - Culprate 11. Mistrust (Original Mix) - Aeph, Teddy Killerz

Update April

Date 2016-04-01 04:23:41

Finishing an instrumental album. Release date to be decided as I'll need to gather some funding to show it off. In the meantime there may be a delay until the next mix is published.

Date 2016-06-12 04:28:45

Recording: 6 April 2016 Publication: 12 May 2016 10:08 Replaced: 29 November 2016 20:24 1. Ten Feet Tall (David Guetta Remix) [feat. Wrabel] - Afrojack 2. Smile - Galantis (Extended Mix) Also on Beatport if not in your local store. 3. Memories feat. SIRAH - Bassjackers, Sirah, KSHMR 4. Open my eyes feat. Jonathon Mendelsohn (Tom Swoon Ext. Edit) - Avedon, Jonathan Mendelsohn, Ale Q 5. Haute Mess (ANNA Remix) - NERVO 6. Near Me - R3hab, Burns 7. New Scene (feat. Ofelia) (Lucky Date & Felix Cartal Remix) - Felix Cartal 8. Dying for You (feat. Lindsey Stirling & Alex Aris) - Otto Knows 9. Samurai (Tiësto Remix) - R3hab 10. Red Lips (feat. Sam Bruno) [Skrillex Remix] - GTA 11. Killa feat. Elliphant - Wiwek & Skrillex 12. Better Than That - Marina and The Diamonds 13. DNA (The M Machine Remix for Helios) - Empire Of The Sun [No longer available for download.] 14. Sleepless (Made in Norway Remix) - Cazzette

Update June

Date 2016-06-09 19:29:34

Album expected in Fall or early Winter. Mix episode 008 is not mix 008 as it was recorded sometime around April of 2015. Mix 007 will be published soon.

iTunes store links SKM MIX Episode 8

Date 2016-07-05 02:44:57

1. Redline (Radio Edit) - Wolfgang Gartner 2. About U - Tommy Trash & Burns 3. Overdrive Part 2 - Ummet Ozcan, Calvin Harris <u>Available on Beatport</u> 4. A Little More (feat. Sansa) - Kaskade & John Dahlbäck 5. Out of Control - TST & Alvaro 6. All Night - Tujamo & Jacob Plant 7. Everyday of My Life - Third Party 8. Lies (feat. Leah Hayes) - Kill FM 9. 10. Breathe (Sleepy Tom Remix) - Anna Lunoe 11. Cult- Teddy Killerz 12. Nixon - ETNIK 13. Inhale / Exhale - Boys Noize 14. Sputnik (Jay Fay Remix) - Bro Safari & UFO!

Date 2016-07-18 00:20:44

Recording: 4 June 2016 Publication: 16 June 2016 2:44 1. Smoke (feat. Amanda Fondell) - Didrick 2. Can't Forget You - Krewella 3. Rock the Bells - Boys Noize 4. Foxtrot - Dyro 5. Red Lights [Afrojack Remix] - Tiësto 6. Wasted (feat. Matthew Koma) [R3hab Remix] - Tiësto 7. Funky Time - Dannic, HIIO - Tiësto 8. Gansta - MOGUAI & Benny Benassi 9. Fighter (feat. A-Sho) [Extended Mix] - Domeno 10. Sound Off - Moska 11. Distraido - Rafa Barrios 12. Get Down - Mark Knight & Adrian Hour 13. Diamonds (feat. Katt Niall) [Extended Mix] - JAGGS 14. Crocodile Tears - Kryder

iTunes and Beatport store links CKWAL MIX 2016009

Date 2016-08-28 00:52:54

Recording: 14 July 2016 Publication: 20 July 2016 23:50 1. Hoy Snoof Zha - Bali Bandits 2. Stay Awake (Extended Mix) - David Gravell 3. House of Now (Tiësto Edit) - MOTi 4. Can't Fight It (Extended Mix) - Quintino & Cheat Codes 5. Feeling - Melsen 6. Chakram - Jaden Daves 7. Don't Pass Go - Cobra Effect <u>Available on Beatport</u> 8. Can't Hold Us Down - Axwell Λ Ingrosso 9. Triple Six - Curbi 10. This Is What You Came For (feat. Rihanna) - Calvin Harris 11. Ryat - Attlas 12. Smoke & Mirrors - Jerome Isma-Ae & Alastor <u>Available on Beatport</u> 13. Childhood - Julian Calor 14. Ocean Drive (Extended Mix) - Duke Dumont 15. Heatwave (feat. Akon) [Deepend Remix] - Robin Schulz 16. Gloss - KRANE

iTunes store links CKWAL MIX 2016010-2

Date 2016-09-09 15:43:36

Recording: 3 August 2016 Publication: 6 August 2016 3:13 1. Bola - GTA 2. Camorra - Nicky Romero 3. Light Years Away - Tiësto 4. Roadkill (EDX Radio Mix) - EDX 5. No Rest For the Wicked (Joris Voorn Remix) [feat. Joris Voorn] - Lykke Li 6. Radical - Monte 7. The Owls - Yotto 8. BOH - D.O.D. 9. Live Love Die (feat. Sirena) - Dimitri Vangelis & Wyman 10. Five Hours - Deorro 11. Wannamaker - Spencer Brown 12. To Life (Radio Edit) [feat. Too Many Zooz] - Ansolo

iTunes store links CKWAL MIX 2016010-1

Date 2016-09-09 15:20:37

Recording: 4 August 2016 Publication: 5 August 2016 5:56 1. Get Busy (feat. Titus) [Extended Mix] - Matisse & Sadko 2. Did We Forget (feat. Amba Shepherd) - NERVO 3. Feel Good Now - Mark Knight 4. Robophobia - The Morphism 5. Home - StéLouse 6. April im Oktober - Stephan Mathieu 7. Loose Lights - Proxima 8. Nomad - Vromm 9. Division - Tycho 10. Heal Me (SpectraSoul Remix) - Arctic Lake 11. DUELE EL CORAZON (feat. Wisin) - Enrique Iglesias

iTunes and Beatport store links CKWAL MIX 2016008

Date 2016-08-05 03:24:24

Recording: 3 July 2016 Publication: 4 July 2016 7:25 1. Let Me Love You feat. Lil Wayne (Edit) - Ariana Grande 2. Reflections feat. Example (Extended Mix) - Example, Jacob Plant Available on Beatport 3. Tuesday Maybe - Way Out West 4. BRB - No Mana 5. Dark River (Radio Edit) - Sebastian Ingrosso 6. MYNE (Tony Quattro Remix) - Treasure Fingers & BOSCO 7. Space Sheep - Oliver Heldens & Chocolate Puma 8. Vampire (AYO ALEX Remix) - Lazyboy Empire 9. Bigger Than Love (feat. Giuseppe De Luca) - Ilan Bluestone 10. Faded - (Tiësto's Northern Lights Edit) - Alan Walker 11. Alien (Extended Mix) - Omnia 12. Thinking of You (Roulsen Remix) - HEART FX 13. Lost (Matt Karmil Remix) - Ashworth

Date 2016-12-07 20:34:12

A special thanks to 'audio album' plug-in by cubecolour. I tried many plug-ins and across many website themes, this was the only one that consistently was compatible with the SKM albums, even when the theme had one built-in. Sincerely, The CKWAL/SKM webeditor.

Date 2016-10-20 21:25:36

Recording: 18 September 2016 Publication: 21 September 2016 0:45 1. XYLØ - Gossip 2. Young the Giant - Art Exhibit 3. Major Lazer - Cold Water (feat. Justin Beiber & MØ) [King Henry & Jr Blender Remix] 4. Felix Snow - 2 Live (feat. Jitta On the Track) 5. Jerome Price - Me Minus You (DC Breaks Remix) 6. Value - Phaselock 7. Rimsky - Korolev 8. Ovion - On My Way (Extended Mix) 9. MATTN & Futuristic Polar Bears - Café Del Mar 2016 (Dimitri Vegas & Like Mike Edit) 10. Bassjackers - Fireflies (feat. Luciana) [Extended Mix] 11. Prince Royce - La Carretera 12. DJ Kan & Misha Marvin - Hy что за дела (feat. Тимати)

Date 2016-10-04 12:39:05

iTunes Links CKWAL MIX 2016012 Recording: 30 August 2016 Publication: 4 September 2016 20:39 1. Becky G - Sola 2. Modest Mouse - Ansel 3. Alicia Keys X Kaskade - In Common (Remix) [Radio Mix] 4. Marina and The Diamonds - Gold 5. Juliet Sikora & Tube & Berger - Come On Now (Set It Off) 6. David Museen & Erik Christiansen - Robotic Bumblebee 7. Scuba - Choke 8. Hotflush Scuba - Pcp 9. Prok & Fitch - Raw Cut 10. Cooperated Souls - Structures (Radio Edit)

Date 2016-09-24 22:52:33

Recording: 17 August 2016 Publication: 22 August 2016 5:06 1. Nunca Me Olvides - Yandel 2. Flushed - KRANE 3. Start a Riot (Dave Edwards Remix) - BANNERS 4. 3 Strikes - Terror Jr 5. Duro Bass (feat. Ma-Less & DJ Blass) - White Gangster & SpydaT.E.K. 6. Battlefront - David Gravell 7. Drifter (feat. DYU) - Don Diablo 8. Gravity - Parker & Hanson 9. Crowned - Piemont 10. Ceremonie des Adiuex - Gab Rhome 11. In Common (Black Coffee Remix) - Alicia Keys 12. Aurora - John Monkman & Pete Tong 13. Transitions - Mark Knight & Adriana Hour 14. You Know - Zeds Dead & Oliver Heldens 15. Yin Yang (Extended Mix) - Ansolo & Maxum 16. Sing me to Sleep - Alan Walker 17. Waiting For So Long (Gloria) - Axwell 18. Mad World (feat. Jake Reese) - Hardwell

Date 2016-11-07 21:03:40

Recording: 29 September 2016 Publication: 7 October 2016 22:03 1. Malanti - Corey James & Masson 2. Trouble (feat. KANEHOLLER) - Feed Me 3. Ballade - Bakermat 4. You Were Right - RÜFÜS DU SOL 5. Ironing Man - Mark Knight 6. I Want You for Me - Mr Gonzo 7. Loving Me Wrong - Stanton Warriors 8. Three Triangles (Club Mix) - Hardwell 9. Unbroken (Extended Mix) - Quintino & Yves V 10. Dancing Again - Timo Odv 11. Crash - Usher

Date 2016-11-21 19:36:01

Recording: 31 July 2016 Publication: 21 October 2016 18:51 Replaced: 29 November 2016 19:50 1. The Funk Fury - Almanac (feat. DB) 2. Barong Family Mike Cervello - No Time (feat. Stor-I) 3. DallasK - Powertrip (Extended Mix) 4. Mark Knight & Adrian Hour - Transitions 5. MK & Becky Hill - Piece of Me (CamelPhat Remix) 6. Jaded - 4000Hz (Purple Pelican Club Mix) 7. Shura - Touch (GRADES Remix) 8. Marc Romboy & Stephan Bodzin - Atlas (Adriatique Remix) 9. Nom de Strip - Juno 10. Heatbeat - Chow Mein 11. Armin van Buuren & Human Resource - Dominator 12. Super8 & Tab - Komorebi (David Gravell Extended Remix)

Date 2016-12-08 13:07:25

Recording: 16 October 2016 Publication: 7 November 2016 15:07 1. Kerosyn - The Evolution of Scrap 2. Aero Chord - The90s 3. Karma & Friction - Active 4. Tchami - After Life (DJ Snake & Mercer Remix) [feat. Stacy Barthe] 5. The Aston Shuffle - Tear It Down 6. Empire of the Sun - High and Low 7. NERVO - People Grinnin' (feat. The Child of Lov) [Erick Morillio Remix] 8. Clouds - Blood Skating 9. Autoerotique - Roll the Drums (feat. Marissa Jack) [Torro Torro Remix] 10. Adrian Lux - Teenage Crime 11. Until The Ribbon Breaks - The Other Ones 12. Until The Ribbon Breaks - Orca

2016 - Year in review

Date 2017-01-19 00:10:41

Main style: Dance Pop Favorite styles: Alternative Rock, Breaks, Drum & Bass, Dubstep, Electro, Electro House, Electro Progressive, Hip House, House, Indie Dance, Latin Pop, Pop, Progressive House, R&B, Techno, Trance Language rating: Mostly clean 24 new podcasts (first mix recorded over yearline of 2015-2016 Central Time, USA). 1 episode from 2013 recorded in Erbil, Iraq. 1 double-disc album mixed on the Pioneer R1 (copyright 2016 Ckwal - USA paperwork and final master pending). Programs equipment used: Pioneer Rekordbox DJ Plus on computer or R1, Traktor (iPhone and iPad) sometimes with Z1. Ableton Live Intro. Links: Rekordbox Pioneer DJ Ableton Live Intro Traktor for IOS Traktor Kontrol Z1 Special thanks to: iTunes store and linkmaker Beatport Tracksource Cloud Convert - App and online cloud conversion of audio files. Special thanks to top DJs and their podcasts of 2013-2015 found on Apple Podcast Special thanks to all listeners and promoDJ Top listeners of the year - Russia Special thanks to Capital One, Barclay, US Bank (REI Card), Guitar Center, Sam Ash, Merrick Bank, TD Bank (Target Red Card) and Synchrony Bank (GC Gear Card).

Date 2016-12-22 19:30:25

Recording: 20 October 2016 Publication: 21 November 2016 22:30 1. Wet - It's All in Vain 2. DJ Jazzy Jeff & The Fresh Prince - Summertime 3. Halsey - Ghost 4. Rise At Night - The Monumental (feat. Nikita Esco) [Mediks Remix 5. Tove Lo - My Gun 6. Dr. Dre - Issues (feat. Ice Cube, Anderson .Paak & Dem Jointz) 7. Nicky Jam & Enrique Iglesias - El Perdón 8.Goldroom - Lying to You 9. Krewella - Broken Record 10. Simplification, Translate & Masterwizard - Magic Strings 11. Sky Ferreira - You're Not the One (Little Daylight Remix)

Date 2016-12-30 20:57:04

Recording: 27 November 2016 Publication: 30 November 2016 23:57 1. Another Life - D'Angelo and The Vanguard 2. Montreal (feat. Kimbra) - What So Not 3. Goodbye (Demo) - Laurel 4. U Don't Know (feat Wayne Coyne) [Daktyl Remix] - Alison Wonderland 5. Waiting - RL Grime, What So Not & Skrillex 6. Condition Zero - Cruk 7. You're Not the One (Blood Diamonds Remix) - Sky Ferreira 8. Lessons (feat. DRS) - Enei & Kasra 9. Glow - Ella Henderson 10. 1998 (feat. Banks) - Chet Faker 11. God Is Dead? - Black Sabbath 12. Runnin' Just In Case - Miranda Lambert

Date 2017-01-10 17:59:19

1. The Middle - Wet 2. IN THE REDS - Cirez D 3. Go (HI-LO Remix) - Moby 4. Make Up Your Mind - Martin Garrix & Florian Picasso 5. Carte Blanche (David Gravell Remix) - Veracocha 6. Maps (Rumba Whoa Remix) [feat. J. Balvin] - Maroon 5 7. Prime - Sick Individuals 8. 7 Circles - Mailky, Gydra 9. Lockner Union - Overmono 10. Up Again (feat. Rae Morris) [Drumsound & Bassline Smith Remix] - Clean Bandit 11. No Longer Slaves (Radio Remix) - Jonathan David & Melissa Helser

Date 2017-01-18 23:38:55

1. Max Vangeli, Francis Marvel, Kacie Marie - Shine feat. Francis Marvel feat. Kacie Marie (Max Vangeli VIP Mix) <u>Beatport Link</u> Special thanks to <u>No Face Records</u> for the support. <u>MaxVangeli.com</u> 2. Cirez D - IN THE REDS 3. Tiesto, Bobby Puma - Making Me Dizzy (Extended Mix) <u>Extended version as heard here is available on Beatport.</u> 4. The Chainsmokers - Kanye (feat. sirenXX) [Steve Aoki & twoloud Remix] 5. Signs - Less Is More 6. Merk & Kremont, Sunstars - Eyes (Extended Mix <u>Available on Beatport</u> 7. Carnage, Timmy Trumpet - PSY or DIE (Extended Mix) <u>Also, on Beatport (as many are).</u> 8. Henry Fong, Sanjin, Halfway House - F.E.A.R. feat. Sanjin <u>Beatport Link</u> 9. The Chainsmokers - Kanye (feat. sirenXX) [Reece Low Remix] 10. Tom Tyger - Delano <u>Beatport Link</u> 11. Moby - Go (HI-LO Remix) <u>Beatport Link</u>

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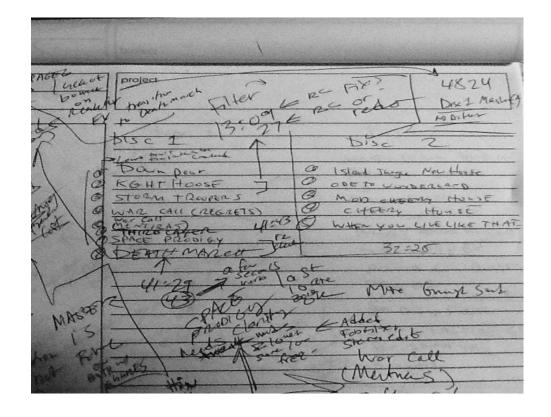
1. Olvídame y Pega la Vuelta - Jennifer Lopez & Marc Anthony 2. U Don't Know (feat. Wayne Coyne) [THUGLI Remix] - Alison Wonderland 3. Dive (feat. Enya & Alex Aris) - Salvatore Ganacci 4. Diamonds Dancing - Drake & Future EXPLICIT CLEAN 5. Trust - What So Not & Burns 6. Say It (feat. Tove Lo) [Clean Bandit Remix] - Flume EXPLICIT ONLY 7. Eyes (Extended Mix) - Merk & Kremont, Sunstars Available on Beatport 8. People I Love (Club Mix) [feat. Stevie Appleton] - Sick Individuals 9. Kaboom - Bali Bandits 10. Nino - Super8 & Tab 11. Javelin (feat. Ben Gold) [Carl Nunes Remix] - Gareth Emery 12. Can't Stop Playing (Dr. Kucho Remix) - Dr. Kucho! & Gregor Salto 13. Nobody To Love (Third Party Remix) - Sigma 14. The Middle - Wet

Ckwal's First Release (Continuous Mix)

Date 2017-02-06 07:16:54

Disc One	Disc Two
Downpour KGHTHOOSE Storm Troopers War Call (Regrets) War Call (Mentiras) Third Layer Space Prodigy Death March	Island Jungle New House Ode to Wonderland Mod Cheery House Cheery House When you live like that

Tracklist notes © 2016-2017 Ckwal August 17th, 2017 Update: Final master by Darkart Mastering. 'Mastered for iTunes' under review. Ckwal March 1st, 2018 Update: UPC and ISRC track codes are ready for release of the 'Mastered for iTunes' exclusive publishing, however it has been delayed for an undetermined amount of time. Credits Update: Track three or so of first disc (the one with horn sounds) may have a sample drum loop somewhat edited from a Ubiquity Records 'Beats & Breaks' disc and one from an edited Beatport Sound towards the end. Most other loops are original beats and sounds are either direct from the Boss DR-880 and/or overlayed using those base beats with Native Instruments Komplete and played partially using the Kontrol. I had this Pioneer for a short time in which the continuous album was mixed.



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1. Cirez D - CENTURY OF THE MOUSE 2. Maroon 5 - Maps (Rumba Whoa Remix) [feat. J Balvin] 3. Sluggers - SDFMIA 4. Martin Garrix & Florian Picasso - Make Up Your Mind 5. The Weeknd - Starboy (feat. Daft Punk) 6. Banks - Gemini Feed 7. KREAM - Taped Up Heart (feat. Clara Mae) 8. Cazzette - Static 9. Jon Johnson - With You (feat. Bex) 10. Disclosure - You & Me (feat. Eliza Doolittle) 11. The Magician - Shy (feat. Brayton Bowman) [CID Remix] 12. Bang La Decks - Aide 13. Jewelz & Sparks- Need You 14. Beck - Volcano 15. Michael Feiner - Mantra (Axwell Cut) Thanks to Pacific Garden Mission, Chicago Public Libraries and Cook Memorial, Libertyville. It was musically, a good year.

Date 2017-02-02 20:57:02

1. Set Me Free - Dyro & LOOPERS 2. Rebound (Mix Cut) - Julian Jordan This (Mix Cut) found on <u>Amazon.com</u> 3. Fantasy (Ghosts of Venice Remix) - Todd Terry & J Paul Getto Originally found on Market Paul Getto Originally found on Market Paul (Ghosts of Venice Remix) - Todd Terry & J Paul Getto Originally found on Market Paul (Pill Remix) - R3hab & Skytech Originally found on Market Paul (Pill Remix) - R3hab & Skytech Originally found on Market Paul (Pill Remix) - R3hab & Skytech Originally found on Market Paul (Pill Remix) - R3hab & Skytech Originally found on Market Paul (Pill Remix) - R3hab & Skytech Originally found on Market Paul (Pill Remix) - R3hab & Skytech Originally found on Market Paul (Pill Remix) - R3hab & Skytech Originally found on Market Paul (Pill Remix) - R3hab & Skytech Originally found on Market Paul (Pill Remix) - R3hab & Skytech Originally found on Market Paul (Pill Remix) - R3hab & Skytech Originally found on Market Paul (Pill Remix) - R3hab & Skytech Originally found on Market Paul (Pill Remix) - R3hab & Skytech Originally found on Market Paul (Pill Remix) - R3hab & Skytech Originally found on Market Paul (Pill Remix) - R3hab & Skytech Originally found on Market Paul (Pill Remix) - R3hab & Skytech Originally found on Market Paul (Pill Remix) - Rate Paul") - Rate Paul" (Pill Remix) - Rate Paul" (Pill Re

iTunes store links CKWAL UCS2017005

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1. Energy - Drake 2. Ice (feat. Kylan Road) - Pablo Nouvelle 3. Genghis Khan - Miike Snow 4. I Know U (KRNE Remix) - Keys N Krates 5. West Coast - Lana Del Rey 6. They Answered Back (Jhonsson Remix) - Ben Remember 7. Anymore - Goldfrapp 8. Good Life (feat. Ida Corr) - Oliver Heldens 9. Hijos De La Tierra - Rafa Barrios 10. Flow - Filterheadz 11. Profondo - Alesso 12. Help Me Lose My Mind (feat. London Grammar) - Disclosure 13. Moving On and Getting Over - John Mayer

Update

Date 2017-02-02 21:00:46

All tracklists are available now including the latest two mixes of 2017. We are experiencing difficulties with streaming rights and permissions of this podcast on it's home site of PromoDJ.com. Keep checking back for further updates and I hope you enjoyed 2016 and the music everyone was putting out. If you are interested in hearing a mix - contact social@ckwal.net for a live booking or private event.

Upper candidate series...

Date 2017-03-03 17:32:14

CKWAL MIX UCS2017005 Try this at home. Mixes cannot be published due to lack of licensing responses. Track links on the way. Sunday 12th February 2017, 1529 "Energy" artist="Drake" starttime="3" "Ice (feat. Kylan Road)" artist="Pablo Nouvelle" starttime="175" "Genghis Khan" artist="Miike Snow" starttime="338" "I Know U (KRNE Remix)" artist="Keys N Krates" starttime="516" "West Coast" artist="Lana Del Rey" starttime="748" "They Answered Back (Jhonsson Remix)" artist="Ben Remember" starttime="959" "Anymore" artist="Goldfrapp" starttime="1306" "Good Life (feat. Ida Corr)" artist="Oliver Heldens" starttime="1524" "Hijos De La Tierra" artist="Rafa Barrios" starttime="1666" "Flow" artist="Filterheadz" starttime="2119" "Profondo" artist="Alesso" starttime="2487" "Help Me Lose My Mind (feat. London Grammar)" artist="Disclosure" starttime="2626" "Moving On and Getting Over" artist="John Mayer" starttime="2869"

CKWAL is Official

Date 2017-03-25 21:49:21

This just received; it took almost a year (if you are curious). These track orders are off though and it is possible to submit a two disc project. Not sure what this order is, may be they are making their own mixes. See earlier post for the actual album mastering notes. What you hear here is an mp3 version.

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Almost forgot

Date 2017-03-21 01:13:19

Thanks NGHTMRE and <u>thissongissick</u> for reminding me... Big help from <u>1001tracklists</u> They aren't always accurate, but most of the time you will find a track or two you are looking for on there. For my other links and equipment used for 2016 see this <u>post</u>. Check <u>NESTHQ</u> as well for some mixes, singles and above par images.

Date 2017-03-14 20:29:08

Friday January 20th 1645 document vendor="Native Instruments" type="tracklist" tracklist track name="Firebird" artist="Galantis" guid="281EAC0405BA8D08" starttime="1" track name="Adiós" artist="Ricky Martin" guid="4B6489FC37AACD43" starttime="230" track name="Rise Up" artist="Filterheadz" guid="350A736E2B496029" starttime="449" track name="Premium" artist="Hollen" guid="5B2DFA7D9961C054" starttime="798" track name="Best Night OML (feat. JB) [Dolly Rockers Remix]" artist="Charlie Hedges" guid="1D6F9AE021EF8A03" starttime="1133" track name="Projection" artist="Dosem" guid="7815E3EADD084D9D" starttime="1392" track name="In White Rooms (Jonas Rathsman Reprise)" artist="Booka Shade" guid="44ED7BE5CCFD50D5" starttime="1702" track name="Driving Seat" artist="Felon" guid="15F99A7634F099E4" starttime="2047" track name="Drifting Away (feat. Ofelia K)" artist="Felix Cartal" guid="596D5C90FAF5E1EF" starttime="2344" track name="Speed of Love" artist="Owl City" guid="0FC9F392E2AC4B89" starttime="2525" track name="Adrenaline" artist="Zedd & Grey" guid="274CF657C1AE34F8" starttime="2707" track name="Receiver" artist="Tycho" guid="00E8B19B569462EB" starttime="2870" track name="Pump Up the Jam" artist="Technotronic" guid="281EAC0405BA8806" starttime="3060" track name="Back of the Car" artist="Miike Snow" guid="281EAC0405BA8E74" starttime="3353" track name="Riverside" artist="Carmine Rafael Faro" guid="25F04E83508EF8BF" starttime="3555" Happy Chinese New Year 'Year of the Fire Rooster'

iTunes store links UCS2017006 (Fire Rooster Mix)

Date 2017-03-17 17:12:33

1. Firebird - Galantis 2. Adiós - Ricky Martin 3. Rise Up - Filterheadz 4. Premium - Hollen 5. Best Night OML (feat. JB) [Dolly Rockers Remix] 6. Projection - Dosem 7. In White Rooms (Jonas Rathsman Reprise) - Booka Shade 8. Driving Seat - Felon 9. Drifting Away (feat. Ofelia K) - Felix Cartal 10. Speed of Love - Owl City 11. Adrenaline - Zedd & Grey 12. Receiver - Tycho 13. Pump Up the Jam - Technotronic 14. Back of the Car - Miike Snow 15. Riverside - Carmine Rafael Faro Some tracks discovered on Traxsource (A great place to discover music). Online conversion made possible by cloudconvert. Special thanks to the public library in North Platte, Nebraska and The Connection (homeless shelter).

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Date

2017-05-16 23:14:34

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Date 2017-03-29 10:43:29

PART I Monday January 9th 659 document vendor="Native Instruments" type="tracklist" tracklist 1. track name="Choose Me II" artist="Xilent" guid="7ABA3AF85F229D43" starttime="3" 2. track name="Reborn" artist="Xilent" guid="5E6086422E9693A7" starttime="262" 3. track name="Midnight Dancers (Mix Cut)" artist="Julian Jordan" guid="3DD918643C5E6D05" starttime="460" This version found on Amazon 4. track name="Skinny Pigs (feat. Protohype & LUMBERJVCK)" artist="12th Planet" guid="7C48514ED8DF2081" starttime="665" 5. track name="Do You Rock?" artist="TC" guid="281EAC0405BA88FD" starttime="875" 6. track name="Spoken (feat. Rocky Nti)" artist="Etherwood" guid="281EAC0405BA89E1" starttime="1119" 7. track name="Chemicals" (feat. Thomas Troelsen)" artist="Tiësto & Don Diablo" guid="281EAC0405BA8E00" starttime="1462" 8. track name="Melody" artist="Oliver Heldens" guid="1F0CBEE8060136AB" starttime="1725" 9. track name="Adrenaline" artist="Zedd & Grey" guid="274CF657C1AE34F8" starttime="1987" 10. track name="The Girl from Ipanema (feat. Deborah Cox) [Dan De Leon Carnaval Reconstruction]" artist="Ana Paula" guid="1F0F085C6BCF5747" starttime="2144" 11. track name="The Riddle (Extended Mix)" artist="David Gravell" guid="6F7E61D10A3C6EBC" starttime="2508" 12 track name="The Unforgiven II" artist="Metallica" guid="2294E1FDF01D5913" starttime="2782" 13. track name="휘과람 WHISTLE" artist="BLACKPINK" guid="55BD6018798C5D96" starttime="3169" Part II Saturday 25th March 2017, 21:57 1. Secret Stash - Mike Mago & Dragonette 2. Molino - Mark Johns 3. The Troubles - U2 4. Run Away - Feki 5. Ni**as in Paris -Kanye West & JAY Z 6. Amor Prohibido (feat. Sean Paul & Konshens) - Nicky Jam 7. Automation - Robotaki 8. Generate - Eric Prydz 9. Brain Went Ping - Michael Woods vs. Bullet - Danny Howard 10. Heart Weighs a Ton (feat. Stefan Storm) [Galantis vs. Alex Metric] 11. nowhere - Josh Pan & X&G 12. Pura - Trinix Special thanks to the public library in North Platte, Nebraska and The Connection (homeless shelter).

Date 2017-04-18 15:03:18

Three part MixList for the second half of April Part I Thursday 23rd February 2017, 23:26 52:47 1. Anymore - Goldfrapp 2. Do It for You, Do It for Us - Ben Harper 3. Rooting For You -London Grammar 4. Help Me Lose My Mind (feat. London Grammar) - Disclosure 5. Desert Island Disk - Radiohead 6. Repo Man - Ray LaMontagne & The Pariah Dogs 7. Snow in Vegas (feat. LeAnn Rimes) - David Gray 8. Johny - Sofi Tukker 9. No Tellin' - Drake 10. Wherever You Go - Sublime With Rome 11. Stop for a Minute (feat. K'naan) - Keane & K'naan 12. Strobe (Com Truise Remix) - deadmau5 13. Used To (feat. Lil Wayne) - Drake Part II Sunday 2nd April 2017, 20:48 1:00:03 1. Bobo - J Balvin 2. Desperation (feat. Jamie N Commons) - Eminem 3. La La Land (feat. Delaney Jane) - DVBBS & Shaun Frank EXPLICIT 4. Not Gonna Get Us t.A.T.u. 5. Addicted to a Memory (feat. Bahari) - Zedd 6. Made for This - Sick Individuals 7. Pony (Jump On It) [feat. Ginuwine] [Sick Individuals Remix] 8. Crazy (feat. Joie Tan) [RIBELLU Remix] - Teemid ((Ckwal cut it short version for a different remix)) 9. Hey (feat. Afrojack) [Acoustic Version] - Fais 10. Trustful Hands (Chi Thanh Dub) - The Dø 10.5 Half mash with 11. 11. Transitions - Mark Knight & Adrian Hour 12. Crazy (feat. Joie Tan) [Stil & Bense Remix] - Teemid 13. After Hours - Yoe Mase 14. Midas Touch (Bonus Track) - Ellie Goulding & Burns 15. Not for You - Pearl Jam 16. Don't Blame Luv (feat. T.I.) - WatchtheDuck EXPLICIT Part III Sunday 9th April 2017, 14:17 50:59 1. There's No Need - Empire of the Sun 2. Without You (feat. Totally Enormous Extinct Dinosaurs) - Dillon Francis 3. Trustful Hands (Chi Thanh Remix) - The Dø 4. Kubrick - Jermome Isma-Ae & Alastor Thanks to Miss Monique discovered on Mind Games 65 5. T's & C's - Franc Moody 6. Mirrors - Whipped Cream & Heckler 7. Front to Back (Bassnectar Remix) - Buku 8. Surreal (feat. RKCB) - Louis Futon 9. Watch Out (feat. Ragga Twins) - Dirtyphonics & Bassnectar 10. Juicy - Mercer 11. Gold -Michael Woods 12. Astronomia - Vicetone & Tony Igy 13. The End - Pryda 14. Orion - Justin Strikes vs. There's No Need - Empire of the Sun

Date 2017-04-26 16:31:48

Tuesday 25th April 2017, 20:03 1:02:33 1. Often - The Weeknd (CLEAN VERSION) 2. Motley Crew - THEY. (EXPLICIT) 3. Mantra (Mat Zo Remix) - Noisia 4. Hide It All (Instrumental) -12th Planet 5. On My Way (feat. Bright Sparks) - Tiësto 6. Utopia (feat. Dominique Young Unique) - Bang La Decks 7. Counting Down the Days (feat. Gemma Hayes) - Above & Beyond 8. Get There (Extended Mix) - Paris Blohm 9. Complete (feat. Oppeniender) - Body Crash 10. Got the Light - Franc Moody Discovered by The Magician 11. Handcrafted - Dropout 12. Don't Kill My Vibe (Gryffin Remix) - Sigrid 13. Just Like Us - Rae Sremmurd (CLEAN VERSION) 14. Praise - Corduroy Mavericks Discovered on Traxsource 15. Heart Starts to Beat - BlasterJaxx & Marnik 16. Bandana (Extended Mix) - Olly James & Kevu 17. U Got 2 Know - Ralvero One or more of the Maxximize Records tracks may have been discovered on this Traxsource label page Others found on NEST HQ or thissongissick Many of the 2016 podcasts were discovered on the iTunes's podcasts of: Nicky Romero's Protocol Radio Hardwell's Hardwell On Air Official Podcast Monstercat's Monstercat Podcast Update: Now named - Call of the Wild Michael Woods's Diffused Music Tiësto's Club Life Don Diablo's Hexagon Radio Laidback Luke's Mixmash Radio Felix Cartal's Weekend Workout The Magician's Magic Tape R3HAB's -I NEED R3HAB Mat Zo's Mat Zo Mix DJ Gira's - Gira Radio Show on NSB Radio Avicii's Levels Podcast Mark Knight's Toolroom Radio Gareth Emery's Electric For Life Eric Prydz's Epic Radio Afrojack's JACKED Radio Nervo's BPM Update: 'Nervo Nation' and Ummet Ozcan's Innerstate Radio Homages paid to Alison Wonderland, Mark Knight, and the final track on Disturbed's Immortalized on my 2016 self-entitled instrumental album tracks. Update: 3/25/18 Tentatively scheduled to release exclusively on iTunes 4/18/18. Also, see Алеся Аркуша or Miss Monique's

Mind Games Podcast on video. Later podcasts use Sirius Radio and other listening methods via the iTunes application. I currently do not support Spotify, Pandora, iTunes Radio, or other paid/unpaid subscription services of this type. I have to listen on Soundcloud sometimes but discontinued my publishing account with them years ago for several reasons. This statement subject to change after further exploration and as this field finds other ways to address the issue and problems of publishing speed and the 'gray area' legalities associated with them. Some may not care, but the upcoming and rising stars have little protection from the bullies whom you cannot always see.

Date 2017-05-14 01:04:03

Thursday 11th May 2017, 22:48 CDT 1:13:23 1. In Da Club - 50 Cent (EXPLICIT) 2. Tied Up - The Magician & Julian Perretta 3. Hold On, We're Going Home (feat. Majid Jordan) - Drake 4. Rich Boy (Said the Sky Remix) - Galantis 5. Dile Que Tu Me Quieres - Ozuna 6. Bobo - J Balvin 7. No Way Out (feat. GoldLink) - Xavier Omär 8. Sway (feat. Nevve) - Syn Cole 9. Battle Symphony - LINKIN PARK 10. Leaving California - Maroon 5 11. Crossing Borders (Chopstick & Johnjon Remix) [feat. Fritz Kalkbrenner] - Booka Shade 12. Bubble & Squeak (Extended Mix) - Alex Graham 13. Riu - Corey James & Will K 14. Explore - David Gravell 15. Nobody (feat. Karen Harding) [Extended] - Jerome Price 16. I Got to Do (Me & My Toothbrush Radio Mix) - Nora En Pure & Redondo 17. Scio - Jay Hardway 18. Bounce Generation - TJR & Vinai 19. Pound Cake / Paris Morton Music 2 (feat. JAY Z) - Drake (CLEAN VERSION) 20. Not a Crime (No Es Ilegal) - Play-N-Skillz & Daddy Yankee

Artist Social Quick Links

Date 2017-05-30 21:56:45

In addition to this post, which shows many artist social links (mostly instagram), here are some more key mixers. Taylor Swift Official Site Instagram Soundcloud Alesso Official Site Instagram Soundcloud Calvin Harris Official Site Instagram Soundcloud Calvin Harris Official Site Instagram Soundcloud Currents Official Site Instagram Soundcloud Currents Official Site Instagram Soundcloud Calantis Official Site Instagram Soundcloud Galantis Official Site Instagram Soundcloud Sparks Official Site Instagram Soundcloud Swrillex Official Site Instagram Soundcloud Thom Yorke Official Site Instagram Soundcloud Zith Planet Official Site Instagram Soundcloud Zith Planet Official Site Instagram Soundcloud Drake Official Site Instagram Soundcloud (OVO) Site addresses change without notice and so do the sites. If something is off, send a comment on promodj.com/ckwal. Not all instagrams are verified as official, but are at least linked to another of the artist's reliable online accounts. In no order and not complete. Another quick check list will follow these.

CKWAL MIX 2017011 Encore (ipad malfunction version)

Date 2017-05-31 21:38:51

Wednesday 31st May 2017, 10:11 32:08 Original BPMs after artist which change in the mix. 1. Skin of the Night - M83 120 2. Digital Lion - James Blake 90 3. Dissolve Me - alt-J 108 4. Dangerous (Oliver Remix) - Big Data 110 5. No More Hell to Pay - Stryper 114 6. Team - Local H 125 7. I Don't Want You to Forget - Jars of Clay 82 8. Firestone (feat. Conrad Sewell) - Kygo 114 (Original cover artwork unavailable). Mix cut short during Firestone. Update/Edit: This mix had to be remade due to iPad 2 issues; see follow up post. We were able to extend this web-outlet for another year.

CKWAL MIX 2017011

Date 2017-05-28 01:19:08

More news expected in June Most posts as shown on calendar, coincide with UTC. Sunday 21st May 2017, 21:19 43:42 W/ Original BPMs after artist Final track closer to speed of Drake's 1. Am I Wry? No - Mew 130.6 2. Raging Blue - Joshi 122 -Originally discovered on the Gareth Emery Podcast now called Electric For Life 3. Still Waiting - Prototyperaptor 124.6 Half Mash with/to... 4. Crank - Jewelz & Sparks 128 5. Shift - ANG & Reggio 128 6. I Don't Wanna Go Home (Kyle Watson Remix) - Oliver Heldens 123 7. On My Mind (Chi Thanh Remix) - Disciples 124 8. Better - Banks 109.7 9. Dangerous (feat. Joywave) - Big Data 103 10. Started From the Bottom - Drake 86.3 (CLEAN VERSION) 11. Vibration - Sophia Black 74

CKWAL MIX UCS2017010 Encore

Date 2017-05-20 23:13:57

Thursday 23rd February 2017, 16:19 CDT 33:19 1. In My Blood - Alesso 2. Heroes (we could be) [feat. Tove Lo] - Alesso 3. Klaxon - Tomy DeClerque (One of Ckwal's Echoes version) (UNEDITED VERSION FOUND HERE) 4. Hijos De La Tierra - Rafa Barrios 5. Burn Down (feat. Dread MC & Grove) - Bromley Half Mash (Hazmat Blend) to: 6. Dirty Little Lover - Ben Harper 7. Mutineers - David Gray 8. Back In Time - Keane

Date 2017-06-06 21:46:41

Summer may bring some unpublished mixes that got rejected, skipped over, misplaced or lost. with duplicate songs or never played tracks. Possibly, there was a minor reason why it didn't make it to the upper candidate series (a mixing mistake or something I didn't like with a transition) when listening to it at the time. These are the ones that are still pretty hot to listen to since their inception. I am short on new tracks and might be roaming around or taking a break, so I will be filling the time with these until the main mix of the next UCS is ready. Also, I am trying to perfect that last encore. I will update you if I ever 'nail' it. I backed up and sent all the mixes to the Berklee cloud, so I can try again. CKWAL MIX UNPUBLISHED #01 Thursday 16th February 2017, 1749 51:49 document vendor="Native Instruments" type="tracklist" tracklist track name="10 Bands" artist="Drake" guid="3982C64AC4E18F6D" starttime="2" CLEAN VERSIONtrack name="Johny" artist="Sofi Tukker" guid="6BA0CEE25BFD23BC" starttime="169" track name="Longshot (7 Nights)" artist="Miike Snow" guid="281EAC0405BA8E7A" starttime="329" track name="Ice (feat. Kylan Road)" artist="Pablo Nouvelle" guid="62C62B10D2B261FC" starttime="562" track name="Beg Steal or Borrow" artist="Ray LaMontagne The Pariah Dogs" guid="3982C64AC4E18D7F" starttime="728" track name="I Know U (KRNE Remix)" artist="Keys N Krates" guid="3D4E9E46614DBC1B" starttime="975" track name="PAYDAY" artist="Alesso" guid="3982C64AC4E18FBB" starttime="1193" track name="Klaxon" artist="Tomy DeClerque"guid="162EF17C77221D2E" starttime="1397" track name="Hijos De La Tierra" artist="Rafa Barrios" guid="6D53A71E5FBE162D" starttime="1568" track name="Root Out" artist="Gëinst" guid="580F1F54EDD70D89" starttime="1975" track name="Nighthawk (Dosem Remix)" artist="Mat.Joe" guid="457D60C45D8ED2E0" starttime="2373" track name="Revolution (feat. Guordan Banks)" artist="EC Twins" guid="37249CA507324831" starttime="2690" track name="Bandana (Extended Mix)" artist="Olly James & Kevu" guid="54A9731098ADD84E" starttime="2872" Some tracks like Nighthawk may have been discovered on Traxsource

Fuel

Date 2017-06-05 16:20:40

Since the <u>music</u> business doesn't pay much or anything especially when you start out... Here are a few suggestions for an affordable way to survive. Special thanks to the state of <u>Illinois</u> and <u>Nebraska</u> and (*update*) <u>Colorado</u> for support (food stamps). As a vegan the regular food donations and kitchens can't help much with this area. Until they for some reason unexpectedly stopped them conveniently around lent and the middle of Ramadan, they helped me stay a strict Vegan. Then Jesus and the word had to pull me through with fasting most of the day until I could cook cheap (see below) and work on no sustenance until pay-day. I have been using this reliable little <u>cooker</u> for everything (including bread and cookies hand kneaded in the park). It is available from <u>Bed Bath & Beyond</u>. The only catch is you need an outlet to plug it into and the suspicions it gives to the neighbors. See Eric Theiss's <u>twitter</u> for other product links, ideas and updates. When you can only afford rice or a big thing of cornmeal but might be able to squeeze something out of a lender, try <u>***Mad Hatter Foods' Hatter Hat-Trick</u> and it might just get you through the next week. Ever since their FDA approval it has never tasted better. These are not endorsements; these are actually secrets. ***Strictness in production not confirmed.

Artist Social Quick Links II

Date 2017-06-08 01:53:29

Quick Links for key mixers continued... Plus the new tradition of the +2. Jillian Rose Banks

Instagram Official Website Soundcloud Armin van Buuren Instagram Soundcloud Official Site
Boyz Noize Instagram Soundcloud Official Site Warning: Currently a video start David Gravell
Instagram Soundcloud Official Site Duke Dumont Instagram Soundcloud Official Site Krewella
Instagram Soundcloud Krewella Store Kaskade Instagram Soundcloud Official Site Teddy
Killerz Instagram Soundcloud PromoDJ Diplo Instagram Soundcloud Official Site Max Vangeli
Instagram Soundcloud Official Site Oliver Heldens Instagram Soundcloud Official Site Martin
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Links I Most listened to podcasts with quick links after CKWAL MIX 2017009

CKWAL MIX 2017011 Encore Remade

Date 2017-06-10 14:31:12

Friday 9th June 2017, 23:31 51:13 Vibration - Sophia Black 74.0 Sway (ft. Nevve) - Syn Cole 72.5 2U (feat. Justin Beiber) - David Guetta 72.5 Stay Awake (YehMe2 Remix) - Anna Lunoe & Sleepy Tom 70.0 Beautiful Times (feat. Lindsey Stirling) - Owl City 68.0 Change Your Mind (Paxam Singles Series, Vol. 1) - Ryan Adams 79.2 Plot Twist - Sigrid 88.0 Prom Night (Lindsay Lowend Remix) - Anamanaguchi 90.0 Digital Lion - James Blake 90.0 Dissolve Me - atl-J 108.0 Skin of the Night - M83 120.0 Run Things - BURNS 126.0 Another Life (feat. Delaney Jane) [Extended Mix] - StadiumX, Baha & Markquis 127.0 Parallel Lines (feat. CATZE) - Jewelz & Sparks 118.0 Firestone (feat. Conrad Sewell) - Kygo 114.0 (Original cover artwork unavailable).

Date 2017-06-10 15:59:23

CKWAL MIX UNPUBLISHED #02 Thursday 27th october 2016, 2227 60:23 THE ORIGINAL Pacific Garden Mission (PGM) MIX Starboy - The Weeknd Gemini Feed - BANKS Taped Up Heart (feat. Clara Mae) - KREAM Static - Cazzette With You (feat. Bex) - Jon Johnson Make Up Your Mind - Martin Garrix & Florian Picasso Mirage (feat. Susana) [Martijn ten Velden Remix] - Armin van Buuren Shy (feat. Brayton Bowman) [Roisto Remix] - The Magician 4000Hz (Dutty Dove Club Mix) - Jaded Korolev - Rimsky Crank - Jewelz & Sparks (Original mix unpurchasable on iTunes) Revolution - Rivero Hype (Flosstradamus Remix) - Dizzee Rascal & Calvin Harris Vampires - Ryan Adams See - Tycho

Date 2017-06-18 18:13:43

I am posting this unpublished mix early to help honor Fathers' Day. To my father and parents' fathers (some not here to share this with us in person). In other news... the Ckwal LP has received a final master for iTunes by Darkart Mastering. However, Ckwal is moving this week, so it will be some time before I can publish CKWAL on the store. Tuesday 3rd January 2017, 1120 58:02 document vendor="Native Instruments" type="tracklist" tracklist track name="Revolution (Extended Mix)" artist="Rivero" guid="281EAC0405BA8F06" starttime="1" track name="Pilot (Mix Cut)" artist="Julian Jordan" guid="3DD918643C5E6D03" starttime="245" Only on Amazon with album track name="Adrenaline" artist="Zedd & Grey" guid="274CF657C1AE34F8" starttime="399" track name="My Way (Tiësto Remix)" artist="Calvin Harris" guid="0B762122A23E9D78" starttime="558" track name="Shy (feat. Brayton Bowman) [CID Remix]" artist="The Magician" guid="281EAC0405BA8FC1" starttime="750" track name="Bailar (feat. Pitbull & Elvis Crespo)" artist="Deorro" guid="1EDDEF55BB4F0D43" starttime="948"track name="Make It Happen (feat. Lawson) [David Gravell Remix]" artist="Gareth Emery" guid="6AA96282B41A5A5C" starttime="1096" track name="Anthem" artist="Sluggers" guid="0BB4A1A865D9A397" starttime="1341" track name="Shaker" artist="Ben Remember" guid="7815E3EADD084D9C" starttime="1557" Traxsource Link track name="La disquette" artist="Lumoon & Rob!n" guid="615EE2EAD0F29560" starttime="1992" track name="Get Sick" artist="CamelPhat" guid="7D7B11317EBCF41B" starttime="2225" This version is no longer on iTunes, but Beatport track name="Nighthawk (Dosem Remix)" artist="Mat.Joe" guid="457D60C45D8ED2E0" starttime="2440" Traxsource Link track name="Cruiser (feat. Alex Sonata) [Bonus Track]" artist="Gareth Emery" guid="281EAC0405BA8F04" starttime="2701" track name="Self Sufficient" artist="Gëinst" guid="580F1F54EDD70D88" starttime="2830" Traxsource Link track name="Straightjacket" artist="Quinn XCII" guid="7192F9A55F9D025D" starttime="3272" /tracklist /document

Links

Date 2017-06-13 17:29:20

When you click on one of these iTunes links look for the track highlighted in blue for the one I am linking to. The one with the star next to it is one Apple suggests for whatever reason. I compiled many links for some of the key posts below on PromoDJ for some super-quick reference. I think we are moving the base of our operation before the end of the month, but more regular updates are of course. Are you here yet?

Next MixLists

Date 2017-06-12 17:08:33

The next two of the Unpublished Mixes are scheduled as follows. CKWAL MIX UNP03 June 20th (Midnight of the 19th CST or 19:00 UTC) CKWAL MIX UNP04 July 4th (Midnight of the 3rd CST or 19:00 UTC) CKWAL MIX 2017012 Not yet attempted. Current Mood

Update

Date 2017-06-24 22:47:18

Dear Online readers, The first CKWAL MIX 2017012 Candidate is finished. It was a tough blend of styles and I can't wait to share it with you. It will probably the twelfth Official mix of the year. I don't really want to move on from 011! One because I'm worried about being able to get more music and also because I relieved to be where it finally took me. To top that off, I was barely able to stay Vegan. Tougher than you would think. Anyways, it will be a year near the end of the summer and that is something I thought I'd never say in my life and definitely not for that long. When the budget gets tough and your trying to buy tunes for two or more mixes a month and juggle a really strict diet of course there is help out there, but not if you are really picky. I will also be sorting through these Unpublished Mixes and trying to get this album master out before the end of the year. The one I have up is good, but the newest one was worth the wait for this kind of music. Having fun out in the sun.

CKWAL MIX 2017012 Alternate Version

Date 2017-06-29 01:11:21

Alright, cross your fingers and heart. iPad is crashing and I'm running out of music etc. but never mind that. Here is the latest 012 AV. No more until the 4th of July. Next to the artist is their instagram instead of purchase link as most are on the other two posts. Love, Ckwal Forget - Marina and The Diamonds IN Sudden jump to... Between II Worlds - Nero IN Lords (feat. UFO!) - Bro Safari INBRO INUFO INUFOONSOUNDCLOUD Sound Off - Moska IN Halfway to the Moon - Phish IN Devotion to a Dream - Phish INTREY Happy - Marina and The Diamonds Lampshades On Fire - Modest Mouse IN Cry Wolf - a-ha Wolf Bite - Owl City IN Congratulations (feat. Quavo) - Post Malone IN Rollin (feat. Future & Khalid) - Calvin Harris (EXPLICIT) Fast Version @110BPM INCALVIN INFUTURE INKHALID Wasted - Nero INALANA Manhattan Skyline - a-ha This Isn't the End - Owl City Never Say Goodbye (feat. Bright Lights) - Hardwell & Dyro INHARDWELL INDYRO INBRIGHTLIGHTS Wingsuit - Phish INMIKEGORDON IN Touch It - Ariana Grande INAG Ready - Joey Bada\$\$ IN Sing Me to Sleep (Instrumental) - Alan Walker IN I Don't Want You to Forget - Jars of Clay IN What If You Were Wrong (Paxam Singles Series, Vol. 1) - Ryan Adams IN Why Did They Leave You Alone (Paxam Singles Series, Vol. 1) - Ryan Adams Changing - John Mayer IN

CKWAL MIX 2017012

Date 2017-06-28 17:47:49

Hmm. Made another attempt last night and spent about 12 hours in a spiritual war after a decent day. It's got some transitions to die for, but it's a little too much for a list. So far it's been like days of nightmares alternated by dream days. I am calling this a Good Samaritan mix dedicated to Catholicism, my guiding denomination since about late September/October 2016. Although I'm not moving per say, seems like some have requested this asap. On another note: I donated blood for the first time this year and found out where it went finally and I'd have to recommend doing it when you can, unless you have to do some real heavy manual labor for a few days after. Friday 23rd June 2017, 21:51 1:13:18 Polaris - deadmau5 The Sign - Ace of Base Ready - Joey Bada\$\$ (EXPLICIT) Sing Me to Sleep (Instrumental) - Alan Walker Russian Farmer Song -Keane Let Me Help You (Instrumental) - 12th Planet Dark Skies - Nero Manhattan Skyline - aha This single from EP version no longer available on iTunes What If You Were Wrong (Paxam Singles Series, Vol. 1) - Ryan Adams Touch It - Ariana Grande Lords (feat. UFO!) - Bro Safari Rollin (feat. Future & Khalid) - Calvin Harris (EXPLICIT) Wicked Campaign - Modest Mouse Crossing Borders (Mathias Kaden's Another Side Remix)[feat. Fritz Kalkbrenner] - Booka Shade 4000Hz (Gully Goose Club Mix) - Jaded Can You Dig It (Matteo DiMarr Remix) - CamelPhat Congratulations (feat. Quavo) - Post Malone (CLEAN VERSION) Changing - John Mayer

Date 2017-06-27 17:27:03

So far I've made two longer mixes. They are difficult to listen to in one sitting. Both are similar in many of the tracks old and new (like the next top model), but as they are more difficult to make successfully without flaw it is going straight to UNP04. A candidate for #12 ends with 'Changing' by John Mayer and as we are still on break, keeping the 11's as the background/focus; Ckwal stays there. This mix (UNP04), I hit sync a couple times and it matched up to the high hat. This flaw and a controversial interruption of a slow version of 'Rollin' early with 'Build the Cites'. This could be a cool technique, but it isn't perfected yet, so this amazing nearly 1.5 hour mix is not able to be #12. So, here is the new UNP. The previously scheduled UNP04 is actually main mix worthy because it doesn't have any mistakes like this, but it is staying scheduled at the stroke of midnight on July 4th, 2017 (Independence Day in the U.S.). Obviously, it will be called UNP05, because it was a candidate earlier in the year that was never published or mainstreamed. By the way, we just passed one week in and around our new base after our 'Firestone' (which I think is a mistake if you listen closely). Heading Westward... Sunday 25th June 2017, 21:26 1:25:52 Team - Local H Two Minds - Nero Forget - Marina and The Diamonds 2Night - Eric Prydz blend mash to... Can You Dig It (Matteo DiMarr Remix) - CamelPhat We Come 1 2.0 (Armin Van Buuren Remix) - Faithless Unstoppable (Extended Mix) - Afrojack Next Level (Nicky Romero Edit) - John Christian Worst Behavior - Drake (CLEAN VERSION) The Line -Phish Strangers to Ourselves - Modest Mouse Touch It - Ariana Grande Ready - Joey Bada\$\$ (EXPLICIT) blended loop mash using... Sing Me to Sleep (Instrumental) - Alan Walker I Don't Want You to Forget - Jars of Clay What If you Were Wrong (Paxam Singles Series, Vol. 1) -Ryan Adams Why Did They Leave You Alone (Paxam Singles Series, Vol. 1) - Ryan Adams Summer Sixteen - Drake (CLEAN VERSION) Rollin (feat. Future & Khalid) - Calvin Harris (SAYS EXPLICIT ONLY) (at 71 BPM and cut over/looped with an interruption by...) Build the Cities (Grabbitz Remix) - Karma Fields What Does Love Mean - Nero Russian Farmer Song -Keane Coast To Coast (Early Version) - Elliott Smith

Date 2017-07-03 19:00:36

This MixList is actually flawless, it just used many tracks as another Upper Candidate that had the right energy for that time. One song (not from the lyrics) I actually followed. That was the tune that brought me to MixLists when I discontinued streaming audio. This was immediately after my talks with Sony Russia resulting from asking permission to use a tune from Sony América Latina. So, what I'm doing now is kosherly and PC legal. Almost everything posted is ready to buy and mix in the club. Also, they have been tested to work with each other. Possibly not the easiest transitions always, so I recommend practicing the end to the beginnings minimally or maximally to keep the track fresh for you. Thursday 19th January 2017, 00:35 63:45 document vendor="Native Instruments" type="tracklist" track name="Tinker Tailor Soldier Sailor Rich Man Poor Man Beggar Man Thief" artist="Radiohead" guid="281EAC0405BA8F52" starttime="2" track name="Hide It All (Instrumental)" artist="12th Planet"guid="08B4A6AB1635A29C" starttime="314" track name="Yours" artist="Ella Henderson" guid="138A90AFDEEA49A1" starttime="523" track name="Makin' Me Better (Cryosis Dub Mix)" artist="Tortured Soul" guid="3362DFE2E812EBA9" starttime="683" track name="Atlas (Extended Mix)" artist="Julian Calor & Manse" guid="2D93911A63EE10CB" starttime="897" track name="Soug" artist="Thomas Gold & Uberdrop" guid="281EAC0405BA8DE0" starttime="1091" track name="The Zound (Energy Flash)" artist="MOGUAI, Joey Beltram & Cobra Effect" guid="281EAC0405BA8D8B" starttime="1356" track name="Premium" artist="Hollen"guid="5B2DFA7D9961C054" starttime="1566" track name="Need You" artist="Luttrell" guid="225D40A105455CD9" starttime="1860" track name="In White Rooms (Jonas Rathsman Reprise)" artist="Booka Shade" guid="44ED7BE5CCFD50D5" starttime="1984" track name="เจ็บนิด..นิด" artist="Ya Ya Ying"guid="6515DCF11087E6D3" starttime="2193" track name="One Step" artist="Adrian Hour" guid="2AD8F4F042F8EC1B" starttime="2330" track name="Yogini Anthem" artist="Joseph Grieger" guid="6C1B3B0BA5571126" starttime="2745" track name="Bandana (Extended Mix)" artist="Olly James & Kevu" guid="54A9731098ADD84E" starttime="2977"Traxsource Link track name="Heart Starts to Beat" artist="BlasterJaxx & Marnik" guid="44DD77BB58367752" starttime="3148" <u>Traxsource Link</u> track name="Self Sufficient" artist="Gëinst" guid="580F1F54EDD70D88" starttime="3313" Traxsource Link

Date 2017-07-06 18:00:46

Trying to set a record of mixes this year? This one is pretty much like UNP05 Tuesday 10th January 2017, 2029 59:22 document vendor="Native Instruments" type="tracklist" tracklist track name="Drifting Away (feat. Ofelia K)" artist="Felix Cartal" guid="596D5C90FAF5E1EF" starttime="8" track name="Los Dos" artist="Coqui Selection" guid="6C19DFA65087385D" starttime="218" traxsource link track name="One (Congorock Remix)" artist="Swedish House Mafia" guid="281EAC0405BA8A0A" starttime="582" track name="Mad Love" artist="Ferreck Dawn" guid="1F3507886D9198E8" starttime="922" track name="Tribeca" artist="René Amesz & Mendo" guid="72E3D8AF4FF0EBB9" starttime="1132" track name="Praise" artist="Corduroy Mavericks" guid="172F0C8FCF4E50F9" starttime="1495" traxsource link track name="It's Rainin" artist="God's Property" guid="1185FAF1549457D5" starttime="1816" track name="All My Love (feat. TAI) [TCTS Remix]" artist="Watermät & Becky Hill" guid="7D7B11317EBCF41C" starttime="2036" NO LONGER ON iTunes BEATPORT link track name="Sordid Affair (Maceo Plex Remix)" artist="Röyksopp" guid="281EAC0405BA8D68" starttime="2232" track name="Dile Que Tu Me Quieres" artist="Ozuna" guid="1651AF61716261F3" starttime="2704" track name="Just Like Us" artist="Rae Sremmurd" guid="0565979870946980" starttime="2907" (CLEAN VERSION) track name="Gully Squad (feat. Virtual Riot & Twine)" artist="12th Planet" guid="25C8776739D5F039" starttime="3143" track name="La La Land (feat. Delaney Jane)" artist="DVBBS & Shaun Frank" guid="281EAC0405BA8F13" starttime="3359"

FUEL II

Date 2017-07-05 17:36:47

Thanks to <u>Colorado</u> for temporary food assistance and Vegan Restaurant family which includes <u>WaterCourse Foods</u> - see them on <u>Instagram</u> along with <u>City</u>, <u>O' City</u> (see them on <u>Instagram</u>) Our customary <u>surprise site</u> association. (Warning: animated video on first page for our sensitive and exclusively music listeners, <u>this link</u> goes to the fan club page). I'm not cooking in the park anymore due to several reasons, but if you add a ton of cinnamon to a bread or cookie when trying to get rid of your supplies, it'll pay off in your stomach. Drop your gear anywhere and cook it.

Hot & SPicY DJ Quicklinks III +5!

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CKWAL MIX 2017013

Date 2017-07-18 20:06:55

Snuck a couple in last night/this morning. One I was about to publish, but a sync beat that was an accident ruined the whole thing. If my iPad causes the glitch I don't disqualify it right away, but if you hack into my archive and listen to the mix - you might say something isn't perfect. Trying for that summertime sadness vibe without losing the energy. So, there are big tempo changes and some songs I practiced as surprising half mash-ups, two big ones made it here - 'Bombay' with 'SuperLove' and 'Colors in Your Eyes' with 'Bounce Back'. They pay remembrance to Miss Monique's surprise play of a hard to find version of Bank's 'Waiting Game'. My only mistake is getting to risky at end in the extended hour and 12 min. mix which tries to mix 'Insect' by Curbi to 'Bubblegum' by Jordi Rivera & Sonny Bass . I love 'Bubblegum' as an ending track and I bet you hear it as a finale by someone this summer. Anyways, I am just ending it where I broke space for a first ending at 'Animal Ambition'. Monday 17th July 2017, 22:00 Shortened from 1:12:15 Plot Twist (Disciples Remix) - Sigrid (Now available here) Mad Love - Ferreck Dawn Black Horizon - Monococ Discover on Traxsource buy here Bombay - Miss Monique Halfmash to... SuperLove - Charli XCX SHC - Foster the People Run - offaiah Tinhauser - MOGUAI Trust (Plastic Plates Remix) - What So Not & Burns Guys My Age (Stripped) - Hey Violet (SAYS EXPLICIT, BUT THERE ARE NO EXPLICIT WORDS)Moneda (feat. Gerardo Ortíz) - Prince Royce Colors in Your Eyes - Miss Monique End portion blend to... Bounce Back - Big Sean (CLEAN VERSION) JUMP (feat. Nevve) - Droeloe (EXPLICIT)Colorfull Forest - Alidiana Silverkin From Jungle Essence 11th Potion originally found on Traxsource Animal Ambition -50 Cent (EXPLICIT VERSION) This mix is dedicated to WaterCourse Foods in Denver, eBay and Guitar Center's Shure and Westone's earphones. Working for and with them (along with my Parents and Grandparents for an early birthday present). I was able to stay Vegan at a crucial time which came down to the 11th hour three specific times. Make it or break it has been defined to the penny and second too many times to count in the past year. It will be one year some time during the end of the summer. Every person that becomes Vegan saves between 200-300 animals in a year. See the Fuel II post for other links. Also, I was able to make this mix.

Date 2017-07-06 22:40:30

Update 7/8/17: Added some social links after iTunes links for some of the involved artists of tracks below. IN = Instagram, SC = Soundcloud, TWT = Twitter More will be added at a later date. ----- I think this is the last one of the past three perfect unpublished ones. Wish you could hear some of these, but I don't really want to perform them and I usually don't ever do the same mix twice - so if you want it then try to mix them together. Friday 13th January 2017, 1930 63:29 document vendor="Native Instruments" type="tracklist" tracklist track name="Open My Eyes feat. Jonathan Mendelsohn (Tom Swoon Extended Edit)" artist="Avedon, Jonathan Mendelsohn, Ale Q" guid="126A3D5A0BB7B21F" starttime="3" INJON SCJON TWTAVEDON SCAVEDON INALEQ SCALEQ track name="Not Gonna Get Us" artist="t.A.T.u." guid="281EAC0405BA8764" starttime="240" INTATU SCTATU INJULIA INLENA track name="Loca People (Original Mix)" artist="Sak Noel" guid="281EAC0405BA880F" starttime="490" (EXPLICIT, however in this mix I took a few WTF's out) INSAK SCSAK TWTESTHERA SCESTHERA track name="Pump Up the Jam" artist="Technotronic" guid="281EAC0405BA8806" starttime="702" track name="No Guns Allowed (feat. Cori B & Drake)" artist="Snoop Lion" guid="281EAC0405BA894B" starttime="966"INSNOOPLION TWTCORIB INDRAKE TWTDRAKE track name="Killer feat. Seal (MOTi Remix)" artist="Adamski, Seal, Patrolla" guid="6DD17D31EDF9C226" starttime="1159" Available on Beatport INSEAL SCMOTI INMOTI SCADAMSKI TWTADAMSKI track name="Tears (Latmun Remix)" artist="Prok & Fitch" guid="67710973246C5656" starttime="1374" INP&FSCP&F track name="Hide It All (Instrumental)" artist="12th Planet" guid="08B4A6AB1635A29C" starttime="1741" SC12th IN12th track name="Soundwave (Audiotricz Remix)" artist="R3hab & Trevor Guthrie" guid="281EAC0405BA8D6F" starttime="1935" INR3HAB SCR3HAB SCAudiotriczINAudiotricz INTREVOR SCTREVOR track name="Help Me Lose My Mind (feat. London Grammar)" artist="Disclosure" guid="281EAC0405BA8AD1" starttime="2187" SCLONDON INLONDON SCDISCLOSUREINDISCLOSURE track name="Digital Life" artist="Empire of the Sun" guid="6DC734F727EF3394" starttime="2417" INEMPIRE SCEMPIRE track name="Desert Island Disk" artist="Radiohead" guid="281EAC0405BA8F32" starttime="2638" track name="Losing You" artist="Solange" guid="281EAC0405BA88A3" starttime="2863" IN track name="We Don't Stop (BURNS Remix)" artist="Kaskade" guid="4E34EDD60829299E" starttime="3120" INKASKADESCKASKADE INBURNS SCBURNS TWTBURNS track name="Self Sufficient" artist="Geinst" guid="580F1F54EDD70D88" starttime="3289" **SCGEINST**

Now listening to...

Date 2017-07-18 18:10:19

Bought this as a gift for someone else and wasn't able to order myself a copy until now. I went to school with part of this band and toured with Jay, but now I am like a fan. Their music has grown considerably from talented beginnings. It's different from a lot of these MixList vibes, but not far off from places I have been before. I recommend the ones you can find on these sites because most products you see on Moja Music may disappear without notice. See their links below.

Instagram Pun Picks Instagram Moja Music Moja Music Main Site Get 'The Hollow' CD Get 'Chioggia Beat' CD Twitter for Devonne Harris Twitter for Joe Lawlor Instagram and Official Site for Tupac Mantilla Blog of Jay's interviews and musical selections See album credits for other musicians involved.

Song progression from last post

Date 2017-07-15 22:41:10

Update Correction on order of Bombay and Marrakesh 7.17.19 * I didn't get it perfect by any means, but it works. I have attempted some new mixes with these tracks and won't redo this one, just wanted to try it like a pro and realized that although it is a shame to break some of them up, I will never be able to get it quite the same with the same spirit infused. Much like attempting to redo one of my own mixes if I make some small mistake that makes it unpublishable. From #69 1-6 and 9-14 Since it's my birth month and I'm sign 69 I let myself go for it. Franc Moody - Got The Light [JUICEBOX] Mawi - CO2 [DOORN (SPINNIN')] PARX - Waiting On You [POTION] Zac Samuel - Losing You [PMR] Offaiah - Run [VIRGIN EMI (UNIVERSAL)] MOGUAI - Tinhauser [SPINNIN' DEEP] *Miss Monique - Bombay (Sebastian Weikum Remix) *Nino Garcia - Marrakesh MOGUAI - Tinhauser [SPINNIN' DEEP] Offaiah - Run [VIRGIN EMI (UNIVERSAL)] Zac Samuel - Losing You [PMR] PARX - Waiting On You [POTION] Mawi - CO2 [DOORN (SPINNIN')] Franc Moody - Got The Light [JUICEBOX] Drake - Redemption

Trying something new

Date 2017-07-12 20:02:20

I haven't heard back from anyone that has actually tried to do any of these mixes. So, I decided to try one of my favorite progression of songs from Magic Tape #69. Well, it's the first six songs, then I added a couple in the middle. After that went backwards on the six songs in the same order and ended it with a Drake song from my favorite album of the year so far (not the newest one haven't heard that yet.) It sounds good, but not sure if it's a MixList or what. It was a different experience as I don't usually do mixes like that and glad I now have all those tracks that many were unavailable for some time. That's my update for today.

Update

Date 2017-07-17 23:30:50

Made some great attempts and I thought at least one made it to the #13, but they all had at least one mistake that put it in the UNP category (not the 3 of the perfect exceptions). I bought a few new tracks and will have to try again. I bought the new Calvin Harris album and was really disappointed with how it left me, so I have more than a few regrets with how things are going this week. I'll try to have a '13' by my birthday, but I'm going to my first concert in a long time this week (hint: style goes under the name of música tropical). Perhaps I should go to a movie instead.

11th Potion Notes

Date 2017-07-29 16:53:44

Below I am sharing some notes on this Jungle Essence Album. I was choosing by title and getting lucky, but decided to take descriptive notes as it is easy to get lost in here. Unedited notes by track name. See the mixes by track names used for album purchase link. If you like this one there are others grouped under Armoracya Recordings. I discovered this label of enchanting music on Traxsource. Tibet - Rainforest, congas, shuffle after intro goes forward upward bass and singing exotic birds Marrakesh - Triangle, congas and 4 on floor start to ahhs oohs and low vibey sounds with lots of space trading back to highs and conga solo riffs Rwanda - Drone loop and refresh vamp minimal Lynx - old school Will Smith rap-like intro beat to elm street riff then wah with fem vocs sparingly at first then adds more near words, sounds like an error almost in beat. Its a stumbley double bass hit. Touch of congas or hand drums Colorfull Forest - On Mix 2017013. Long solid beat intro to unique bass flow rhymic pulse. Trumpet melody exchanges to water light birds and key chord then adds back fading sounds to shore Astriaka - Taut medium tone drum, 4 floor bass beat with a pulse machine type repeat to bass vamp and a 007 string sound. Continues to verse a marimba line then weaves these ideas into a conga highlight and so on back through Fjords - Higher 4 beat with video game repeat and verby tube melody. Bass escalates in busy-ness mostly three notes up to octave or near on 1,3,4. Melody turns to sparse commentary like in a cave. Hangkuk - On Mix 2017013 Encore. Some high chanting voice and steady groove throughout with vehicle going by sometimes. There is a synth-like ceremony dance group that buzzes into it. The signature-sound congas are in here most of it with that long decay verb.

2016-2019 Mix & Track Link Quick Find

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Year Bridge mixes, notes and candidate links Ckwal Year Bridge Track and Bridge Mix List Notes Ckwal Year Bridge (Bridge 2) 2018-2019 Notes for the Countdown Mix and Bridge 1 Ckwal Bridge 1 (First success/Ckwal New Year) Bridge Candidates Countdown Mix (Countdown to the Bridge) The Countdown is below in the 2018 mix section Bridge 1 - Without Me (Illenium Remix) to Into The Sunset (Acoustic Version) Bridge 2 - Bye Bye to Get Up and Fight 2018 additional Just Added Continued (Continuously updated until it's too cluttered) Early September Listening Extra! 2018 Posted or published (in order of most recently released; quicklinks in numerical order like the 'Mix in the Making' Series) CKWAL Mix/MixList SE=special edition ET=extra tracks E=encore FE=festival exclusive UV=unpublished version SALT=short alternate I=Part One II=Part Two III=Part Three or the continuation of a series with a shorter encore SC=Series Conclusion SEAV=Special Edition Alternate Version B=Bridge CYB=Countdown to the Year Bridge OE=Optional Ending 18-1, 18-1SE, 18-2, 18-3, 18-3FE 18-3UV 18-4, 18-4 S-alt, 2018-4 SC (Fathers' Day), 2018-5, 2018-5 SE, 2018-5 SEAV, 2018-5 E 2018-5 E 2018-6 Ver.1 2018-6 Versions 2 & 3 2018-7 2018B Countdown to the Year Bridge CYB/OE - Ease My Mind to Control Room / to Vuelve 2018B -More Than Anything to All My Hope 18-7 - All They Wanna Be (Madison Mars Future Mix) to I Could Use a Love Song 18-6 Ver.3 - Like Spinning Plates to Red Dawn 18-6 Ver.2 - Lady Powers (TOKiMONSTA Remix) to Do It Again (Live) 18-6 Ver.1 - Do It Again (Live) to Remember 18-5 E - Childs Play to 404 18-5 E - Fortune to Gray 18-5 SEAV - Whom Shall I Fear [God of the Angel Armies] to Hourglass 18-5 SE - Get to You to Get to You 18-5 - Over You to Belly Full 18-4SC - Epica to Don't Get Better Than That 18-4SALT - Send My Love (To Your New Lover) to Send My Love (To Your New Lover) 18-4 - Orvnge to Mirrors 18-3UV - If Only to Hypnotize 18-3FE - Really Love to Wicked Campaign 18-3 - Legends to Lo Harás Otra Vez (Do It Again) 18-2 - Throaty to Over You 18-1SE - Walking By to Charge Me Up 18-1 - I Don't Wanna Live Forever to Prohibida 2018 Mix in the Making #1 #2 #3 #3E #4 Series #5 #5E #6 #6ET #7 #7E #8I #8ET #8III #9 Final (#9E) 2017-2018 Bridge Mix Links Decision, Update #2, Bridge Mix Update with social links, Candidate #3, Candidate #2, Candidate #1, New Year's Mix Talk 2017 Posted or published (in order of most recently released) E=encore, UNP=unpublished, AV=alternate version, Eim=encore (ipad malfunction), CK=Ckwal LP (1st Release), SKM=SKM Mix Episode, SPMAGIC=song progression (The Magician inspired or based), DM=Dedicated Mix, 17=2017, HE=Halloween Edit, NBHMM=Night Before Halloween Mini-Mix, FGRM=Five Gold Rings Mix, L=Leftovers Mix (Christmas) ~all zeroes for future expansion removed~ L, FGRM, UNP10, 1720, 1719E, UNP9, 1719, NBHMM, 1718, DM5, 12AVIIHE, 12AVHE, 1717, 1716IV, 1716III, 1716II, 1716, 1715E, DM4, SKM2, 1715, DM3, DM2, UNP08, 1714II, 1714, SKM1, DM1, 1713E, 1713, SPMAGIC, UNP7, UNP6, UNP5, 1712AV, 1712, UNP4, UNP3, UNP2, 1711ER, UNP1, 1711Eim, 1711, 1710E, 1710, 179, 178, 177, 176, 175, CK174, CK173, 172, 171 L - Another's Arms (Live) - White Christmas FGRM - Bones of Man (Gareth Emery Remix) - Ink (Live At Le Casino De Paris) UNP10 (Third Day of Christmas) - Silence (Naderi Remix) - Elements 1720 -Ouija Board to Nintendo Blood 1719E - Disintegration to Under the Knife UNP9 - Pray That Our Love See the Dawn to Wild Wild West (No Intro) 1719 - Don't Kill My Vibe (Gryffin Remix) to Not That Brave NBHMM - Scream to Undertaker 1718 - Bad Mood X Amazon to Diva X 1000 Kisses DM5 - Kuaga to Three More Days 12AVIIHE - Rollin to Sentient 12AVHE

- Forget to Shrine 1717 - Nightcall to Don't Ask Why [Vanilla Ace & Barber Remix] 1716IV -Amalae to Persistence 1716III - High Voltage to Never Stop 1716II - Ignorant to Stickshifts and Safetybelts 1716 - Anywhere to Really Love 1715E - Got the Love to All I Ever Wanted DM4 -Entrada to Without Gravity/Our Love SKM2 - Satellite to Spectrum 1715 - Mirrors to Piece of Me DM3 - Me Minus You to Freeze Time DM2 - Let Me Love You to Way Back Home UNP08 - Something Real to Surface 1714II - Bad Decisions to Snow Outside 1714 - Rooftop to Take On Me SKM1 - Bullets to Do Unto Others DM1 - Lake Monsters to We Came to Bang 1713E - Flip On You to Radio 1713 - Plot Twist (Disciples Remix) to Animal Ambition SPMAGIC - Got The Light to Redemption UNP7 - Open My Eyes to Self Sufficient UNP6 - Drifting Away to La La Land UNP5 - Tinker Tailor to Self Sufficient 1712AV - Forget to Changing 1712 - Polaris to Changing UNP4 - Team to Coast to Coast UNP3 - Revolution to Straightjacket UNP2 - Starboy to See 1711ER - Vibration to Firestone UNP1 - 10 Bands to Bandanda 1711Eim - Skin of the Night to Firestone 1711 - Am I Wry? No to Vibration 1710E - In My Blood to Back In Time 1710 - In Da Club to No Es Illegal 179 - Often to U Got 2 Know 178I - Anymore to Used To 178II - Bobo to Don't Blame Luv 178III - There's No Need to Orion 177I - Choose Me II to Whistle 177II - Secret Stash to Pura 176 - Firebird to Riverside 175 - Energy to Moving On and Getting Over 174 - CKWAL LP DISC 2 173 - CKWAL LP DISC 1 172 - Set Me Free to My Way 171 - Century of the Mouse to Mantra (Axwell Cut) 2016 Published (in order of most recently released) 16=2016 1621, 1620, 1619, 1618, 1617, 1616, 1615, 1614, 1613, 1612, 1611, 1610-2, 1610-1, 169, 168, 167, SKM8, 166, 165, 164, 163-2, 163-1, 162, 161-2, 161-1 1621 -Olvídame y Pega la Vuelta to The Middle 1620 - Shine to Go (HI-LO Remix) 1619 - The Middle to No Longer Slaves (Radio Remix) 1618 - Another Life to Runnin' Just In Case 1617 - Wet to You're Not the One (Little Daylight Remix) 1616 - The Evolution of Scrap to Orca 1615 - The Funk Fury to Komorebi (David Gravell Extended Remix) 1614 - Malanti to Crash 1613 - Gossip to Hy что за дела 1612 - Sola to Structures (Radio Edit) 1611 - Nunca Me Olvides to Mad World 1610-2 - BOLA to To Life (Radio Edit) 1610-1 - Get Busy [Extended Mix] to Duele El Corazon 169 - Hoy Snoof Zha to Gloss 168 - Let Me Love You to Lost (Matt Karmil Remix) 167 - Smoke to Crocodile Tears SKM8 - Redline (Radio Edit) to Sputnik (Jay Fay Remix) 166 -Ten Feet Tall (David Guetta Remix) to Sleepless (Made in Norway Remix) 165 - Killasound to Mini Mix (Compiled From Viper Presents: The Sound of Drum & Bass 2016) 164 - Let The Groove (Original Mix) to Ride This Train [Icarus Basement Mix] 163-2 - Lifetime to Hypnotized 163-1 - Keep Your Lips Sealed to Mistrust (Original Mix) 162 - Alarm to Dangerous Love 161-2 - When It Feels This Good (Dub Mix) to We Are the Sun (SICK INDIVIDUALS Remix) 161-1 - Rave Century to Dance

CKWAL MIX 2017013 Encore

Date 2017-07-26 21:10:39

Tuesday 25th July 2017, 13:08 53:29 Flip On You (feat. ScHoolboy Q) - 50 Cent (EXPLICIT VERSION) Divide & Conquer (Noisa Remix) - What So Not Lone (feat. JOY.) [SLUMBERJACK Remix] - What So Not Alive (feat. Brave) [SINIQ Remix] - Infuze (says EXPLICIT) Let Me Help You (Instrumental) - 12th Planet (As pictured above as of this post. Picture from Spring Awakening 2013.) Hanguk - Maroshi Sumo (also from Jungle Essence 11th Potion) Mashes eventually for a while with... Classic (feat. Powers) - The Knocks originally found on this EP This artwork no longer available on iTunes. Buy it on Beatport Redemption - Drake // Get this CLEAN album here Co2 - Mawi Treble filter dissonant partial mash with Plot Twist (Disciples Remix) - Sigrid I call this the Afrojack Mash because I saw him do this on TV awhile ago at Ultra as if he made a mistake, but kept going with it giving everyone a tooth grit look. Paris - Friendly Fires (ALBUM LINK) Invisible (feat. Mari-Anna) - Eminence & Soulero Insect - Curbi (Slow it down to half of Bubblegum's BPM and gradually filter out the highs to an out-the-arena bass pound to get to...) Bubblegum - Jordi Rivera & Sonny Bass Radio - Smash Mouth

Dedicated Mix #1

Date 2017-07-31 20:19:14

Here is the post I was talking about in the 37 days of July. Well, it's August somewhere today. I hadn't checked on these trouble- makers until recently to figure out tracks to put in the mixes and I don't recommend getting hooked unless you want your life shaken up. They were great company in my CDL school which I may never use, but there were pictures of Virginia with a Peterbilt that put me over the edge around the same time as my road trip down to New Orleans and back to Chicagoland before the Gold Rush westward in search of a new home. See her online profile here. This isn't the freshest mix, but I brought in a few of my favorites and a few of the last ones I have left. I had to sell or donate all of my CDs for real cheap, so what gets listed next I have rebought or discovered for the first time. I could only afford one more Paradise, Sara, but it has just been released. Sunday July 30th 2017, 18:23 01:11:01 Lake Monsters - Vromm Miami 2 Ibiza - Swedish House Mafia & Tinie Tempah EXPLICITFigure 8 - Ellie Goulding Everything (VIP Remix) - R3hab & Skytech *Paradise - Tove Lo Nomad - Vromm Hyperpower! - Nine Inch Nails A Taste of Silver - Until The Ribbon Breaks Working for It - ZHU x Skrillex X THEY. EXPLICITGOD Given - NIN Shots Fired - Mightyfools & Mike Hawkins Rasputin -Hard Rock Sofa *Elsa's transition Bring Me Back (feat. Kreesha Turner) - Sultan & Shepard Saiko - Aero Chord Northern Lights - Thirty Seconds to Mars No Better - Lorde Fame II - Ibi *Paradise - MNEK There Is a Light That Never Goes Out - The Smiths Decks Dark - Radiohead We Came To Bang Feat. Luciana (Radio Edit) - 3LAU *I call this Elsa's transition because it sounds like dribbling a basketball or two at first, then they sync August Mix mentions/notes MAXIM COVER LIST Dedications: Isabeli Fontana, Brazil October 2015 Cover Slow Burn Alessandra Ambrosio, Brazil December 2015 Cover World's Sexiest Businesswoman Elsa Hosk, Sweden February 2016 Cover Basketball Pro Becomes Victoria's Secret Angel Sara Sampaio, **Portugal** May 2016 Cover *The Rise Of A Superstar* *See a late July post picture for a part of this mix's motivation with the same name Milena Gorum, America June 2016 Maxim.com Post "We Can't Get Enough Of Milena Gorum's Instagram Feed" Virginia Gardner, America March 2016 Article - 'Go Under the Hood With...'

SKM MIX EPISODE 1

Date 2017-08-03 16:19:25

The one that started it all. I published Episode 8 in 2016. This mix was originally around three parts of three mixes that were remixed together. This mix made in Erbil, Iraq in summer of 2013 around Ramadan. Published for a very short time and few have heard it. Most songs are highly altered or SKMinized with other tracks. Featured desktop image from 7.24.2013 with background from a rooftop in Erbil. Shortly after I would go to Thailand with a stayover in Qatar. BULLETS *(CLUB MIX) - Rebecca & Fiona mashed with* Gears III - SKMillion *Tiesto's Club Life 1 Version *(SKM Punch Up) ('been forever it seems' - clip I.D.) weave to Iced Out (Calvin Harris Remix) - BURNS weave to On the Dancefloor (feat. will.i.am and apl.de.ap) - David Guetta weave to Excuse Me - Boys Noize Fucking Die 2 (€€ Cooper Mix) -Skrillex weave to & w/ Professional Griefers (feat. Gerard Way) - Deadmau5 (SKM edit) ('once again' - *clip I.D.) *Deeper - Jack Beats vs. How Soon Is Now (feat. Julie McKnight) - David Guetta with Sebastian Ingrosso & Dirty South Channel 42 & Molly With That Lean - Deadmau5 & Wolfgang Gartner + Soulja Boy Molly: found on this Mixtape 'LOUD' from Datpiff.com Fall Into the Sky (feat. Ellie Goulding) - Zedd & Lucky Date 'follow me' - repeating clip I.D. Tonight (feat. Skylar Grey) - David Heartbreak Mi Viejo - Ratatat Here Comes the King (feat. Angela Hunt) - Snoop Lion Go Hard - Boys Noize What Is Happening? - Cornershop Ice Age - How to Destroy Angels American - Lana Del Rey Do Unto Others - Dub Easy Vs. I.C.E. BANDCAMP LINK Dub Easy on SC Fade out to faint clip of Love Light - Bob Marley & The Wailers Update: This mix is dedicated to Jeff D. After removing this from Soundcloud after several weeks between living in Iraq and Thailand, Jeff had the only other copy besides me and possibly a mastering studio in the U.K He suggested Ratatat to me and I bought a vinyl record later to give him the digital copy. He ended up not wanting it. Later, I had to give up all my records in Chicago around 2016 mostly to Reckless.

The thirty seven days of July

Date 2017-07-24 19:25:43

Tried to see Prince Royce on the 19th, but there were so many phones and he started with video in the back which as you know we only do music this year (or some claim to). However, I got see Luis Coronel. I'm in the middle of this sea of mostly ladies dressed up to woe these Latinos in the bright lights. Luis had a sore voice I think from so much perfume in the air, but this band was on point. The horns reminded me of DMB when they still had Leroy (if they had hung out playing in South America for a year). Royce is the next Latino Justin Beiber mixed with Ricky Martin unless he goes thug on us and although this was not the smallest ballroom in Denver, it was already getting tight to contain this kind of energy. In other updates, I am mixing a bunch of older tunes to make sure you know I don't limit the music in styles or decades. Also, to make sure I can do them together and because of budget. 7/26 *Addition: I have made a great mix which is again glitched out like another of my encores. I'll probably post it anyways, because it is a good nearly full encore to the 2017013. It's a pain, but if anyone is running into this problem on an old iPad, all you have to do it clear up space and get rid of all your mixes (delete them) and delete the app and reinstall the app.* 7.28 *Additional edit: I am planning a fresh mix for next month dedicated to my favorite Victoria's Secret and/or Maxim models from late 2015 early 2016. One of which may have inspired me to get a few extra letters on my driver's license.

Date

2017-08-11 18:43:30

A lot of this music can help you forget and move on. Before I forget though, let's remember some fallen heroes of mine that I may still be in denial about. Scott Weiland Chris Cornell Chester Bennington

CKWAL MIX 2017014 Part II

Date 2017-08-09 19:15:02

Tuesday 8th August 2017, 16:34 01:09:25 Bad Decisions - Frame FRAMEIN Am I Wrong -Nico & Vinz N&VIN Say It Right - Nelly Furtado NFIN Love Something - Adrian Hour AHIN Everything (Ken Groeneveld Remix) - R3hab & Skytech R3IN STIN KGIN Pumping It Up (Main Mix) - Risk Assessment RATRAXS Surface (feat. Nevve) - Pluto SCNEVVE SCPLUTO Hustler (feat. T.I.) - WatchtheDuck EXPLICIT T.I.IN WTDIN Mirrorball - Young the Giant YTGIN F Plex - Vromm SCVROMM Internacionales - Bomba Estéreo BOMBAIN Cold Heart -Dusky DUSKYIN Lost Art (feat. The Ready Set & Gabrielle Current) - Dastic TRSIN GCIN DASTICIN The Wolf (Light House Remix) - Savoy & Bright Lights SCLH SAVOYIN BLIN Vacaciones - Wisin WISININ Heatstroke (feat. Young Thug, Pharrell Williams & Ariana Grande) - Calvin Harris EXPLICIT YTIN PWIN AGIN CHIN Snow Outside - Dave Matthews Band DMBIN Some of these house tunes were discovered as part of compilations. The links next to those tracks will bring you there. Mark Knight's Toolroom Records. Some new techniques used in this mix. The speed change fake-out transition and the mid song speed change. Sometimes you have to make a major change to half or double the speed of the next song. If you haven't listened to the song much or change your mind you might do this by accident. I thought I scrapped this mix because I was putting it together with a bunch of people around watching movies or TV and wasn't into the feeling of the songs much. After the second listen, I posted the last mini-story and now walking around on the third listen (or second if you don't count the mix) and I have to share it immediately. Though I am out of new songs pretty much now. Instagram or Soundcloud artist links follow iTunes Store links (abbreviated).

CKWAL MIX 2017014

Date 2017-08-07 19:31:24

Dug up a few more; should have some newer tracks on 15 if they are available. Saturday 5th August 2017, 19:05 1:00:50 Rooftop - Dave Matthews Band Golden Hearts (feat. Alice Berg) [Dannic Edit] - BYNON & Domeno Paradise - MNEK Alone No More (Ferreck Dawn Remix) - Philip George & Anton Powers Faking It (feat. Kehlani & Lil Yachty) - Calvin Harris **EXPLICIT** Lake Arrowhead - Nora En Pure Spark - Until the Ribbon Breaks Hunger (Jaded Remix) - Sam Sure Double Trouble (feat. Total Science) - S.P.Y. City of Angels - Thirty Seconds to Mars The Mechanism - Disclosure & Friend Within Tokyo By Night (feat. Karin Park) [Axwell Remix] - Hook N Sling Boys and Girls (Live) - Blur Take On Me - a-ha This cover EP not available

CKWAL MIX UNP08

Date 2017-08-13 23:39:55

This is like an alternate version to Part II of Mix 2017014 with an extra new song cause Nevve is on the modern top versatile singers list I have to compile. It's tough to put yourself on that many tracks that all sound top notch, look good on the covers and release that often. We'll see if she can keep the record going. Reasons it is in the Unpublished (UNP) Series: There is one transition with that live turntable jam style like in SKM MIX 1, except, with one spot that is botched a couple beats. Also, because this was pretty much an exclusive dedication and this explicit 50 Cent track made it for a different crowd. The way surface ends it is a little creepy in this mix. However, There are a couple mashes and the like that umph them to newness, one that should be put as remixes on the iTunes store - like Frame with Cold Heart. It takes a lot of perfectly timed filtering and some real-life inspiration like Molly on that Lean with Deadmau5. I wasn't going to even put it up, but I've been displaced again and this one will set you straight if you are going through a similar change. Wednesday 9th August 2017, 22:36 48:02 Something Real (feat. Nevve) - Dubvision No Warning - Signal (long overlap) Chase the Paper (feat. Prodigy, Kidd Kidd & Styles P) - 50 Cent EXPLICIT Cold Heart - Dusky which mixmashes to & with Bad Decisions - Frame out to finish Cold Heart -increases speed back up to- Pumping It Up (Main Mix) - Risk Assessment Love Something - Adrian Hour (overlaps) Everything (Ken Groeneveld Remix) – R3hab & Skytech long overlap to about mid-chorus of Am I Wrong - Nico & Vinz (overlap) Say It Right - Nelly Furtado Moved On - Signal Ratchet Strap (UZ Remix) - 12th Planet & SPL Lost Art (feat. The Ready Set & Gabrielle Current) - Dastic Surface (feat. Nevve) - Pluto Other track links and some social links on this mix with similar tracks.

Dedicated Mix #2

Date 2017-08-16 16:14:34

I was missing this mix. The only playable version I have of this is locked on PromoDJ, so I redid 2016008. Example's track is from a different website and since I don't have a desktop computer anymore I cannot get it on this iPad. During this new mix, I left Lil Wayne's rap in and added some other ones as well as a few other changes. I'm putting it in the dedicated series reflecting on and around the time I was in East St. Louis/Granite City and attempting to drive for Prime. Nothing like the hot dustry streets around Chain of Rocks on the border of the river that seperates you from St. Louis. I also was off the highway / farm field Days Inn where I was rejected from Prime after nearly driving all the way back to central Missouri. Actually, I selected tracks for the next couple of mixes there and this one I published when I returned to Chicagoland. The mix is now updated to where I am now with new meaning about why that journey most likely never continues in the way it was going for me. However, it's dedicated to a local company with whom I experienced life's trials and another interview that revealed to me the stark reality of one's past choices. Tuesday 15th August 2017, 9:08 53:03 Let Me Love You (feat. Lil Wayne) - Ariana Grande Tuesday Maybe - Way Out West BRB - No Mana Dark River (Radio Edit) - Sebastian Ingrosso MYNE (Tony Quattro Remix) - Treasure Fingers & BOSCO Space Sheep - Oliver Heldens & Chocolate Puma She's So Mean - Matchbox Twenty Faded (Tiësto's Deep House Remix) - Alan Walker (Original Cover version no longer available) Golden Hearts (feat. Alice Berg & Dannic) [Alice Berg Cover] - BYNON & Domeno Lost (Matt Karmil Remix) - Ashworth Tinhauser - MOGUAI Alien (Extended Remix) - Omnia A Way Home - KO:YU & Don Palm See link at top of the page for original mix and purchase links.

Regeneration to Ckwal

Date 2017-08-09 01:31:07

I thought now might be a good time to tell a short story on how we got to the name Ckwal. I've been in all sorts of bands and artist projects since my first band called Lighthouse. However, Ckwal started with a myspace.com project originating as Steve's Killah Music. 'Killah' was a popular word or slang for cool in the 80's and obviously I was using this adjective to describe the music I wanted to make. A little later this was shortened or changed to SKMillion. SKMillion was a name that came from a relative who quoted about a girl he was seeing at the time that, "When I am with you I feel like a million dollars." Of course I first heard this when he asked me to record a strange poem-like present for him to give to her as a Valentine's gift or something like that. So, when publishing my first music videos I was experimenting with in Taiwan to reconnect with lost friends and relatives I quickly came up with this name as the abbreviation for the previous name and adding 'Million'. Some time after returning to the United States and getting a sense that this name bothered some people, especially a good friend who helped me 'repatriate' (so to speak) to the US; I started making up my mind to change it. After getting in the gym and listening to the podcasts I listed everyday (up to three or four a day) and 'reverse culture-shock', I call it, I hit a strange plateau as some people may identify with where, well, "nothing was the same". I was on a weird schedule and 'frozen' some nights in a blissful state of returning to good health and losing a lot weight combined with the rejuvenation of the mind. I guess I was listening to a lot of powerful music and trying to catch up to my goals in a really short time. Anyways, some places I was trying to get to now seemed for ever out of reach in the real world and in my head, because they were uncatchable or I simply passed myself. Besides keeping record of my favorite tracks from the podcasts, after some time the only thing that kept me grounded was making beats and bass grooves on a Roland DR-880. A lot of these grooves are the basis for the self-entitled album CKWAL. I drew some sketches with SKM kind of cut in half and reflecting on itself (some with an arm & hammer type logo) and thought of a anacronym I heard about LUCK that used to bother me for some reason. An old album name I made in Taiwan was called 'LUCKY' until I changed it to LUCK which stood for (Living under Christ's Kindness) in that anacronym. So I took my name out of the artist name and substituted the 'S' for a 'C'. Flip the M and so forth. Take a look at this early picture attached to this short-story. I was working under full moons and an owl-perch like zone.

CKWAL LP Update

Date 2017-08-17 15:17:38

The MP3 version of the Dark Art Master has been exchanged for the previously<u>published</u> premaster version of the CKWAL LP. There is a Mastered for iTunes version that is still under review.

TOP LIST 01 & Dedicated Mix #3

Date 2017-08-24 16:37:14

This is a list of vocalists who sound good on most tracks they do. It's also a sort of 'my favorites list' in a kind of certain sound. I didn't enjoy doing this at first because a singer's voice is personal and possibly so is my taste. So, I felt really critical and almost embarrassed for myself and the places it took me, but like any good house song I eventually fell in the groove and found the light. I was a voice principal at Berklee, so I am not totally unqualified to do this project. However, if you just got into DJing I would take on this challenge after your first year. I started by reviewing my own podcasts and then went to almost every feature singer from Felix Cartal and Gareth Emery (the pimps of single singer tracks). It doesn't really include the super famous ones like Ariana Grande or Usher, but I included a few with already accomplished clout. Once I hit the maximum numbers for three TOP LISTS I stopped and will carry over those histories, I didn't fully listen to, the next TOP LIST. This is PART ONE which I subtitle as 'FELIX CARTAL'S Harem' I only got through Felix's list of features found on sources like Soundcloud, Beatport and Wikipedia. He doesn't have too many repeats. The attached mixes for this series will have some of the best singers that may or may not be on the top 11, 5 or 7. PART TWO will go into GARETH's features found on garethemery.com and Beatport. I also may have used some sites like Traxsource and Youtube (scrolling away from the videos of course to hear the audio and read comments for more information if needed). This is a great way to 'dig' for new tracks for all MixList aspirers. Check up on some of these artists' features and what they do now and branch off from there. It's a little arduous at first, but when you find a few new ways to go, you'll pick up momentum. I have a few lists here and we will start with females only. TOP 10 (FEATURES) = They sound good on almost every featured track and most usually work on others' songs rather than their own EPs or albums. Links after go to Soundcloud or Beatport. Then there is the TOP 5 (ALBUM TYPE) = They may do features too, but when checking them out I ended up discovering a different sound on an independent collection of tracks with either their name or another project name. After their name I put the first song I heard by them. Finally, there is the TOP 7 (REQUESTS). Either they need more recent song features or in the type of these DANCE POP style that isn't in superstar mainstream, but in a DJs repertoire for podcasts or festivals. Another way they could go to the TOP 7 would be they have a killer sound on one or two tracks, but feature a totally different voice on the majority of their others and I am requesting more like their BEST TRACK. The mix or mixes with new tracks I discovered on this sidetrack series will be on a future mix. **TOP 10** Bosco - New album called <u>b.</u> ■ Bright Lights - <u>LISTEN</u> AUDITION Sam Bruno - New EP called I AM SAM PT. 1 AUDITION Delaney Jane -<u>AUDITION</u> → Ofelia K - <u>Listen</u> → Kiesza - <u>Listen</u> → Luciana - <u>Listen</u> → Clara Mae - <u>Listen</u> → MØ - Listen Sigrid - Listen TOP 5 Sophia Black - Vibration (Penthouse Penthouse Remix) N/A © CATZE - Parallel Lines © Nini Fabi (Haerts) - Slow Motion © Amanda Fondell - Smoke © Becky G - Sola TOP 7 Chloe Angelides - Ready for Love Alice Berg - Freeze Time & Golden Hearts ■ Brave aka Br/ve - Alive [SINIQ REMIX] Garielle Current - Lost Art ■ Katt Niall - Diamonds ■ Nevve - Jump, Surface and Something Real (Actually I don't know what list she goes on because I previously had a link that was probably wrong and I only know of these three songs.) Sansa - A Little More Featured Female Vocalists Dedicated Mix #3 Wednesday 23rd August 2017, 14:26 01:02:27 Me Minus You (Jerome Price Warehouse Mix) -Jerome Price Love Something - Adrian Hour This Could Be Love Feat. Delaney Jane - Borgeous & Shaun Frank Universe (feat. Emeni) - Don Diablo Stars (feat. Katt Niall) - Ummet Ozcan Live Love Die (feat. Sirena) [Amersy Remix] - Dimitri Vangelis & Wyman Tether (Eric Prydz vs. CHVRCHES) [Radio Edit] - Eric Prydz & CHVRCHES Feel It In My Bones (feat. Tegan & Sara) [Extended Version] - Tiësto Drifting Away (feat. Ofelia K) - Felix Cartal Fireflies (feat. Luciana) [Extended Version] - Bassjackers VIPs - Skrillex & MUST DIE! Never Say Goodbye (feat. Bright Lights) - Hardwell & Dyro You're Not the One (Cid Rim Remix) - Sky Ferreira Sweet Escape (feat. Sirena) [Pep & Rash Remix] - Alesso Freeze Time (feat. Alice Berg) - Manse Special thanks to Softo ltd. for free file conversion. I always use cloudconvert, but had to try another site. Instagram link is a picture icon. Featured DJs links to both instagram and Soundcloud and in the mix they mostly link to Soundcloud. *Update 11.26-27.17 Now available Male Vocalists Top List 02

CKWAL MIX 2017015 Encore

Date 2017-09-13 22:35:12

Monday 11th September 2017, 21:07 37:46 Got the Love (feat. Jennifer Hartswick) [Kill the Zo Remix] - Big Gigantic, Kill the Noise & Mat Zo Nobody Can Save Me - LINKIN PARK Molino - Mark Johns Favor - Skrillex, Vindata & NSTASIA Me Minus You (Josh Butler Remix) - Jerome Price Feel - Marten Hörger & Donkong Revolution (feat. Guordan Banks) - EC Twins Colors in Your Eyes - Miss Monique (mash ver. 2) Bounce Back - Big Sean **CLEANER VERSION** (ends with Colors in Your Eyes) All I Ever Wanted - BlasterJaxx & Tom Swoon Go to CKWAL MIX 2017015

CKWAL MIX 2017015

Date 2017-09-01 17:30:55

I had three or four attempts at this mix and ended up starting this published one without my favorite two-song intro that started every other mix (which I may never tell). I usually never redo a mix. Good practice for real life. Get it right the first time or get people looking at you strange and heading to the bar or for the door. The other ones got messed up in the Traktor app and wouldn't load or backup the full mix. This one made it out. While listening and typing it out for you I went to Harvey Houston in my head until 'Way Back Home'.

Man, take a look again, take a look again, Things you have collected, Well, in the end it all piles up so tall To one big nothing, one big nothing at all

from 'Seek Up' - Dave Matthews Band Thursday 31st August 2017 22:13 73:19 Mirrors - Whipped Cream & Heckler Smoke (feat. Amanda Fondell) - Didrick Dead Limit - Noisia & The Upbeats Judgement - Signal Tibet - Seldon Thaye overlaps until pre-chorus of... Dive (feat. Enya & Alex Aris) - Salvatore Ganacci Mirrors - Whipped Cream & Heckler Let Go of the Wheel - Mako Way Back Home - Mako Roadkill (EDX's Ibiza Sunrise Remix) - EDX Bubble & Squeak (Extended Mix) - Alex Graham mashes // phases in and out with... Illuminate - Afrojack and ends with Bubble & Squeak Dig Deeper (feat. Eva Lazarus) - Stanton Warriors Feel the Love (feat. Nat Dunn) [David Gravell Remix] - Tigerlily Powertrip (Extended Mix) - DallasK cut short with... Ghost (feat. Rumors) - Oliver Heldens they trade places at breaks with below and go back to finish each others' tracks... Hoy Snoof Zha - Bali Bandits Jaque Mate Remix (feat. Yandel) - Omega Piece of Me (CamelPhat Remix) - MK & Becky Hill Thanks to Site Offline (Wordpress plug-in). It's a quick notification tool that switches on and activates quickly. It's a lifesaver for maintenance and crisis situations. Go to the Encore

Dedicated #4

Date 2017-09-09 21:12:32

This is a short mix dedication to a friend of 14 years. He was a tour manager with <u>Jay Pun</u> and I on a graduate semi-unofficial tour alongside/following <u>Dave Matthews Band</u> in the parking lots of Summer 2003. I finally learned of his birthday this year. I mixed these up this morning with my favorite two song intro from the CKWAL Mix 2017015 experimentations. I'll finally let go of it here. I gambled the whole mix with a mash on the last two. Saturday 9th September 2017, 9:00 37:28 Entrada (BL3R Remix) - Gareth Emery gradually decreases to tempo of... Kamikaze - MØ Not Enough (feat. THEY.) - Lido **EXPLICIT** Varca - BLR & SBNC Search Party - Bruno partial mash last third to... Thunder Clap - Duke Dumont partial overlap mash edits Thunder Clap... Onik - Bougenvilla Wait - Tom Swoon, Paris & Simo Without Gravity - Feed Me Mashes second half of song from chorus of... Our Love - Nico & Vinz

One Year a Vegan +

Date 2017-09-05 03:50:23

I just passed about a year and a month as a vegan. Over the year I became homeless and phased out all leather and animal products I previously owned. I slowly got stricter with my selfeducation by ditching all animal products in medicine, soap, blankets, clothing, toothpaste etc. It's difficult to say the least moving around and running out of money. Then rushing to get food stamps in time as most shelters serve many meat products and then desperately seeking work to meet the bills of education. Then, if you are really challenged, cooking your own cheap rations in the park or pines to cut down on costs further and hand washing clothes to dry by the river. Thanks to all who pushed me to the next level cause even though it was a pain a lot of the time, I know I'm prepared for a lot more than a year ago as a struggling artist. Now my artist self is more of a mixer/writer than an instrumentalist/vocalist/songwriter, but it has never been easy in one way or the other. You can donate to Ckwal to help with basic costs, some tracks and to get Ckwal more official at the bottom of the page. This is a highly independent cause and if you are ever in the area or support travel you can choose to go on a Ckwal experience which was the idea to have on Kickstarter, but I'd rather raise funds and do that kind of thing on a more private level. Thanks for listening and please support the individual artists and labels to continue making good music. Sometimes it seems like a lot of big artists are making tons of money, but a lot of them can't ever go back to normal jobs or lower standards of living. *Update 9/28* I reposted this after writing my 'appalled' post. I'm not trying to convert anyone, just trying to tell the truth as most musicians do in some form or another. After yesterday and many times in the past year and two months of going Vegan to detox I felt like I really wasn't Vegan at all and it feels like failure.

SKM MIX Episode II

Date 2017-09-07 13:27:49

Thursday September 17 47 13 2013 NIN - Satellite Muse - Undisclosed Desires Atoms for Peace - Stuck Together Pieces (clip of Thirty Seconds to Mars - Depuis Le Début played within) loops 'you won't get away' fades out with... SKM - Rose Colored Glasses Dillon Francis -Without You Feat. Totally Enormous Extinct Dinosaurs Beady Eye - Second Bite of the Apple fades out early to... Lykke Li - I Follow Rivers (The Magician Remix) fades out early to... Fatboy Slim - Right Here, Right Now Avicii - Shame On Me Dog Blood - Middle Finger, Pt. 2 Pt. 2 Remix ORIGINAL version bought found on Owsla's DRIP vs/weave. Aston Shuffle - Your Love (BURNS Remix) ON BEATPORT vs/weave. Thirty Seconds to Mars - Up in the Air Jars of Clay - After The Fight loops out early to... SKM - The Other Side fades out early to... Worthy - Crying Crickets On OWSLA's DRIP via Kickstarter Half mash w/ Skrillex - Leaving (Same link as above) back to Crying Crickets half mash with Calvin Harris - Feel So Close [Radio Edit] Bro Safari & UFO! - No Time To Sleep On OWSLA's DRIP via Kickstarter Tiësto - Take Me feat. Kyler England (SKM Remix) ORIGINAL MIX LINK Calvin Harris - Let's Go (feat. Ne-YO) [Radio Edit] Aston Shuffle vs. Tommy Trash - Sunrise (Won't Get Lost Again) This Cover artwork Version Zedd feat. Matthew Koma - Spectrum (SKM Remix) Album version here Links go to Instagram, Official Website or Twitter.

Updated link collection post

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2019 Summary (Connect to the checkpoints here) 2016-2018 Mix & Track Link Quick Find Tattoo and Artist/artwork links in Random Updates TV Show checklist with purchase links (currently unpublished 5.23) Back flash (Photography and camera post) Quicklink Collection Other link collections are attached or a part of the mixes found on the Link Quick Find page above. Recent mixes/posts with many links and social accounts to view are 18-4 SC, 18-3 (with 2 radio stream links), 18-1SE, 18-1, Mix in the Making #2, Mix in the Making #1, New Year Bridge Update, Top List 02, 1720, Vegan Thanksgiving, UNP9, 1718, 1716, 179* SKM2, DM3/Top List 01, 1714II, DM1/Top Maxim Cover List, Now Listening to... (7.18) & UNP7 Vegan Posts & Links with Fuel updates PromoDJ had post collections compiled together, but I was asked to remove all external links (as of early 2018) and since almost every post linked back to this site, I deleted all posts. It is currently in limbo. Mostly all new tracks for the next mix are going to be purchased from research and from new releases or new finds soon. I thought about following Mark Knight and making 15 the last official mix of the year, but since I don't play live I am going to try to make mixes until New Year's Eve. Update 4.23.18 - About ninety-six published or UNP mixes including 'Mix in the Making' so far since New Year's Eve 2015/16. *Top podcast link list & social accounts below mix

Appalled

Date 2017-09-27 22:58:07

I'm tired of finding animal products in everyday things we use and eat and being lied to about their names. Things growing up as kids if we even read we wouldn't know anything about and even as grown adults we may never know. Drug companies and fast food chains. I couldn't find one pain killer in Denver that was animal product free and even a store pharmacy couldn't put together a simple ingredient pain killer. McDonald's fries - made with cows, Sobe LifeWater made with insects. Most cheap sugars are filtered through bone char, so this includes almost every soda and homemade desert from the naive buyer. A lot of paper, the stuff you lick on an envelope, soaps and every single plastic bag you take from the grocery store may have some animal fat in it. Cigarettes, some beer, receipts. Most of the time it is not even necessary, just cheap or people are too lazy to change. Even products stamped Vegan on them that are produced or packaged in a facility that share equipment with egg or dairy products shouldn't be allowed to put Vegan there. For example, those cookies in 711 by Lenny & Larry. The Lemon Poppy one used to be the only one that didn't have this disclaimer, but recently they changed it. On the final note - computers. I'm probably typing this on a machine made with animal products built into it. To be honest why not just put an animal product stamp on everything - right on the front. More on this topic found in this updated post

CKWAL MIX 2017016 Part II

Date 2017-09-27 00:38:06

On the third track of this mix. I donated blood a second time after the eligible time and was waiting to hear back where it was going to in the world. I didn't really hear back for awhile. When I heard this track on one of my regular feeds, I couldn't really relate to the meaning because my real siblings have faded somewhat from my existence, but then a little later I remembered and it put a whole new meaning to our connectivity with anonymous strangers. Monday 25th September 2017, 22:05 45:19 Ignorant - Whipped Cream Soul Shake (1991 Remix) - My Nu Leng & Flava D Blood Brother - Zeds Dead, Diskord & Reija Lee Kid's Play - Aero Chord Panda - Desiigner **CLEAN VERSION** This (Radio Edit) - Modeselecktor & Thom Yorke Colour the Past (feat. Karina Ramage) - Krakota Deep End - THEY. **EXPLICIT** Red Dress (FTampa Remix) - MAGIC! Brigitte Bardot - Federico Scavo & Luciana Fjords - Josè Astrales Oops - Martin Garrix Stickshifts and Safetybelts - CAKE

CKWAL MIX 2017016 Part III

Date 2017-09-28 20:52:17

Thursday 28th September 2017, 12:31 43:57 High Voltage - Andrsn Caught in the Rain - TOKiMONSTA Funk'd - Secondcity & Manu Gonzales overlap mash edit Destination - Feenixpawl & Dubvision early out Find You - Tom & Jame early out In Space It Never Rains (feat. Louisa Bass) - GLXY partial mash transition Next Hype (Crissy Criss, Malux & Erb N Dub Remix) [feat. Jakes] - TC Selfish - Whipped Cream (overlaps intro & outro) Cavern (UNKWN Remix) - UZ & ATLiens EXPLICIT Scio - Jay Hardway Never Stop (Mark Knight & D.Ramirez Remix) - DC Breaks

CKWAL MIX 2017016

Date 2017-09-23 16:45:03

I actually haven't perfected this yet because my iPad is having trouble recording and playing back without really major glitches and errors. (Please donate at the bottom of the page to Ckwal's paypal account). Anyways, this is the next mix. I'll probably show you several variations which were all based off similar progressions of releases even though they are all intended to be redone on new equipment. Tuesday 19th September 2017, 17:56 53:30 Anywhere (feat. Will Heard)[A-Trak Remix] - Dillon Francis Extra Trippy - Danny Howard Summer Dreams (Michael Brun VIP / Radio Edit) - Michael Brun & Marcio Lama Never Stop (Mark Knight & D.Ramirez Remix) - DC Breaks Jetlag - Mike Williams & Brooks Grey - Kölsch Remedy (feat. Mingue) - Zonderling Atom - Madison Mars Rendez-Vu (Jesse Garcia Club Mix) - Basement Jaxx Million Years (feat. Asia Whiteacre) [James Egbert Remix] - Gareth Emery Nine Clouds - 1991 Really Love (Illyus & Barrientos Remix) - Michael Brun & Marcio Lama

Past Dedication Birthday Wish

Date 2017-09-21 17:46:31

Happy Birthday to my good friend in Russia. One of the early mixes of 2016 was dedicated to her, but I never told her that. Also, so was one of the first SKM Episodes.

CKWAL MIX 2017016 Part IV

Date 2017-10-02 20:33:00

Officially we started these mixes in 2016 (over the dateline from 2015), but I did my first remix during College for someone who needed it for a business or something. I spent as much time as I could before the deadline (everything manually without stems in Pro Tools (video link) and a Lexicon MPX1) and even made a nice label for the CD remixing Lifehouse's "Hanging By A Moment". The short Asian chick who got me this 'gig' came back later told me they put it in their car radio and it ate up the CD, ruined their car stereo and that they were pissed. Of course we were mad at them. Way back before this though I bought one of the first scratchable CD players by Pioneer because I thought it was the coolest thing I had ever seen at the time. Not sure if I used it for anything but playing CDs. Even before this I used to play music in those 100 disc players and had some intelligent lights, a fog machine for our band and one night I tried to have a party that no one showed up to, so I danced to Prodigy's 'Fat Of The Land' just like you would in any club in a thick misty basement. I won't go back any further in this story for now. I guess I making an excuse for making 016 have some many parts, but it was made possible by a couple compilations of 2016 and 2017 by UKF and CR2 Records that were recently on sale for a ridiculous value that I usually cannot buy due to guilt, but since I am barely having enough to eat, I thought they would be okay with letting me audition 78 tracks for something like 6.99 to possibly use in the next MixList. Sunday 1st October 2017, 6:56 37:39 Amalae - DJ Wady & Roger Vasha Bamba - That Matters Feel - Marten Hörger & Donkong Ride Out - DIMEBAG & Pasdat Llévame Hasta La Luna - Solo 2 Strobe (Dimension Remix) - deadmau5 Cinnamon (Hybrid Minds Remix) - Jome Stay (Maduk Remix) - SigmaKid's Play - Aero Chord Persistence - Whipped Cream

CKWAL MIX 2017017

Date 2017-10-07 15:40:18

When you have been listening to mixes long enough in headphones at the gym or walking around, you learn to change the perspectives around. Sometimes one may hear their voice as a singer from the opposite sex or a different age group. Or people you know may move around to different singers in the same way. At first it may give you some identity problems and one might feel like going to a therapist, but it is a really good mental exercise that helps you understand the world a little better. I used a lot of songs that could have put this at part five in the last series, however I made some other attempts at this particular zone or period in my thinking which stood alone from the other four. Another note with some of these old tracks. Carpark North says, "I am not your Jesus." This is important for listeners to remember as some of these DJs stretch their arms out in the traditional pose and fans may joke about the example that performers set in their shows. He may help us, be with us or his presence may be with us; keeping us close to what is important in loving life, but as the commandments Moses came down from the mountain with say, "Do not make unto thee any graven image." Friday 6th October 2017, 20:24 01:00:29 Nightcall - Kavinsky Genesis - Grimes Jokes On You (Kill the Noise Remix) - Kill the Noise The Vibe (Ian Munro Remix) - JaySounds Kuaga (Yotto Remix) - Pierce Fulton Nothing to Lose (feat. Laces) [Tom Swoon Edit] - Vigel Deserve Better (feat. Austin Mahone) - Jump Smokers Touch (feat. Tiffani Juno) - Hybrid Minds Thrillcakes - Sirenz Alpha - Vincent Glow - Dan Dakota Night Vision (VIP) - Technimatic Just Human - Carpark North Travesuras (Salsa Version) - Enio Don't Ask Why (feat. Kyiki) [Vanilla Ace & Barber Remix] - Moon Boots I'd like to thank Crossroads Center in Nebraska (a rescue mission for the homeless). Besides food and shelter they also provide life skills classes and opportunities for daily community service. Also, the state of Nebraska for food stamp support and use of the library.

Halloween Prep Mix Part II

Date 2017-10-14 17:24:14

The only thing about this mix I would like to perfect would be the accidental new transition from 'Touch It' to 'Ready'. However, I'm not going to redo this mix again as the other transitions overshine this hiccup. I am out of music and soon food to stay vegan and transitioning to use this site as a learning porthole for new DJ programs as discussed in 2013 at SAE Thailand, before I was hit by a vehicle. Please donate at the bottom of the page to Ckwal's paypal account. The mash to 'Sing Me to Sleep' works differently almost every time. I took out five songs from the 012AV and added five different ones. Friday 13th October 2017, 17:54 43:34 012 AV Part II Halloween '17 Edit Rollin (feat. Future & Khalid) - Calvin Harris EXPLICIT Wasted - Nero Jolene - Ray LaMontagne Jupiter (feat. Roy English & Uni) - Michael Brun Javelin - Oliver Heldens & Martin Mayne Egyptian Lover (Latmun Remix) - The Golden Boy slows down and filter mashes with... Touch It - Ariana Grande mashes at end with a hack half turntablism wannabe intro to... Ready - Joey Bada\$\$ EXPLICIT mashes with... Sing Me to Sleep (Instrumental) - Alan Walker I Don't Want You to Forget - Jars of Clay Changing - John Mayer cut short with... Sentient - Mr FijiWiji & Tülpa

Halloween Prep Mix & Updates

Date 2017-10-13 20:45:53

I split the big alternate version mix I redid as I mentioned in this post called 'redos'. It took some major patience and practice with these combos, but it came back to me eventually. I cut out 'Congratulations' cause I hear it played too often and cut short 'Happy', but played the whole song of 'Forget'. 'Forget' in the first Alternate Version is cut really short partially by accident, which works, but leaves you cheated (wanting the rest). 'Rollin' was the only song I liked off of Funk Wav Bounces Vol 1, which changed after awhile. Then I got sick of Rollin cause it was overplayed, but recently I hit a slump and could only listen to this song over and over trying to memorize Future's rap. So, that single and 'Forget' kept me going at the start to redo this one and finally make Part I new for Halloween 2017. Part II - TBD. Thursday October 12th, 2017 23:39 48:40 012 AV Part I Halloween '17 Edit Forget - Marina and The Diamonds Between Two Worlds - Nero Lords (feat. UFO) - Bro Safari Sound Off - Moska Halfway to the Moon - Phish Devotion to a Dream - Phish Happy - Marina and The Diamonds cut short with... Lampshades On Fire - Modest Mouse Cry Wolf - a-ha Nightmare on My Street - DJ Jazzy Jeff & The Fresh Prince partial overlap during phone call at the end to... Shrine - Artificial Intelligence I guess these come full circle with the first 012 series as I made a third and fourth unit of blood donations at Red Cross at the same time called a Power Red. It's a little more intense during the donation, but is a little less of a drag afterwards. There were some issues with the site I used for converting to mp3 saying I was forbidden to download my own conversions at wavtomp3.online. It used to work if you changed browsers, but not today. So, I found a new one that allows free Google Drive conversion and online uploading without downloading the conversion at this site. Thanks to Berklee College of Music for our Alumni account drive. You can also search under google drive plug-ins for mp3 converter. I really recommend cloudconvert.com if you can afford it for accurate volume levels and customizations as well as automatic conversions for specific folders. Of course I use these for checking the mixes before posting the MixList to make sure they were valid and I can say all of these were performed successfully at one point.

Redos

Date 2017-10-10 21:22:32

I am exercising my patience by redoing some of these mixes. The <u>cloudconvert</u> site that makes the best quality conversions limited me to a certain time on conversions and I must have deleted the original .wav files to a few mixes. Anyways, one of them was 2017012AV (the alternate version to #12 of 2017). Find it with this tool. It's actually almost two hours (those details were left out in the original post). It's really a tough one on a couple transitions, so I am making it two parts and trying to find new meaning with it's new start and ending points. Or go to this mix I am talking about directly here. New music will be probably around Halloween although I'll tell you 'A Nightmare On My Street'by DJ Jazzy Jeff & The Fresh Prince is defining it already as well as 'Will 2K' by Will Smith to ring in 2018 on the dateline. Also, Ckwal is trying to release the selftitled LP (iTunes mastered version) for sale on the iTunes store exclusively by Christmas.

SKM MIX EPISODE 7

Date 2017-10-11 19:50:48

I had to delete an entire hard drive of backups to sell it and this mix is gone as well as a whole bunch of other music, so the ID's have to stay that way. New music will be delayed due to recent circumstances. Get Gone - Fiona Apple IN mixes with I.D (House track) triple overlaps at tail with Liar Liar - Avicii IN Overdose - Wolfgang Gartner IN Destroy Them With Lazers - Knife Party IN I.D. I.D. I.D. You've Got The Love (Mark Knight Remix) - Florence And The Machine Buy on Beatport INFLORENCE I.D. with The Joint - Worthy As found on Owsla's subscription service previously found on Drip and now on Kickstarter at this link. One used to receive credits for back catalog or earn them with time spent as a subscriber. See current terms. I.D. - Eric Prydz IN A Prayer For England - Massive Attack INMA I.D. (hula 3?) - SKMillion Paradise (Fedde le Grand Remix) - Coldplay INFLG INCOLD I.D. Eric Prydz Someone Else X Undertaker - Miley Cyrus & Wolfgang Gartner (SKM's Mash) INMILEY INWG Fully Retractable - Soul Coughing INMIKE Many I.D. tracks may be found on Toolroom Ten

Update

Date 2017-10-11 14:15:49

Since this major journey started in 2012 when I hit play on the first podcasts I listened to (probably Nicky Romero), there were times I would have sworn to you that this was the only way to save your life. Don't get me wrong, it did, but I left the social networks and if someone were to ask if they should follow me or anyone who has made it to the stage I wouldn't know what to say to them. And don't think any style or genre cult is going to change the path to whether you live or die. One may associate rock with bars and pop dance with the gym, but we are not at war with each other. We are fighting the grave or becoming dust on the sea. For expansion on this topic, read 2017017's intro. A Wikipedia article on the Third Commandment.

CKWAL MIX 2017018

Date 2017-10-25 14:51:49

This was a difficult mix to finish. I kept botching it up somewhere, going for the mashes and they didn't sound quite right or the blend/weave was imbalanced. I went and spoke to the U.S. Army on my job search and they told me I just passed the age limit when he said, "You can't." I left with a strange feeling of regret and went to the open field/park where I starting making bread here and finally completed the mix. Tuesday 24th October 2017, 17:58 (7% Battery Left) 55:06 Bad Mood X Amazon - Miley Cyrus X Mayhem & UZ Hands Up - Levit∆te Mind of an Insomniac (feat. Icicle & Linguistics) end mash w/to... Barfly - Ray LaMontagne Babylon -Lifecycle NL Transmission - The Prototypes Mangú - Becky G. Tap - Masayoshi Iimori Inta-National - Ulterior Motive Omega Point - Signal, Allied & Heamy White Flag (VIP) - Delta Heavy Nova Machine - MUST DIE! Más De Lo Que Sabes (More Than You Know) - Axwell Λ Ingrosso, Sebastian Yatra & Cali y El Dandee (partial mash with Diva at end section) Diva X 1000 Kisses (Radio Edit) - Jojo Angel X Will Smith Update 10.27.17 3:59 Central Time U.S. Some of these artists or groups are difficult to find by regular searching, so I added a lot of Soundcloud links which have Instagram links on the top right of their pages under the main banner. More about this mix and what I am planning in November is written in the previous post. I have been able to get some new songs via donations with just a little sacrifice in the next few days.

Dedicated #5 (Vegan Halloween)

Date 2017-10-19 00:29:41

Recently I reached out to all my remaining contacts for the first time since I launched the website in 2014. I don't track visitors especially after discontinuing streams for permission on PromoDJ to MixLists. It was nice to hear back from a Lighthouse Band supporter, member (previous project) and family I haven't talk to for awhile. I will get back to those who have contacted me and would appreciate others' assistance and perspective! To sum: With an early Christmas present and Ckwal's first donation, I'm back in the eye of the storm. Why did we break the no mass email rule? Well, I hit an 'emergency point' let's say. I personally fasted for the first time with water only for over thirty-six hours during a waiting period. The mix below was after around the thirty hour point. I had recently filtered all the remaining tracks from the UKF and CR2 albums I wanted to use and grabbed a few more tracks, I didn't think I wanted to use for this purpose and put this together finishing at 3:53 am this past Tuesday. It is quite an addicting listening combo without catching in your head - and eerily, nearly perfect. So, it is this year's official, Vegan Halloween Mix. Tuesday 17th October 2017, 3:53 40:56 Kuaga - Pierce Fulton Speed of Sound (feat. Tricia McTeague) - Aly & Fila Collide (feat. Daniel Gidlund) - Third ≡ Party Men In Black - Will Smith I See U - Dawn Wall Paranoia - Tascione & Kompany Good To Me (feat. Majesty) - Brookes Brothers Just Cruisin' - Will Smith Keep It Moving - Ulterior Motive Three More Days - Ray LaMontagne OK, the link attached to Vegan is Moby. A DJ and recording artist who probably made the first song I heard in somewhere like Border's that changed my life. The electronic strings that were not of this world.

Halloween News II

Date 2017-10-29 19:50:24

Counting down the days to Halloween like we're practicing for the New Year 2018? These links are good for some amazement. and controversy? Pictures from the Dog Halloween in <u>Tompkins Square</u>, New York from various websites. <u>EveningStandard CURBED gothamist THE VERGE</u>

Halloween

Date 2017-10-28 18:09:14

Ckwal has three mixes posted this month for Halloween. I don't read that often, but <u>this</u> a good article found through The Denver Post. For if you are in Denver and want to take yourself on a mini-tour of haunts or just want to get ready for the final days of Halloween. I'm not in Denver right now, but I walked by a couple of these places and I know there is some kind of different energy there.

Next Mixes Update

Date 2017-10-23 21:09:59

Working on this next mix and adding a new song with each new donation that I receive. It is proving to be rather challenging with all this new input and trying to mix the remaining songs from those massive collections. I am also trying to mash two acoustic type country based songs (an old one and a new one) with these monsters. Another mix that threw a wrench into my life, like one of those Magic Tapes I couldn't stop listening to and had to try to duplicate, was Ummet Ozcan's Innerstate Episode 158. I was thinking of trying to remake this because something broke my world when I listened to it the first time and I need to fix it. In the meantime I'm collecting them one at a time as well and may add a version and/or a song that helps them blend with this project that is challenging me at the moment. Sometimes I just do it and it cannot be improved on. This one I know can be perfect for what I want to send you, but it makes me want to give up on it every time.

Virtual Night Before Halloween Party (Vegan Friendly)

Date 2017-10-30 17:06:39

Your hosts <u>Sara Sampaio</u> & Jamie Oliver serving <u>Zombie</u> for drinks. This isn't posted as Vegan, but if you make sure you use a Vegan Triple Sec like Hiram Walker, Bols, VOK or <u>make it</u> <u>yourself</u> and same goes for the <u>sweet & sour mix</u>. Also, when buying sugar for recipes check the brand that it doesn't use bone char in it's processing. Tate & Lyle fair trade and Morena are tasty. This is a <u>Vegan liquor</u> buying website I just found. You can see Jamie with a Vampire costume on his <u>website</u> (it's a freeze frame of a video). Note: All those recipes on the previous link are Halloween (not all Vegan). Chocolate starters, gorge-yourself main and 'do I want to eat that?' for dessert. Then dance it off with a mini-mix featuring <u>Wolfgang Gartner</u> and <u>Dino Maggiorana</u>. Appetizer - <u>CANDY SKULL CRUSHERS</u> from wallflower kitchen Main Course - <u>Green Monster Veggie Burger</u> from Vegan Heaven Dessert - <u>Witch Finger Cookies with Strawberry Jam</u> from One Green Planet I mixed the mix below, however dreaming about the other stuff so I can't vouch if they're all good or not. To the celebrations ~ Monday 30th October 2017, 6:59 37:07 Scream - Dino Maggiorana partial mash with/to... Peanut Butter Jelly - Galantis Lush (Extended Mix) - Tommy Jayden Nuke - Wolfgang Gartner Rush - Teo Mandrelli & UnoMas Men on Mars - HI-LO Move On - Dino Maggiorana Undertaker - Wolfgang Gartner

All Saints' Day

Date 2017-11-01 16:54:41

Read about it on Wikipedia (They are seeking donations at the moment as well) Vatican Radio's Post from yesterday on the day Some photo galleries from Smart Shanghai recently published to follow up yesterdays costume hunt.

CKWAL MIX 2017019

Date 2017-11-06 22:10:27

This is kind of two projects in one with an * by the Ummet Ozcan Mix tracks that I was going to use to re-do Innerstate 158 & then I mashed up one of his originals with 'Feel Good Now' by Mark Knight. I already used a different version of Axwell A Ingrosso's 'More Than You Know' in 2017018 & another remix of Avicii's 'Without You' in an exclusive mix. I did quite a few mix, listen, re-listen and delete mixes with notes. One of the best future combos was Men on Mars to Water by Galantis. The lyrics say: "Can't go back Can't fight this Water, water Teardrops are falling like rain Daughter, daughter Still hear you calling my name I'll see your light In the water for all my life" I know I already used 'Rush' in our Halloween DJ Set and it's in the exclusive, so I did like a double overlap mash where part of the song mashes with one track and then the end mashes with a different track while somewhere in the middle it goes solo. (Like a lot of singers' careers.) Sunday 5th November 2017, 19:45 1:01:36 Don't Kill My Vibe (Gryffin Remix) -Sigrid Truth Be Told - THEY. **EXPLICIT** tempo down to 62 and add delay/verb with... Ironing Man - Mark Knight Men on Mars - HI-LO Scream - Dino Maggiorana mashes with rush for at least two minutes Rush - Teo Mandrelli & UnoMas mashes with *Elixir - Ivan Miranda, Bonnis Maxx & Niccoxx mashes with approx 50s and loops first bars 10s *Neiloj - Purple Haze Dark River (Radio Edit) - Sebastian Ingrosso A Mess Like This - The Dø Younger Now (Burns Remix) - Miley Cyrus Feel Good Now - Mark Knight mashes most of song w/to... Kensei -Ummet Ozcan *Lush (Extended Mix) - Tommy Jayden *Raw - Madison Mars Not That Brave -BEAUZ & Lenii

Cold weather reads

Date 2017-11-10 00:00:03

I don't read often as I have probably said before on this blog. Of course I read lyrics and other philosophical definitions of reading. Since I'm revealing all sorts of secrets to readers of this blog online; I have read two books during the past five years or longer. Starting last year and finishing this year I read this version of the **Bible** in compact easy-to-understand English. Before that, after I returned from Iraq and Thailand, I read **Red Queen** by **Victoria Aveyard**. I'd like to think they both define me to this day in ways I won't forget. I tried to read the sequels to Red Queen, but never could get into them. *Update 11.15.17 I almost forgot I read **Lakota Belief and Ritual** by James R. Walker. It is also a good one to start in the fall or winter instead of a mission or elsewhere, try out in a cabin.

Cookie Monster Day

Date 2017-11-02 21:08:24

It's cookie monster day. This is serious. Comic strips on this. A good picture of Cookie Monster. Most memorable quote from Survivor - When Jeff asked what would make camp better and Angie says, "If we could have cookies?" (Philippines) There is also a DJ who remixes Flux Pavilion and Doctor P with originals on Circus Records named Cookie Monsta. 'Come Find Me' is a good one from four years ago.

Shop for the costume in Shanghai

Date 2017-10-31 17:05:23

This is the only thing I could find in my scouring the internet for Halloween. The goal is to find a prize-winning costume last minute in Shanghai for tonight. Smart Shanghai's article should help. Make a bunch of this virgin drink option to stay vibrant in the scavenge. (I would substitute more spirulina and pea protein isolate or potato protein and/or cashews for hemp protein because I don't like how hemp lingers) Another idea is to mimic some combo from these bars.

Slipping through the radar

Date 2017-11-05 19:52:37

I shouldn't be giving out any tracks before they make a MixList, but I'm sort of struggling to get a mix with the tracks I have now (that isn't reusing too much). I'll probably get one mix posted before the end of this week. If you are looking for some listening material, grab this compilation called 'Made in Germany, Vol. 13'. It is categorized under Recovery Tech or mostly the Tech House sub-genre. Good for those clubs in odd parts of the city, homework or research at work or crawling the town in the cold. Traxsource is cool because you can click 'play all' and preview whole albums or select a ton of previews that look good indivually and then do other searching while waiting for a track to jump out to you. The rest of my proposed schedule for November and December looks like this: **December Mix Ideas special posts** *-Will 2K New Years Eve (New Mix) -Best of 2017 Mix -12 Days of Christmas Mixes (2 parts)* *Vegan cookies for Hanukkah? **November Mix Ideas** *-Favs and some new ones -If funded, do New Mix 2nd week or favs part II -Best Male Vocalists feature (possibly 2 parts) or New Mix can add Ummet-Mock-Redo if didn't overdo tracks in others *Vegan Thanksgiving special feature (How to do it and knock away some turkeys -((without bodybagging them)))*

This year's hottest New Year's DJ Parties are:

Date 2017-11-08 23:54:47

DECADENCE: COLORADO, ARIZONA, UTAH With Insomniac: Dreamstate Australia (Hordern Pavillion) Sydney Countdown 2017 (NOS Events Center) San Bernardino Gareth Emery Extended Set (Exchange LA) LA R3hab (Create Nightclub) LA Other: Calvin Harris (Omnia Nightclub) Vegas Ludacris (Light Nightclub) Vegas New Year's Eve Soiree Michigan Ave, Various Kiss FM DJs (Hilton) Chicago Rock Around the Clock NYE 2018, DJ Metro & DJ Ruen (Hard Rock Hotel) Chicago Rafa Barrios, Chus+Ceballos & Fiin (Heart Nightclub) Miami Feast of Sekhmet, Vegan NYE Party (REFAL Headquarters) Newark This is a few to get you started. Book tickets now for most of these to guarantee your 2018 starts off without disappointment from a sold out. The second link if the listing has it will go to Instagram, while the first points to a ticketing page. Also, this is one of of those Bangerz lists. It'll add Dallas, Dubai, Edinburgh, Goa (This year the festival mentioned is in Pune) (this goes to the Sunburn multi-day festival, type in Pune for your city and buy a ticket), Paris and New York City to the major destination NYE festivals if they weren't already in your 'know of that one' reputation. Links go to one option for that city. A lot of these are parties that are throughout the city. For example New York City has theirs outside in Time's Square and you don't need a ticket anywhere per say.

Ckwal Album Note

Date 2017-11-12 19:29:10

It'll be a little while until the next MixList and a lot longer until the next CKWAL album. I sold, traded or donated almost everything last year and this year. I just listened to the mp3s of the debut CKWAL LP again which was the first album of mine to ever be professionally mastered (under any artist name). I already mentioned some album notes, but another secret was the ending of the second disc. It pays respects to a rock song by Disturbed called 'Who Taught You How To Hate'. I was in a challenging situation and listening to a lot of albums and mixes to get me through it. The lyrics go like this: "Tell me now, who taught you how to hate? 'Cause it isn't in your blood Not a part of what you're made So let this be understood Somebody taught you how to hate When you live this way you become Dead to everyone" The last track of CKWAL called "When you live like that....." hammers a similar melody. People live online lives that may hinder their healthy communication habits or treat others in a way that ostracizes themselves from their peers. Sometimes it isn't their fault. Friends and family members stop responding because, at least how it was in 2013, everyone who had a social account thought they were in a competition for fame against their own friends. That is in my belief when social media has gotten out of control. Those with talent are sometimes pushed into the starlight even when they don't want to famous while some change their artist name or stop sharing to stay underground. Others force themselves into popularity or buy it not knowing if they are walking through the right door. Anyways, not sure where this puts us going forward, but I wanted to share this story and how I keep a good album with me even when I can't carry it in my luggage anymore. Other notes on the album found here and here with some other notes and general Ckwal 're-generation' found at this link.

CKWAL MIX UNP09

Date 2017-11-12 01:30:45

The mix couldn't be fully recovered in upload and I deleted it before I recovered the visual tracks, so it ends before the Wild Wild West track finishes and the rest of the intended mix's songs or releases complete. Also, unpublished series due to an awkward pause after 'Rush'. The transition from 'Lush' to 'Raw' is unmatchable though. I might try to do one more mix next week, but the next main mix of all new or fresh selections won't be until the 18th of November at the earliest. Additional purchase quicklinks for reused tracks are on previous MixLists. Thursday 2nd November 2017, circa 5:25 Pray That Our Love Sees the Dawn - Ben Harper Men on Mars -HI-LO partial overlap (using gater) with... Water - Galantis Scream - Dino Maggiorana mashes with Rush- Teo Mandrelli & UnoMas ----- Elixir - Ivan Miranda, Bonnis Maxx & Niccoxx Without You (feat. Sandro Cavazza)[Notre Dame Remix] - Avicii EXPLICIT Neiloj -Purple Haze Lush (Extended Mix) - Tommy Jayden Raw - Madison Mars short pause/space Everything Starts Again - Carpark North Jewel (Pure Radio Edit) - Armin van Buuren Wild Wild West (No Intro) - Will Smith, Dru Hill & Kool Mo Dee Some links here are different for duplicate artists. i.e. Will Smith has been linked to three times in previous posts. So, on this post it goes to an imdb account where the other two share an instagram account or website. Pages with a lot of social links (like this one) are updated with a quicklink page connected to on the right side, below the calendar (Social links and finders).

CKWAL MIX 2017019 Encore

Date 2017-11-17 00:19:03

There is a little bit more of me in this one than usual. The reason is because some time back at the beginning of Ckwal I got curious with numerology and found my number is 9. Actually with me it's pretty straight forward. You add the pairs of digits three separate times and it adds up to three single nines. Every mix that is a nine in the past two years, I identify with strongly. On another topic I met or hung out with Chevelle in Milwaukee backstage after going to a show with my friend before I knew the music. He was also a rock guitarist and basically repeated the lyrics to me while listening to one of their first popular releases earlier and I was hooked ever since. Usually DJs have certain tracks to switch styles like this which is why artists like Skrillex exist, but here I am going with the darkness and gritty dance songs mixed with the saddest Drake rap and a track from the wedding album 'Don't Kill the Magic'. Wednesday 15th November 2017, 7:52 42:29 Disintegration (feat. MING & Lena Wolf) - Le Castle Vania The Damned - Chevelle Omen - The Dø Ride This Train (feat. Aniff Akinola) - Icarus Breathe (Wordlife Remix) - Anna Lunoe Intoxicated - Martin Solveig & GTA (original single artwork not available) Our Story (Norin & Rad vs. Kevin Wild Remix) - Mako Now & Forever - Drake CLEAN VERSION Stupid Me - MAGIC! Under the Knife - Chevelle Link to CKWAL MIX 2017019 CKWAL MIX 2017009 CKWAL MIX 2016009 Sometimes I feel like we leave ourselves on the page with these mixes. So in a sense, if you are reading this, you're too late. Another way of thinking is that these parts of us will never die. It's annoying at first to see yourself online like a mirror and think it was stolen, but we are more similar to each other than we know in a lot of ways. Update// Dedicated to: Mike Potesta

CKWAL MIX 2017020

Date 2017-11-25 00:09:54

I'm like a reader of this blog now because this mix will not load in Native Instrument's Traktor completely and it will not back up much at all. I know it was good and could play back some this morning, but of course it's frustrating to only hear track by track or while mixing it once. Probably worse to only see a MixList with iTunes previews. Sure it can wait, but can you? I'm giving a shoutout to Miss Monique because I bought three tracks from the end of her perfect Mix 74 and used them in a double overlay mashup to be a little unique. Also, a shoutout to Tiësto. I think it was one of his second hour mixes when I almost gave up listening to podcasts when I heard an updated version, surprisingly set-up of 'Wanna Be Down'. The song re-lit a spark in my head that had gone out. Later, I searched for both the elusive version and found the original I remember from growing up. Both DJs share these types of tracks. One in particular was left out of Alesia's tracklists and never responded about what track it is. Drives me crazy. Final shoutout to R3hab who made the first remake of Rihanna's song that saved the track I thought flopped when the original was first played in podcasts. So, here is this new 3X shoutout mix, picking up where we left off with Chevelle. Ouija Board - Chevelle U-RITE (Rynx Remix) - THEY. EXPLICIT Bitch Better Have My Money (R3hab Remix) - Rihanna EXPLICIT LYM - Curbi & Hasse de Moor Kiera - Tone Depth & Jerome Isma-Ae after beginning section mashes with all of... Dark Heart - Paul Thomas & White-Akre finishes blend from Kiera to... Throaty - Rick Pier O'Neil partial mash with... Terminal - Wheats Made For You (feat. Julie Thompson) [Radio Edit] - The Blizzard & Daniel van Sand Good Vibes Only - Mahalo Be Randy - Dom Dolla & Torren Foot Faster Than a Bullet - Tiësto & VASSY Silence (feat. Khalid) [Tiësto's Big Room Remix] - Marshmello I Wanna Be Down - Brandy Sorry for Myself - CADE Nintendo Blood -Julian Casablancas+The Voidz

J.Lauryn

Date 2017-11-16 00:43:05

I'm reviewing an encore to CKWAL MIX 2017019 I made early this morning. It's a bunch of older songs, so I have to let it grow for at least a day. In the meantime this album by J.Lauryn is really positive and is curing this rare mood I am in. I discovered her as a featured vocalist on a couple tracks I'd like to play. One was from the Spinnin' label, which consistently puts out singles I use in Mixes and enjoy listening to daily. You may recognize them as the big 'S' they put on almost every release. Update 5.19 Buy album at this link (no longer on soundcloud).

Top Male Feature Vocalists (Unofficial top 15 a.k.a. Top List 02)

Date 2017-11-26 21:52:17

I was trying to finish this list for November, but it probably won't happen ever. My new favorite feature vocalist is **Khalid**¹ who sounds like **Calvin Harris**² to me on his album. Actually I wanted to hear Calvin sing on his latest release, but instead he chose mega-stars or soon to be mega-stars. Khalid has some of his own tracks, but sounds consistently unique on these features. Since I started listening to this particular way of making music in this modern scene, I always pretty much liked Matt Koma³, though I haven't heard him lately. Also, Jonathan Mendelsohn⁴ needs to be on more tracks like 'Open My Eyes' by Tom Swoon. Requesting more clean dark and true tracks similar to 'Get Busy' from Matisse & Sadko with featured vocalist <u>Titus</u>⁵. Some others on the top list would be <u>Alex Aris</u>⁶, <u>A-sho</u>⁷, the singer from <u>Mako</u>⁸ (who should do features on others tunes), Jake Reese⁹ from 'Mad World', Giuseppe De Luca¹⁰, Sanjin¹¹ ✓, Alex Joseph¹² ✓, Gavin Beach ¹³ and Rumors¹⁴ ✓ from Heldens' 'Ghost Town'. Finally let's talk about the vocal on one of my favorite tracks: Marc Kinchen's 'Piece of Me' [Camelphat Remix]. The voice that was created unless I'm misreading something here. It says it's featuring **Becky Hill**, but the voice they **manipulated**¹⁵ sounds male and an amazing one at that. I have been fooled since I first heard it. Usually when they lower the voice it ends up sounding like my Mom doing a bad fake-out. Special thanks to Felix Cartal and Gareth Emery, the Procurers of Male vocalists, too. Gareth's Soundcloud link Felix's Soundcloud link Most links on this post go to a Soundcloud search for that vocalist which are mostly accurate to the singer listed. Most Soundcloud pages have other social links to visit on the right sidebar or under the track with the information. These default to a track search, so another way to find their own profile is to click 'people' and look for the orange star or most official looking page in the results. See the female top lists here.

Vegan Thanksgiving LinksList

Date 2017-11-19 22:13:16

I didn't realize that Thanksgiving was so soon. So if you are depending on my post for your plans, here are the selections and other ideas to get you started. Also, see the Halloween Party post for the Vegan liquor directory as used in the cranberry sauce and notes about sugar usage.

November 23rd is Thanksgiving Vegan Thanksgiving Links Many recipes greatist.com delish.com marthastewart.com eatingbirdfood.com From above; favorites and other finds from searching google: Sides and salads Roasted Brussel Sprouts Cauliflower Salad Traditional sides Boozy Cranberry Sauce Sweet Potato Shepards' Pie Stuffing(s) Direct link for the Stuffing Main Center Dishes Stuffed Seitan How to Cook the Tofurkey Glazed Lentil Loaf Meatless Loaf Individual Portion Dish Balsamic Tempeh Bowl List of other premade type roasts Turkey Substitutes Tofurkey Desserts Cherry pie Avocado Chocolate Ice Cream If you can find or make this stuff, but don't want to bake dessert: Pumpkin Pie Bars While preparing try listening to this playlist from thissongissick: Chill Playlist Vol. 35

12 Days of Christmas - First Day of Christmas

Date 2017-12-06 00:11:47

For lack of better findings, I'm settling on a theme for the next twelve days approximately. Using the lyrics of the popular Christmas song, I'll post some gift ideas, news article or at least one link pertaining to that gift of Christmas. If other stuff shows up in my search I'll do additional postings. "On the First day of Christmas my true love sent to me a Partridge in a Pear Tree." Holiday Pears and Wine Basket from Harry & David with birds on the pear box. Tibetan Silver Partridge Charm from MossyCabin on Amazon.com Pear Trees from Willis Orchards Blown-glass ornament of Partridge & Pear by Reed & Barton on Lenox.com Puzzle gift box on Zazzle by BeeHappyNow Sandals on cafepress.com by Kristine Kainer For a different 12 Days of Christmas you can watch 'Shrek the Halls' on DVD. Order it here from Amazon.com for various prices starting at 5\$ Good version of this traditional song by The Bird and the Bee on Soundcloud. I found this version by searching and the only one that showed up was on June Mendoza's page.

Dog Treats (Animal Product Free)

Date 2017-12-03 21:56:15

Oh this is funny. Well not really. I was trying to find a bone shaped cookie cutter to make treats for the animal shelter I am <u>volunteering at</u> and researching recipes, (there are two dogs there looking for a home who would make a good companions ((Evelyn and Hudson)) and Khalid's <u>new tour</u> would approve!), when suddenly holiday Vegan Dog Treats appeared at Target. They don't say they are Vegan verified, because when have you heard of these ground-breaking, modern Dogs? Although a little suspicious, I was glad because I didn't want to figure out how I was going to cook dog treats in the park and figure out how to dry them enough to get the moisture ratio right. Here is the <u>link</u> for these Santa Snacks - Kringle's Cookies by Blue Buffalo - Order online or try browsing the pet section at your local Target store. I am not sponsored by anyone I mention on this site by the way, although TD Bank extends me an unassociated line of credit on their Red Card which will get you another 5% off everything. Say a less guilty 'Merry Christmas' to your Dog from us.

Fourth Day of Christmas

Date 2017-12-08 18:27:47

#4callingbirds Today my creativity is struggling. So, I typed the lyric into google for instagram and found these tattoo designs. Then I typed the hash tag into instagram and picked a few more on this theme with the hash tag representing. @eshakespeare's 4 angry calling birds @_sarah_matthews' 4 gold (also looking angry) calling birds @betsy_siber's 4 possibly mischievous calling birds @dancing_gypsy's sketch of 4 'in awe' calling birds @awakeningteencamps' 4 penguins waiting in line for a pay phone @oracleofstars' abstract gossipy birds @alexjohnlucas' 4 cute birds at a 'C' phone and finally these girls @agriecs' "Santa's chixxx"

Hanukkah Cookies (Vegan)

Date 2017-12-03 01:14:29

I may get to do one MixList within the next two weeks. Until then I'll post other festive findings. As planned I managed to scour deep in the online search for a great start to Vegan desserts that are leaning toward Jewish tradition. **Dec. 12th to the 20th is Hanukkah** Lauren Conrad's 2016 blog post on Vegan Paleo Hanukkah Cookies found via Pinterest. Philly.com's Vegan Holiday Cookie Recipes has Rugelach (a Jewish pastry of Ashkenazic origin) towards the bottom. Greyt Vegan Life's Wordpress A post with pictures from 2010 including a story. Mouthwatering star cookies, by the looks of them, with 'hard-to-find' replacement ingredients. Order them online if you have time or see one of the posts above for other substitution ideas.

Second Day of Christmas

Date 2017-12-06 23:51:42

"On the Second day of Christmas my true love sent to me Two Turtle Doves." From livingwithbirds.com '21 Facts on Turtle Doves', "The turtle dove's song is a gentle, soporific purring, usually delivered from cover; where the birds are present it can be heard all summer." Going with our theme, I present you with two songs new to me this year. I heard this bluesy track on the radio today. "Merry Christmas Baby" by Hunter Hayes. ...and a single-off-the-new Christmas release from Gwen Stefani. You may know her from No Doubt. One of the tracks from this album is in the Christmas mix I plan to make near the twenty-fifth. What's great about this album so far are the classic tunes combined with the most unique voice of Gwen, like how the Turtle Dove is endangered in the U.K ...:/(read about it).

Third Day of Christmas

Date 2017-12-08 00:32:05

"On the Third day of Christmas my true love sent to me Three French Hens." The Vegan Boulangerie The best of traditional French baking...egg and dairy-free get it on Amazon.com This mix starts a little bit like Sirius radio or a playlist though it isn't completely unmixed. I made some other mixes, but they couldn't be reviewed. I ordered a small recorder to back up Mix 020 and I am out of new music for another week, so there will be somewhat of a delay until the next official main mix. This one below is, I guess, a cooking mix to listen to if you buy or receive this cookbook for the 'Third Day of Christmas' from your true love. It is definitely not perfect, but my iPad does not produce perfect mixes anymore. CKWAL MIX UNP10 Wednesday 6th December 2017, 21:29 51:51 Silence (Naderi Remix) - THEY. EXPLICIT If Love Is the Law - Noel Gallagher's High Flying Birds No Te Olvides - Prince Royce Nod Ya Head (The Remix) - Will Smith This Is Not About Us - Banks Too Soon (feat. Maty Noyes) [Snareskin Remix] - Vanic Get What You Give - Felix Cartal Bones of Man (Gareth Emery Remix) - Equador Change - Dino Maggiorana Loco (feat. Reverie) - NERVO & Danny Avila Nobody Else - Retrovision & Raven & Kreyn Acido - Seedy Jazz Elements - Dino Maggiorana

Today's Findings

Date 2017-12-04 16:55:02

These were yesterdays '<u>Day In Pictures'</u> from The Denver Post. Some disturbing and some festive. <u>Vegan Hanukkah Party</u> in Queens, NY (December 20th) Gift ideas from the <u>PeTA catalog</u>. Vegetarian Hanukkah Party in Vermont at <u>ZENBARN</u>. <u>Tickets</u> (December 16th)

Eighth Day of Christmas

Date 2017-12-18 16:13:59

Eight Maids a-Milking. On today's line I am having a dairy-free party. Therefore I am only making a shopping list for the items I have tried before and can vouch for their flavors. Of course these are dairy-free alternatives. Playing live first at the 'Let's Imagine' Eighth Day snack and music celebration is Maid Kyoko - . Meanwhile hors d'oeuvres are served. Guests talk about new releases and latest vegan food discoveries. Later a band from Denmark, Pretty Maids - . Other diversions will be playing 'Barnyard' for Wii on an 88" Samsung 4K QLED, Mario Kart 8 Deluxe for Nintendo Switch and sharing/making recipes in the dance music kitchen with vegan DJ, Rebekah - .

I discovered Rebekah from this <u>list of vegan DJs</u>.

So Delicious (Yogurts, Ice Creams and Milks) - Try dipping Boulder Canyon's Jalapeno Avocado Oil Chips in the yogurt. Many of these chips say vegan on them and these were at one point strict vegan, but always recheck when you are buying products that you assume have stayed the same. Daiya (Caesar Salad Dressing) - Great with arugula or try grilled broccoli rabe, a side from a restaurant I served at some time ago (Oliverii Family restaurants, Chicagoland). Daiya also makes frozen pizzas, mac & cheese and more. ***Silk (Almond Coconut Blend) - Substitute in cookies or great for cereal, if the party is still going the next morning. Lyrics for this song are found at Wikipedia's website. Other good lyrics sites are Genius, MetroLyrics and AZLyrics. Disclaimer: A lyric website cannot ever be completely accurate. Even published lyrics directly from the publishing company may be just one hearable version. ***Update 7.3.18 Pareve Dairy (Shared machinery)

Fifth Day of Christmas

Date 2017-12-11 18:32:39

Five Gold Rings. Most of the mixes on ckwal.net contain a serious element of bond between the songs other than being mixed together. This is powerful music. If you are weak as a listener, the mix will make you a better overall person. As the adage says, "What doesn't kill you makes you stronger." Some include a jewel or mention of diamond/diamond ring which is a symbol of unbreakable power and a life expectancy beyond our human bodies. This should be intimidating as their beauty is deceiving. Like a bodybuilder or an expensive car, the maintenance and dedication is a commitment that some people underestimate. From reading the Red Queen, we learned about classes of people which can carry over to today's society in shapes and forms of colors or metals in their symbols. The three most notable being Gold, Platinum and Silver. Of the symbolic or meaningful colors in this context of silent communication we speak of are mostly red, green or blue. Another popular one for youth, which also last into old age are birthstones or pearls. They may refer to a favorite month you enjoy, your partner's birth month, or an important date when a couple first met or got married. In these mixes as someone who commits long periods of time combining songs and working for the perfect union of songs and emotions with people or ideas in mind, I sometimes will commit a person in time or group of people to these mixes. Music does this to us and it evolves over time. Sometimes it stays in it's preserved form forever and listening back I remember the person as the music reflected to me as if captured in a portrait hanging in a museum. I guess this concept grows further with concerts, big events and groups of people with disc jockeys overtime. They grow together and individually while 'orbiting' the earth picking up new followers and losing others along the way. DJs add experience and repertoire as well as collaborate with new musicians. Some branch out of styles for complete albums and may return to their roots like Tiësto. I was going to list all the diamond songs and possibly review their dedications, but there are more than five to review that can pertain to this line of our theme, "Five Gold Rings". In addition to counting down the twelve day of Christmas, this also tells about what is on my mind in choosing the Year-line mix bond song or songs that accompany our sort of virtual host, Will Smith, to carry us into 2018 with Will 2K (Willenium). Yea this was for the year 2000 when we thought every computer was going to shut down due to bad date programming or a bug everyone overlooked. Now we look at so many LCDs with gelatin in them and cringe and may be a vegan hacker will get pissed and crash us all in 2020, but lets focus on next year. As I am in Nebraska I think about Adam Duritz and his song 'Long December'. This entire year has been challenging, trying to find a new home and a career while keeping an increasingly strict vegan diet and lifestyle while living from one homeless shelter to the next. I wouldn't have made it without support from the music and the people and places it led me to join. It may seem like a lot of talking or explaining to do and may be I reveal too many secrets on this webpage, but as I was an international teacher for quite some time after touring the States alongside Dave Matthews Band post graduation from Berklee College of Music, I sometimes sense an obligation to at least inform would-be stumblers online or 'out there'. Many people go along thinking everyone lives and understands the same knowledge, but the world isn't very small after all, unlike a Disney song lyrics say. Although it does feel small Anyways, I thought I'd recap as this Christmas countdown is almost half over and sometimes. we'll all probably be a little busy thinking of how to make next year proportionally better across many measurable and immeasurable ways. So, let's just recap the mixes with some mention of gold in the title or lyrics, the obivous audible extended hardrock ring like the entire album of

Chevelle we recently listed and one interpretation of Drake's song, "10 Bands". I'll save any details on these mixes for another time and add the mix I mentioned yesterday instead following these links. Gold - Marina & the Diamonds from 16012 Anymore - Goldfrapp from 17008 Midas Touch – Ellie Goulding & Burns from 17008 Part II Gold - Michael Woods from 17008 Part III No Way Out (feat. GoldLink) – Xavier Omär from 17010 10 Bands - Drake from <u>UNP01</u> Souq - Thomas Gold & Uberdrop <u>from UNP05</u> Golden Hearts (feat. Alice Berg) [Dannic Edit] – BYNON & Domeno from 17014 Golden Hearts (feat. Alice Berg & Dannic) [Alice Berg Cover] – BYNON & Domeno from Dedicated Mix #2 Egyptian Lover (Latmun Remix) - The Golden Boy from 012 AV Part II Halloween '17 Edit The Damned & Under the Knife - Chevelle from 1719 Encore Ouija Board - Chevelle from 17020 Use this page for the first and last tracks of every mix, plus links for all mixes in one place. Monday 11th December 2017, 7:47 42:06 Bones of Man (Gareth Emery Remix) - Equador On the Floor - Dino Maggiorana overlap about 1:33 with... Serifos - Provenzano Loco (feat. Reverie) - NERVO & Danny Avila Acido - Seedy Jazz last min. or so gradually increase tempo to 150... Nova Machine - MUST DIE! transition with flange after sync up, partial overlap and tempo change to 80... Attic - Sirenz Chromatek - Bassnectar & G Jones Iced Out - BURNS Worriers - Tontario Ink (Live At Le Casino De Paris, Paris) - Coldplay This post is dedicated to Marco and Praiya of Thailand. Can't wait to see you guys again.

Seventh Day of Christmas

Date 2017-12-17 15:25:58

Seven Swans a-Swimming. My true love gave to me, or you gave to each other. How about seven months at one of these gyms. Many locations have swimming pools. <u>Club Sport Crunch Fitness Equinox LA Fitness LIFETIME Onelife Fitness XSport Fitness</u>

Sixth Day of Christmas

Date 2017-12-14 23:17:26

6 Geese a-laying. I don't really like real geese. They are all right from a distance. I have been ran at, hissed at and hurt because of geese. What are the alternatives? From Urban Dictionary Grey Goose Vodka 'Some Marijuana' Those might work for some around the holidays going west or out to Massachusetts. So what is the next best gift for this line of the popular Christmastime carol? Let's make a new slang for Vegan cheese... These 25 from onegreenplanet dot org say will satisfy. Here is my favorite. Daiya's cheddar block. They also make you feel pretty healthy, so you won't be lying around and neither will your 'geese plates' for long.

Update

2017-12-10 21:32:01

The 'Five Golden Rings' post needs further editing and time to simmer as it is also going to be somewhat of a year recap and philosophy blog post. So, check out this page and click on calendar to buy tickets for the 2018 Winter Olympic Games in Pyeongchang. Also, I was able to get three more tracks to see if I can use some of the previously listed ones to work an official 2017021 or alternate version to accompany the swans swimming or ladies dancing. I don't think there will be a favorites mix as there were already a lot old favorites and flashbacks/redos/dedication remakes. There might be a Christmas themed mix with one or two holiday songs with the rest being newer or previously never-played releases. This mix may have a couple parts and then if everything goes well there will be a third successful year-line mix which bridges the two years together. If not successful at the midnight time going into 2018 in Central time of the US, then I will reattempt several times and whatever dateline it lands on for 2017-2018 will get the dedication to the corresponding countries lying there. Possibly I'll even plan to go there in 2018.

Date

Ckwal's Christmas Mix aka Leftovers

Date 2017-12-21 23:23:15

I'm doing this mix a little differently. Actually mixing it right now and if it's successful, I'll type the time stamp and post. I call it a 'leftovers mix' because it has a few songs I was keeping around that never really fit into a main or were of an album I already played from at least one track. I bought two new songs to spice it up and it's done. Thursday 21st December 2017, 17:22 37:43 Another's Arms (Live At the Beacon Theatre, New York) - Coldplay Skrt On Me (feat. Nicki Minaj) - Calvin Harris **EXPLICIT** Gettin' Jiggy Wit It - Will Smith Fight for Us (Prins Thomas Diskomiks) - Sepalcure Trust Me (feat. Soul) [Cid Remix] - Adrian Lux & Savage Skulls Destinations - Alesso Dust Clears (feat. Noonie Bao) - Clean Bandit The Spark (feat. Spree Wilson) - Afrojack White Christmas - Gwen Stefani

Eleventh Day of Christmas

Date 2017-12-21 19:00:08

11 Pipers Piping. <u>Here is a list</u> of upcoming events in Scotland, mostly with bagpipes. The <u>Red Hot Chilli Pipers</u> are also touring in the US in January and March. It looks like they have three simultaneous pipers in the group.

New Year's Mix Talk

Date 2017-12-29 22:02:15

I have bought most the tracks for the third annual year bridge today. I won't have much practice or planning and it isn't the easiest combo, but it's sort of futuristic. You know if you were a regular reader, I check two music feeds almost every day - thissongissick.com and nesthq.com. A lot of times they are like my mirror. Do you ever feel that way with your favorite sites? It seems impossible and when it is something way off you think about whose mirror it was that day. Sometimes I see someone else. Sometimes it's easier to be someone else. The biggest plus about being a DJ, mixer or even producer as I was as SKMillion is that you always know what you are doing next. Less as a producer because you can disappear off the map and no one else is there. If you get lost, start following feeds and mixing music, I swear you will find your way. I can't promise that I will be able to average five mixes a month this next year or even two, but I will finish this 2017-2018. If you are just starting off, try one a month like Avicii or something, but don't stop practicing. Be prepared for major changes in your life and try to hold on to anything when the music takes over. I'm not being symbolic, I'm dead serious. I'd like to celebrate and go out like I used to, but keeping the stuff alive I have talked about on the blog has taken everything and everyone away from me. I regret more from before than I ever have, but I don't regret this journey. Thanks to all the musicians, DJs and artists at every level; those I know and those I may never know - because it can never all fall apart. Ckwal

Ninth Day of Christmas

Date 2017-12-19 23:40:09

9 Ladies Dancing. Only about six days left until Christmas depending on where you live and only three more days in our countdown. There are a lot of possibilities for this line, but no one is going to send you nine ladies dancing or give them to you (unless it is a strip club party or something). In that case your true love must be a wing-man who has given up on trying to get you in a relationship. Choose Las Vegas or Amsterdam. Skyscanner is a great app and website for searching plane tickets. The reason is because you don't need a destination, only a budget. So, that is what I am sharing for this theme day which was my favorite website and app for looking for plane tickets. Special thanks to another friend of mine from Wales who referred this app to me in 2013 when I was living and teaching in Thailand. In other updates: We have a total of fifty-seven mixes thus far in 2017. This counts UNP (unpublished) Series Mixes and SKM Mixes that were revealed this year as well as re-dos and encores or several parts (So a four part mix would count as four mixes). I plan one more mix closer to Christmas possibly and then of course still hoping to complete the New Year Bridge Mix successfully. Thanks for those who stuck with us all year through this nearly impossible feat; full of sacrifices and hardship.

Tenth Day of Christmas

Date 2017-12-20 17:11:25

10 Lords a-Leaping. Like I said in an earlier post, I don't drink anymore. However, I would be a fool not to have <u>some of these in the fridge</u> for the company on the day after the party of the eighth day and ninth day get-away. Somehow you woke up in New York City and your true love left you with some <u>tickets to The Nutcracker</u> in your inner coat pocket. If you don't see any lords leaping in that, possibly it's because your Carol Scavenger Hunt competition stayed in Vegas and showed up to <u>Cirque Du Soleil's Mystère</u>. I guess tomorrow you'd have to go back and see if they were right. What time is the show on your tickets? Was your flight on time? What casino did you just run into? Pretty soon you'll be leaping over the tables trying to get to the show and someone is checking their list off for Christmas as they snap you into instagram.

Twelfth Day of Christmas

Date 2017-12-22 13:00:41

Twelve Drummers Drumming. Our final day in the countdown. This will leave you a couple of days to get all your gifts together if you are buying or arranging all this stuff for a twelve day post-Christmas trip over New Years. If that is the case make sure you check out this blog on the Hottest New Year's Parties of 2017-2018. The Ckwal LP iTunes release will most likely be postponed until next year or popular demand. So today all I have to say is, "Drumroll please...!"

Vegan update

Date 2017-12-27 00:36:31

My new hobby is contacting food and other products' businesses and trying to get to the bottom of their animal usage. First lesson learned is that there are a lot of websites that say there are animal procucts in all batteries for instance or these candies are approved for your eating in another example. This is too bad because even when contacting businesses, the person on the other end might not know the answer and if they are kind-hearted enough may do some disapponting research for the both of us. If they are trained to answer like a machine and only care about their job or have no other choice, they may be concealing information or not answering your questions. We are about to go into 2018 and even grade school children can see through a typical lie. So, why is it still going on? Does sugar really have to be filtered through animal remains? Why would you pride yourself on a product and not know how the main ingredient is made. Obviously we arrive at veganism=trust at some point. Possibly I'm too strict, but I've seen habitual benders who end up not following any rule or principle and can't figure out why they can't be saved. This life isn't for me a lot of the time, but I feel like I'm fighting for a 'pay it forward' type battle that as easy as it is to make beautiful and tasty products that 'don't kill', on a budget, major companies like Hershey recently have decided to make me not important enough to answer my question with a definite answer. Glad/Clorox has given me a time-sensitive run-around. So far what could be good news is that Duracell 'cans' as they call them no longer use gelatin. The batteries themselves may not do animal testing, but I'm not sure about all their products because by-law (which I think is a bad law) some products require animal testing. Since they cannot volunteer to do the testing, then it is unfair. There are plenty of starving, poor, jobless or underpaid humans that would rather be tested on. We sign a waiver and our right away for the littlest of things everyday. I'll test a chemical. Why-not? Rats are cuter. Who else? Dynex batteries are OK on some level and the HP monitors in this library do not have animal fat in them. I would email every company before you buy a product in question, especially monitors to make sure you aren't watching 'Burn Notice' through pigs' byproducts. Also, to see if they care about your business (even if you aren't vegan). Best Buy may be a cool store with great workers, that doesn't mean the products' companies are true to that. Other good news so far, is that Bubba's bagels seem to be safe to eat except the honey wheat. Honey is an arguable one for some people. It talks about milk and honey in the bible. Did the bees make it for us? I heard one stat that said when there are no more bees there will be no more life on earth soon or something like that. So just to recap. My biggest sacrifice today is going to be Twizzlers. Nothing confirmed of bone-char, but a response that makes them inedible to me. If there are updates in this new hobby of mine, that raises more questions then answers, I'll post them. Any company out there reading, please don't send a hitman. This is the future of eating and making things. Anyone getting comfortable doing things the same way without adapting to major revolutionary ideas like these being adopted by someone like me, will have huge wake up calls since mine started. The generations younger seem ahead of me even. Jesus knows and so will others. This is the closest thing I have to X-files. We can call them the C-Files for copyright concerns. To stay vegan I made bread and sugar cookies outside in the fresh snow on Christmas. Update 1.3.18 No confirmation of bone-char sugar or source for Twizzler candies. A different representative says Nibs (5oz) and the Pull-N-Peel (Cherry 15.4oz) are Vegan and 'some Twizzler varieties'. Of course they are not at the moment vegan verified, but it is being passed on. There is a costlier sugar-free option. Also, an increasingly important thing to me is the NON GMO project label.

Genetic modifications seems wrong and I'm reading now it is against veganism. Just because you see this NON GMO doesn't mean it's vegan however. Not every food is verified with labels, so many consumers are gambling with their assumptions.

2017-2018 New Year Bridge Mix Update

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I'm still reviewing these candidate mixes C1 C2 C3. The transition I said was questionable wasn't noticeable when I played the first part back. I went back one more time and checked it out and heard what I was talking about, but the main thing was I was so close to the New Year on the west coast before the whole thing started going offshore, that I had to start and decide on the the bridge song without much warning. I am at the ending of Candidate #2 and I really like flow of the whole mix with Calvin Harris' tracks interspersed with S.P.Y. and 'Cold Hearted' at the end. The third mix, I barely noticed at first, omitted Calvin. Reason for the delay: The other day I was roughing it in the cold to try and upload the files so I could review after converting because my iPad cannot reload the mixes after I mix them anymore. My hands were freezing pretty bad, but the iPad screen went sideways, distorted and then the battery sign went on before blanking out. I had plenty of battery, by the way. I thought that was the end of Ckwal for awhile. Luckily the iPad is okay it was just too cold. Overall I'm thinking all three mixes are of publishable quality and there is no way I can decide, especially after what I said about going there... Even with mostly the same tunes, though, they are pretty different. If you have a vote, send it over the traditional way by email to social@ckwal.net. Alternatively try to ethersphere me. Artist quicklinks below. Go West Will Smith © Cedric "K-Ci" Hailey © J.Lauryn © Jordan Feliz © Seven Lions [™] Kill the Noise [™] Max Vangeli [™] Tiësto [™] Z.Tao [™] Anjulie [™] No Mana [™] Feed Me [□] Calvin Harris [□] Travis Scott [□] A-Trak [□] Swanky Tunes [□] Jessie Reyez [□] Going Deeper Madison Mars S.P.Y. ■

Ckwal New Year Candidate #1

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Right now I have only one mix, but it's still 2017 in the US. I tried to do another one a couple hours after, but it wasn't happening. A typical process (for when there are several 'tough to choose' from mixes) with notes made during mix. Post mix notes added between double dashes. Candidate #1 UTC +8 Woke up early and checked the times for the New Year around the world after some breakfast and walking in the cold. Found out it was approaching 2018 in China and did this mix starting at 9:17 am or 11:17pm. I really felt the ball drop and the people celebrating. Meanwhile it's early in the grocery store... I've attempted to make it to China several times and have had an offer and some interviews, but it never really panned out for timing or other reason. Once I went to the Chinese consulate and a woman became possessed in Chicago. She was nice before lunch and soon after completing the requirements I was denied a visa and had to forfeit a non refundable plane ticket. Anyways, this mix really gave me a buzz watching all the times and trying to line it up while blending everything. Will Smith's song started at exactly 12:00. Ironically Chinese New Year isn't even celebrated traditionally in the same month, but as far as all the countries on this timeline and the standard years go, it's 2018. If my spirit of the mix wasn't actually traded to make this, maybe I'll end up there as I was jokingly talking about in an earlier post, but China isn't as easy to get into as people once thought (at least legally for a teacher). Happy New Year you everyone in these zones (I love you Taiwan) and I expect to make it over there somewhere at some point in the future to do some living or visiting someplace other than Hong Kong! -positives: timing is unbeatable and placement of every song is really ideal for theme and transitional vibes -negatives: 13-15 (14min:10sec-14:23-25) seconds of transition after Cold Hearted is a little dissonant (in tempo and didn't notice on first review without notes) -could go either way: dark and generous warm-up period Sunday 31st December 2017 10:13am (Central Time USA) Monday 1st January 2018 12:13am (China-Beijing, Shanghai, Macau, Taiwan, Hong Kong, Singapore, Philippines, Malaysia, Indonesia-Bali, Mongolia, Brunei Darussalam, Russia-Irkutsk, Bratsk, Ulan-Ude; Australia-Perth, more ... reference) 57:08 (start times from clock listed before track with the New Year countdown from the countries above in parenthesis) 9:17am (11:17pm) Always Come Back 2 U - J.Lauryn Game Changer - Max Vangeli Cold Hearted - Seven Lions & Kill the Noise Cold Wave - S.P.Y. tempo up to Witness - Jordan Feliz down to Prayers Up (feat. Travis Scott & A-Trak) - Calvin Harris **EXPLICIT** - -bass up gradually to treble down, verb going nextward overlap- - up to Shadow Play - S.P.Y. sync down to 64 9:47 (11:47) Crazy Maybe (feat. Anjulie) [No Mana Remix] -Feed Me & Kill the Noise - - use delay with transition (min-max // left, bottom to right, top)- -9:51 Time - Swanky Tunes & Going Deeper no sync 9:54 to 9:56ish (11:54 to 11:56) Magneto -Madison Mars up to 9:57 (11:57) Time (Tiësto's Big Room Mix) - Z.Tao sync down to 10:00 (Midnight) Will 2K - Will Smith - -use delay and reverb with cities at end going to...- - down to 10:04 (12:04) The King of Wishful Thinking - Go West 10:08am (12:08am) Keep on Searching - S.P.Y. This mix is dedicated to Anna (last name unknown)

Ckwal New Year Candidate #2

Date 2018-01-01 14:49:05

Candidate #2 UTC Mixed this in a different grocery store later in the day as many customers were buying party supplies or hanging out, grabbing a quick snack and planning. Like some mixes I am really out of body on this one with the scene and didn't review it for a listener perspective. I will update in a separate post on Tuesday night. Sunday 31st December 2017, 18:50 (CST US) Monday 1st January 2018, 12:50am (UK, Portugal, Ireland, Iceland, Canary Isl., Morocco, Cote d'Ivoire, Sierra Leone, Saint Helena, Western Sahara, Sao Tome and Principe, Senegal, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Gambia, Ghana, Liberia, Mali, Mauritania, more ... reference link 1, 2) 59:40 5:50pm (central time) 11:50pm (UTC) Witness - Jordan Feliz Tempo down, filter out lows and delay 5:54 Keep On Searching - S.P.Y. down to 58.9 with verb and filter 5:59 // 11:59pm, 2017 Will 2K - Will Smith **Tempo up**, tweak EQ (mids up more, lows up, then highs slighty) Time - Swanky **no sync** start early (25s left), gater with 6s, **same tempo** 6:07 // 12:07am, 2018 Crazy Maybe (feat. Anjulie) [No Mana Remix] - Feed Me & Kill the Noise sync 6:11 Game Changer - Max Vangeli no sync tempo up Time (Tiësto Big Room Mix) - Z.Tao tempo down, gater effect 6:19 Magneto - Madison Mars sync start next with 23-25s left, unsync at verse Always Come Back 2U - J.Lauryn tempo down (crank bass and volume) The King of Wishful Thinking - Go West **slow down early**, add heavy verb and fade in 6:31 Hard to Love (feat. Jessie Reyez) - Calvin Harris fade out early with high filter by forty something seconds left, tempo +1 6:34 Cold Hearted - Seven Lions & Kill the Noise tempo down to 43.7*, add delay and fade in Shadow Play - S.P.Y. no sync play on HP filter on intro to Prayers Up (feat. Travis Scott & A-Trak) - Calvin Harris sync start with 24s left and keep tempo same at 86bpm Cold Wave - S.P.Y. *Note: On the transition to Shadow Play. Some sites like Beatport show the tempo at 175. In Traktor it registers at 87.5. I am bringing it down to the closest half of that.

Ckwal New Year Candidate #3

Date 2018-01-01 15:01:45

Candidate #3 UTC -8 After a long day of crowds, mixing, shopping for snacks and eating, I crashed and woke up in time to make this final year bridge mix. I was sleeping during the New Year in my time zone at the center in Nebraska. -Positives: starts locking in after J.Lauryn's voice messages, super high energy -Negatives: sleepy startup with questionable transition to second track -Could go either way: shorter mix time (will update after further review) Monday 1st January 2018, 2:10am (CST) Monday 1st Jauary 2018, 12:10am (USA- Los Angeles, San Francisco, San Diego, Seattle, San Jose, Las Vegas, Portland-OR; Canada- Vancouver, Whitehorse; Mexico-Tijuana, Mexicali; U.K. - Pitcairn)((see reference sources on previous post)) 43:51 CST 1:26am // West Coast 11:26pm The King of Wishful Thinking - Go West sync tempo up (starts at 113.x, raise tempo slowly throughout first 1 and a half minute) 1:30 Will 2K - Will Smith tempo up to 1:34 Always Come Back 2 U - J. Lauryn tempo down to 1:39 Witness - Jordan Feliz filter up with delay, fader center, tempo down 1:43 Cold Hearted - Seven Lions & Kill the Noise quick HP filter at the end, tempo down to 64 (1/2 of next bpm) 1:47 Game Changer - Max Vangeli no sync with :19s left tempo up Time (Tiësto Big Room Mix) -Z.Tao sync: 19s left fader center, keep tempo at 130bpm 1:55 Crazy Maybe (feat. Anjulie) [No Mana Remix] - Feed Me & Kill the Noise tempo down to 1:59 // 11:59pm West Coast Time -Swanky Tunes & Going Deeper tempo up at last 1:00min. and blend a bit at end with gater 2:02 // 12:02am, 2018 Magneto - Madison Mars tempo down with verb, lows up and highs down to... 2:05 // 12:05am Cold Wave - S.P.Y.

Year Bridge Mix Update #2

Date 2018-01-03 16:42:35

Additional Candidate Notes: Sometimes I listen for disqualifiers or things I can't live with hearing. Examples: bad transitions, major imperfections or skips/mistakes, overall theme feeling is imbalanced or leaves you wrongly. C3 - First transition is off beat although it sounds fine with a decent fade. Also, the overall beginning feel is too reflective or review-like. This is what a year mix does instead of a bridge mix. Transition from Time to Magneto is muddy. Normally I would disqualify it with one off-transition, so the first two notes here would have been fine because there are some transitions that are unbeatable. If this were a regular series mix it would barely go to the UNP (unpublishable) series because there are no mistakes if you want to call it that. Early decision for the day: Although I really like this 'short but sweet', year-mix type feel, gradually crescendoing to an exciting new year possibility and ending with a dark jungle feel; Candidate #3 is, as Trump would say, "Fired". More updates are possible later in the day or by Friday. Update on the post about veganism and Twizzler products.

2017-2018 New Year Bridge Mix

Date 2018-01-05 00:05:54

The third annual New Year Bridge Mix decision. I usually mix one and there is nothing to review. I don't remember practicing before the other ones. I actually did one practice mix without recording before the 31st and it was nearly perfect. One exception was, I think, the same song transition that was muddy in #3. The funny thing about that is in Traktor the application recommends tracks in order of what the computer thinks is a good match based on key, tempo and other programmed things. I take this with a grain of salt and usually know the tunes well enough to ignore this or think the machine and I are thinking alike. This recommendation was at the top of the list and it was dead wrong. I didn't write down my notes however and since a lot of the tracks have similar start letters and other ways I would remember that combination by, I forgot. The point of this story is that two awesome mixes are out because of what I would call 'machine-error' or lack of preparation which doesn't apply in this case. I would say don't ever think machines are going to replace all of us. DJs, drivers, cashiers, tellers, etc. We get into the habit of using them for convenience, comfort factor or other reason. Possibly 2018 is the come back for the human. We are trained by the machine often, but more often someone wrote that programming or has to fix it somehow. I listened to Candidate #2 a lot and it's really unique. Some of the overlaps and bridge emotions make it my ideal winner. Possibly I want to justify the other mixes existence by not choosing #1. This used to happen in my classes too when I taught English overseas. Some kids are just too good and even if you and their parents helped make them so smart, you think it is unfair and want another student to win sometimes. Well I can't deny the winner is Candidate #1 (UTC+8 Bridge). The biggest reasons are how it already took off on it's own, mix experience vs. listener experience, song setup/placement and of course transitions. Happy New Year 2018. Instagram quicklinks from this mix.

Intro to 2018

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About the MixList maker: Some time ago I changed my artist name from SKMillion to Ckwal. I was no longer the same person. I quit being who I was before. With Ckwal I change everyday and drastically with every mix at times. Now I feel like myself and myself as Ckwal need a forced break to find out what's next. Soon skmillion.com will no longer exist as I am letting go of the domain. I was updating promodj.com/ckwal, but their customer service is too slow and apparently there was spam in the blog. There was a comment every now and then, but nothing I noticed recently, so I question what is really going on over there. As far as my person or self as a human, if you know me in real-life, I have no other social networks. I had self-produced videos online as SKMillion on a couple of sites and photos on several sites, but they no longer exist. If there are other representations of me or previous artists, social profiles or public work profiles, they are not authentic (as of January 7th, 2018). I have or had one other mixer profile which is not being used. Previously (and still recently) if you searched for Ckwal you may have found only middle-eastern results. They are also not me. On spiritual concerns/soul: The spirit God gives us, which changes, comes from God. Evil spirits and lost spirits move through sometimes. One of these formerly mentioned, is part of what is being saved in a mix (other than mind-state or memories and physical state or curability). Some of those are a part of me in the ways they can be, before being changed, taken away or leaving your body, forever. The church knows something about this, but no one can know everything for sure. God gave us a bible written by humans under the direction of what I believe are such spirits. It may guide us or tell us indirectly through the Holy Spirit, but mostly it is not a 'how-to' book. The New Testament was written by mostly followers of the real Jesus. He lives with us and saves us from destruction from the worst of these evil spirits, either of which could inspire a mix or be put into a mix, but they are not us. I believe as an experienced multitude of spirits he can make something good out of almost any situation or being. I even believe God works with all the religions of the world to create a diversity of culture with similar threads of belief that connect us to each other. If you are struggling with past mistakes or troubles that cannot be pinned down, I recommend seeking forgiveness from those involved and yourself by asking God/Jesus. What I do recently is to also research other religions and use their best methods to reach forgiveness or enlightenment with those who don't believe in Christian ways. Ideas like Karma are shared in rules of most every belief. Sometimes I feel like I am being guided to harness this energy and use it in a positive way; some call it an outlet. Sometimes I feel like everything of this nature is misunderstood, misrepresented and if we are headed for another world war, it is the worst kind (Spiritual War or Holy War). The reason is because a weak mind or body (someone we could also trust and know as a friend or strong person) might be used as a weapon against us or each other. This can happen with or without drugs, alcohol, food additives, hormones or other substances that modify our being. Before I called my faith simply that: Faith. I was not allowed to only say that following my trip to Iraq and Thailand of 2013... On the future of Ckwal and summary: I am not sure what is going to happen in 2018 and I cannot guarantee I will be able to take an extended break from this 'purpose', but I am pondering that my calling is changing somewhat. I cannot afford or am simply not willing to make the sacrifices for me and others to continue weekly mixes with the donations and resources that got me through 2017. So, I must find a way to support those myself in addition to food and necessities, if they will continue as such. I had an awesome time escaping which is sometimes a bleak reality for a homeless person, but I would really like to see better

results for me and others working this hard in life. I know we all have to pay our dues in the struggle to prove to ourselves how far we have come individually and in our society or environment. I will try to update as often as possible with my interests or development in this undetermined interim which may be only a few weeks up to a couple of months. Of course you can email with requests to review old mixes on a private, friendship basis or with contributions for specific entertainment related projects. I cannot claim full responsibility for our successes or failures as connected as are are or seem to be in a spiritual war or in the battle of life. I have tried to communicate the best I can, explain what my experiences are, reasons for certain choices and rectify the worst of what has happened in the last two years to me that could happen to anyone. I don't underestimate the importance and impact of mixing music of various styles, new and old, and look forward to great music in the future. I did my first talent show in the first grade singing David Lee Roth's 'Just like Paradise', wrote my first original song around late grade school, recorded my first album just after high school graduation and received my Degree in songwriting at Berklee College of Music. I have several self-produced albums, EPs and singles, quite a few remixes and now two years of mixes and other tips that I think will hold this bridge back and forth between musical worlds together for a long time. I haven't thanked nearly enough musicians and bands that have kept me going because that would be almost impossible. So what I am saying is, music will always be a part of my life. Final note: The Vegan battle possibly makes what I am going through that much more challenging and to show my commitment to these ideas and people that make an impact on me, no matter how little time I spend or have spent with them, I got my first tattoo at Bread N' Butter by Tattoo Artist Church Hill shortly after I posted the mix ending with Coldplay's live version of 'Ink'. It was designed with a font from Chequered Ink found on dafont.com. Ask a shop if they have vegan inks like World Famous. Update 3/22/19: Another ink stated on their website as vegan is Eternal. Aftercare products: Saniderm -

or SecondSkin -

About aftercare: 1 2 *Update 7.9.18 - After using Saniderm twice, it is a a good product especially for bigger tattoos away from the hands. However email customer service is a little slow; haven't tried to call them yet. Also, see this post for similar updates.

Birthday Wish

Date 2018-01-19 11:29:23

Happy Birthday to my cousin Sam. Before I left facebook, he was a big supporter of equality online which is part of Ckwal's name and original logo. I don't know how else to reach you; maybe you'll see this post!

Fuel III

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A few new hints or tricks I learned trying to cook in the winter. One is about those detachable propane tanks for portable grills. If they get too cold, they may stop flowing properly and your flame may not be healthy enough to cook bread properly or whatever you are trying to make before your hands freeze. If you have two of them you may be able to swap one out and warm it back up in your coat or whatever part of you is warm and cook until the same thing happens again and repeat. This is also the same for spray bottles of coconut oil. It is more finicky that the propane and you must spray what you need and return it to somewhere warm (under your arm or in an insulated pocket). I will update this post if I have to try it out in colder temperatures than 15-20 degrees, so with some hand warmers and quick, smart cooking, you can still make that 'down-to-the-penny-save-my-veganism-meal' (if it ever comes to that to save a cow, your life or whatever it may be). More advanced but costly tanks and grills are better prepared for the winter temps, but this is the budget Coleman stovetop with budget gas from Walmart or Target which makes it a lot easier than trying to balance your pan on a skinny Tower of Pisa.

Looking for a pet?

Date 2018-01-19 13:58:54

One other note for today. If you are passing through Kearney, Nebraska, there are two pets overdue for a good home I can vouch for personally. Bear is a bit intimidating as he is a big dog and needs space, but loves walks and trying to socialize. Also, he is as sweet or sweeter than a little pup. If you need a cat, Daisy is an intuitive and protective one. She likes towers and hanging out in high places. If you are creative with games you might be able to capture her attention, otherwise she can hang out all day and is great company. Ask the staff for more info or other recommendations depending on your lifestyle. They are at Kearney Animal Shelter west of the UNK campus and Buckle factory on the north side of the main road across (NW/kitty-corner) from Cenex.

Strict Vegan Survival Update

Date 2018-01-11 22:09:21

I went on an email spur one day because I couldn't listen to music for some reason and wanted to find some strict vegan and non-gmo foods/snacks. I was getting back a lot of bad news and started searching on how to make my own licorice. Well today I think I have received some acceptable information and have added some new foods to my list of 'probably fit all my requirements' to eat. In addition to most On The Border Chips (Organic blue & yellow) and Salsas (which say they are vegan and /or Non-gmo on the website), at the time of this post, but the package is not recyclable) and what I usually use are: the King Arthur flours. **Another disappointing thing is that most chip bags are not recyclable. If it says TerraCycle, do this research and start a collection. Robin Hood Flour Hudson Cream Flour Still waiting on a canned bean I can approve Ro*Tel Original Diced Tomatoes & Green Chilies or Hunt's Diced and Petite Diced Tomatoes Update- Conagras brands and Campbells other brands include meat products so I wouldn't continue eating/drinking them. **Many of these V8 fruit and vegetable blends are Non-GMO (says on new label) and vegan (although not vegan verified) and after getting a response it seems as though they are strict with production. I stopped consuming them while waiting for a response and I will probably drink these again after another response because I am reading this, "Citric acid occurs naturally in many fruits and vegetables such as oranges, lemons, limes, and tomatoes. We add it for tartness and to control the acidity of our products to ensure product safety. The citric acid we use is derived from either sugar or corn crops that may be grown from genetically modified seeds." So if you need one of these juices and see citric acid (like in Strawberry Banana Fusion), I wouldn't buy it until further updates. Dave's Killer Bagels (Cinnamon Raisin Remix, Plain Awesome & Epic Everything) - Non-GMO, Facility only shares with soy & labeled 'no animal products'. There are more on the way and when I finish my research and communications, I'll post updates. This is subject to change and if you find any different info out please email asap. As you may know, these two are important survival foods for when you have little funds left and need to last another day or two before payday. With a portable stove, some Morena sugar (or Florida Crystals) and salt or salt substitute, you can make bread and cookies. My most adaptable recipe for bread is 2:1 ration of flour and water and for sugar cookies 5:4:1 (sugar, flour, water or water/coconut oil mixture). Eat the cold refried beans out of the can for a filling, healthy snack. I have even tried using the can to fire stuff up in, but it is a little dangerous because the flame is typically bigger than the can, so make sure you have some metal tongs and gloves that are flame resistant. Why are GMOs bad? I have read that all GMOs regardless of whether they come from plants or animals require animal testing, but this has yet to be confirmed. My strict veganism avoids products made on shared equipment and many times facilities if it is listed because that means they aren't aware of the changes. With spiritual concerns like in the previous post, one thing we are avoiding are these bad moods or karma or fear/murder getting into the food and contaminating our generations with mental illnesses or phenomenon now fed by drugs to alter genetics or our brains, when the origin may be unknown. Just like hormones from animal products, genetic modification may alter your being. So it is a wildcard in food products, just like animal products and byproducts. Even if it was for a super-human strength, how would scientists know if it was safe when the end result may not be until two generations down the line and we have no way of tracing the source of these positive traits? A lot of this may be philosophical, but something I would rather avoid. So this for example, took Skittles out of my diet for some time now and why I became a vegan in the first

place. I was going to GNC which has so many ground-breaking technologies and cutting-edge modifications for your body. I was noticing changes however that were undesirable in my equilibrium and decided to do a detox. This led me to veganism and Christianity and now Non-GMO concerns as well as the other labels you may have noticed connected with beliefs too, like Pareve and Kosher. Have you ever wondered about the reasons for Halal? New and updated 'Avoid List' Quaker Cereals - also rejects responses for further communication after spieling. Twizzlers - seemed like I was getting honest responses from one representative and then a new responder changed the tone and information. Pop Chips - uses bone char in sugars. Note: Bone char usage to filter sugar is something that if the company doesn't know the source, cannot guarantee that it is vegetarian or vegan. Possibly some vegetarians or vegans don't care about this, but it is disgusting. Especially thinking you would give a child candy or cereal with the main ingredient using cow's bones. Also McDonald's fries as we talked about before uses beef products. To me this is concealing information. Sure some laws might say certain things are okay, but week one or two in my vegan attempt I was drinking Coke and eating fries thinking it was okay. I didn't know most caramel color is made with animal products and some sodas like life water are using insect extract. I've had to sacrifice quite a bit to rid my life of so many products that are wrong by principle. I shouldn't have to work this hard to rid myself of being covered in animal fat or carrying some animal product around with me or not knowing a harmless animal suffered to make sure it was safe to use. Even if you don't care about killing animals, it is deception. It is greedy, nasty, gross and wrong. If the only reason is cheapness, answer the question, "What would happen to the product if that part of it was removed?" When you go to a foreign country you see pictures of black lungs and horrible diseases on the cigarettes and it says in giant lettering, without a doubt SMOKING CAUSES CANCER. Now we have companies using models on music to advertise. Are we that desperate for space on the planet to support the hurt that causes suicide and to kill each other and innocent creatures? Look for beet, unrefined, raw, turbinado (pure-cane) or USDA Organic.

Vegan Posts and Fuel Compilation Links

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These are the links of the posts with my journey on veganism and survival fuel/cooking. I also added some social accounts of those that kept and continue to keep me inspired or helped movement get momentum in the difficult naive stages. I will update this page as well in a quicklink page on the important link tab towards the top right of the site currently. Red Bull tested on animals (peta.org). 12.23.19 Cruelty-free update (new home/survival basics) 12.5.19 Vegan/cruelty-free (important update on skin care and a deleted post containing many fakecruelty free products) 11.8.19 End of September update (3 year anniversary conclusion) 9.28.19 The Saga Continues. 9.6.19 Bad Medicine 9.4.19 Vegan Pizza Flavor Crust w/ 3 yr update 9.2.19 Cruel Pain Killers 9.1.19 Digress (how to make the fourth year of veganism better) 8.28.19 Vegan anniversary celebrations continued 8.25.19 3 years a vegan 8.22.19 Verified Vegan Foods 8.8.19 Vegan Journey Update II 8.6.19 Vegan Journey Update (More bad news in flour, fertilizers and vegan) 8.5.19 Jesus is a cow and the bible is literal today 8.1.19 Waiting to eat? (Flour fatality) 7.31.19 Troubling News in Progress (Flour, farms and fertilizer) 7.30.19 updated 7.31.19 Some new products to try at the beginning of General Update 7.24.19 OUCH (My Shure loyalty must be replaced by a new brand) 7.23.19 Brands that sell leather 7.16.19 Trip Cancelled 7.4.19 Mid-June Update 6.16.19 Vegan Art Supplies 6.13.19 Cruelty Free Speed Bump 6.4.19 Vegfest 2019 5.26.19 Can't Sleep (untitled) 5.15.19 Austin 5.13.19, 5.11.19 War Continued 5.3.19 3 years a vegan in September 4.24.19 Hot Topic (Jewelry for piercings) 4.22.19 Year of the Pig (Could a vegan marry a non-vegan?) 4.20.19 Vegan Shoe Search Update 3.13.19 Appalled II 2.28.19 Vegan news flash - Strict shopping, green claims and more. 12.7.18 Vegan shoes 10.3.18 October in deep south 10.2.18 Update late 9.10.18 - Philosophical note. 9.6.18 -Simply Juice disappointment. The clean, healthy vegan/survival update 7.28.18 More on the vegan/cruelty free research. 7.16.18 Vegan update (vehicles and more) 7.9.18 Strict vegan - Nondairy with U-D! and other losses. (affects several posts below and currently; updated accordingly) 7/4/18 Vegan Update 6/6/18 Update in May on respecting our dead wildlife. 5/6/18 (Updated and republished 6/18/18) Strict Vegan Update (FDA ACT '04) 4/8/18 New 'survival basics' vegan products. Also, going for cruelty free. 4/3/18 (updatable) Commitment to Veganism A confirmed (by email) dye to use. 3/22/18 Latest Vegan News 3/18/18 NON-GMO Update with revised vegan definition 3/4/18 & 3/11/18 Vegan Foods Update 1/28/18 Blizzards and blood 1/21/18 Fuel III 1/13/18 Strict Vegan Survival Update (with an currently updated **6.11.18 list and avoid list) 1/11/18 Vegan Tattoo Ink in final note of Intro to 2018 1/7/18 Vegan Update (My new hobby of contacting food stuffs' businesses) 12/27/17 The Eighth Day of Christmas' Dairy-free Party 12/18/17 Vegan Cheese gets a new slang on the Sixth Day of Christmas 12/14/17 Vegan French Baking on the Third Day of Christmas 12/8/17 Holiday parties & PETA gift ideas link 12/4/17 How do you 'treat' your dog? 12/3/17 Vegan Hanukkah Cookies 12/3/17 Vegan Thanksgiving LinksList 11/19/17 Virtual Night Before Halloween Party (Vegan Friendly) 10/30/17 Dedicated Mix #5 (Vegan Halloween) 10/19/17 Appalled 9/27/17 One Year a Vegan + 9/15/17 Fuel II 7/5/17 Fuel 6/5/17 ** =last updated

Blizzards and blood

Date 2018-01-21 20:13:01

These <u>radar-like predictive tracker video-like images</u> (from Cnn.com) are probably the best I can find at the moment with criteria for 'the best' being visuals and usefulness. We are expecting a blizzard in an hour or so and debating whether I should buy some food in case I cannot go outside. I guess it's good I am taking an extended break from making mixes as I may have otherwise suffered this month more than possible. Also, donating another double unit of blood, so if anyone else is joining me this month, have some <u>Dark Chocolate Silk Almond Milk</u>
***(Update Pareve dairy symbol - shared machinery) and <u>Arran's vegan granola</u> or <u>Kashi vegan cereals</u>(not sure if all these are strict, so check first). They are really good for this purpose. If it's the first time on double, it shouldn't be that bad, but do this afterwards for awhile because most iron supplements have some animal product in them. I don't know about the second time, but I don't think I paid enough attention to it until recently. Also, saw my first video in awhile to celebrate the break. <u>War for the Planet of the Apes</u>. It is appropriate for this site as the radio suggested it in the <u>top videos of last year</u> and goes with veganism in an animal take-over sort of way. Also, it's a sequel. Cheers

Mix in the Making #1

Date 2018-01-24 16:18:59

Since I'm on break, I'm posting my most recent picks from my confidential notes so any mixers/performers out there can attempt a fresh mix for 2018. I'll call it a 'Mix in the Making'.

Quite a few of these are from the <u>The Magician's Magic Tape 76</u> \square *Tracklist for this mix found at this link*.

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Robotaki - Together We're Screwed (feat. Nevve)
5 & A Dime - Flying High (feat. Yashar Gasanov)
Drezo - Night
Naations - Want Me More ■
Avelino - 1 in a Million ■
Ferreck Dawn - Words
Cassian - Know U Well ■
Didrick - Ready To Fly (feat. Adam Young)
Kendrick Lamar & SZA - All The Stars ■
Major Lazer - Go Dung (feat. Kes)
Ekali & ZHU - Blame 🔳
Virtual Self - a.i.ngel (i o remix) from the Bite This! XMAS COMPILATION ■ ■
Felix Cartal - Drifting Away (feat. Ofelia K) [Schømi Remix] 🛚 🗈 🗷
Felix Cartal & Kaskade - Fakin It (feat. Ofelia K) [Jeongwoo Remix]
Kaskade x Felix Cartal - Fakin It (feat. Ofelia K) [Cxllin Remix] □ □
Hillsong UNITED - Oceans (Where Feet May Fail) unable to confirm the version I selected at
this time ■
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Preview or listen to these on iTunes, Soundcloud, YouTube, Beatport or Traxsource. Links to purchase or free download links are after the track with social link in order of featured account shown in track. Always try to seek official pages and posters.

Vegan foods update

Date 2018-01-27 11:28:46

I was going to update an earlier post with this information, but an idea that keeps re-themeing itself to me is this: Many of the products we consume on our journey to live free of animal products and cravings as well as using animals for the testing of them, end up leaving us feeling like we were never vegan. I call myself strict, especially with my addition of a non-gmo requirement, and many times want to quit because after a year and five months I may have crutched on certain products that were hardly vegan. Oreos were one, several months ago, when I was living in Denver. I had heard they were secretly vegan, but recently read on their site they are not suitable. What a shame! Anyways, don't give up, you still are saving lives and helping to change the world. About 6% of Americans identify as vegans which has grown from 1 or 2% in only a few years. One day we will miss the struggle. The good news is there are a lot of vegan products that are verified and though not always cheap, a lot of your supermarkets are carrying them to lower the price from your typical specialty store. Try ***Amy's Organic Chili (regular and black bean), Lotus' Biscoff (actually not labelled 'airline cookies' cause those ones have milk in them), Tofurkey's 'sausage-like' creation in 4 packs (which are good and filling right out of the package) and . Check the package for the vegan 'go-ahead' first. This is possibly the lazy way to shop, but I'm trying some as an excuse for those out there who want more options and don't want to turn over every package***. The last note is, most companies (probably by requirement) should be labeling their products if they are produced next to or on the same line as another for allergy and religious reasons, so one you are going to eat something as a staple, don't take the fine print for granted. Until I have my own kitchen, I'll be eating out of the package and pan in the trees! Has anyone mixed the last post? ***Update 7.3.18 Not strict vegan with processing. ***^Update 7.13.18 Vegan Action (V symbol with heart) is not very strict with shared machinery and also does not require documentation on cleaning products used (i.e. cruelty free status or plant based). No additional information was given on this topic. See vegan.org for their most recent policies and FAO. P.S. Happy Birthday Stacy!

Mix in the Making #2

Date 2018-02-02 00:48:54

More from last year's private notes though some were never available or don't exist yet. Every list each month will have 18 tracks until May when I'll add one more for 19. The first three tracks were discovered on The Magician's Magic Tape 74. The final track* in this list is from Miss Monique's Mind Games 65. Format:B - The Scoop Point Point ft. Denai Moore - Hands (Samaran Remix) Paradise (Could use a remix) DROELOE - Kintsugi JLV - Look Away Bassjackers vs Breathe Carolina & Apek - The Fever DJ Licious - I Can't Stop Dzeko - In Too Deep Ferreck Dawn & Marco Joosten vs Systematic Parts - Violin De La Nuit Rae Sremmurd - Perplexing Pegasus CLEAN VERSION Dzeko - California (feat. Brynn Elliott) Savoy & Bright Lights - The Wolf (Savoy Live Version) Mssing No - XE2 (VALENTINE Remix) Dude & Frank - La Luna (feat. Totó La Momposina) [Extended Mix] Captain Cuts - Love Like We Used to (Lenno Remix) [feat. Nateur] Hailee Steinfeld - Love Myself w/ Teamworx & Thomas Feelman - Whisper Not available (Hear a section at 38:41) MØ - Final Song (Diplo & Jauz Remix) BANKS - Waiting Game (Judah Remix) Not available* Check back later for social and track links.

Update Jan. '18

Date 2018-01-28 14:59:34

This year I'll be sharing a maximum of 9 'Mix in the Making' type lists. I'm not suddenly going to become a silver surfer, but I'm going to be spending the music funds, if there are any, on shows I valued from TV or movies watched overseas from street DVDs or other ways of getting unavailable english programming. Legal and moral details are not always known, but I only started contributing what I could in the last year or so directly. Until recently I was spending too much on new music and getting ahead of myself. What I'll do to share on this site is undetermined, but will most likely be the usual: other entertainment and food; possibly philosophy or news. Each list of music will be unrestricted by style and published once a month until October. Ckwal

Update

Date 2018-02-02 17:11:50

Ckwal's journey may be continuing again on a new chapter, but still within the country. If you would like to support this site and associated life during this time I will now be accepting donations. I also recently donated (a double unit of blood) as soon as I was eligible through the Red Cross and it went pretty well. Using the advice on this site should make your second Power Red donation go easier and you won't have to miss work. This month was pretty difficult and knowing I had this appointment to contribute some strict vegan blood to possibly save or change someone's life, got me through some tough spiritual battles and life choices. It was my sixth unit in less than a year (last year being my first donation). So this time I am the one thanking Red Cross. I'll see you again, Red Cross, sometime in late May or June (if I have to move). The reason I am sharing these stories together is that you never really know how it affects someone to give or to receive. It may be a positive experience or it might be really difficult for many parties involved depending on the organization. So, for this reason I pray our gifts of time, money or ourselves will be received well if accepted and that we may be able to accept help, if offered, when we really need it. Either way I'll find more ways to share important things on this blog. Thanks to last year's contributions which ranged from shelter assistance to food, propane, an extra layer for the winter and fresh tracks that made it to our MixLists. Official Donations Ranking List Christine M. Deborah D. Jeff L. Liz V. Other personal unofficial support from Russell D., Jeff L., Fred L., Barbara L., Lois D., Nathan W. & Jay P. Sincerely, Ckwal

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*3.21.18 Update on the <u>second half of this post</u> talks about donations to the poor in general. I will expand on this topic later as my journey continues. *6.25.18 Update: Journey continues to Houston starting on my birthday which was 7.20.80

A newer mix for the week

Date 2018-02-05 19:03:11

I added some of my favorite mixes to the Mix in the Making series and today accidentally listened and found to share this mix from the Toolroom Records page by That Songbird- It's good for working on the computer or something similar as it's mostly that keep you going kind of house music.

Mix in the Making #3

Date 2018-02-14 15:32:43

Intro note: Since this turning point begins around Ash Wednesday (2017) which falls on Valentine's Day (2018), I decided to post March's notes today. -----This month I'll tell a short story that brings us full circle to where I was this time last year. I left my parent's home which was my home from the age of 6 after packing a car full of my remaining belongings and went to attend CRST's refresher course and training in Waterloo, IA. The course was supposed to be a review, but it is never that easy to pass these tests they setup. I ran over the course with my car going through the gear changes in my head and pulling off the side of the road to take notes. I reviewed each night and in my spare time sold, traded and donated a lot of stuff to afford food and gas and what-not to stay up with my bills from trucking school and associated road trip from the previous year. I had finished my licence right before I became homeless, stayed in the mission in Chicago after being kicked out without a place to stay and meanwhile was still keeping current with all these costs from living on the road to New Orleans and back to trucking school staying in hotels the whole time. I finally passed after the test was delayed due to black ice and tensions were high in the classroom as we finished our hours of review the following nights. Several scenes went down in the classroom staying late that questioned my path and I prayed quite a bit. One argument was when I found out about closing paperwork which would bring us back to Cedar Rapids, but had already planned to attend church on Ash Wednesday. The priest put a cross of ash on my forehead and I contemplated doing lent for the first time in my life. Another important thing I did during these final days of commitment was religiously listening to 'Views' by Drake. I was going to sell plasma to get this album, but they wouldn't let me due to 'no permanent address'. The morning Hawkeye asked me to come back for some paperwork, I had returned from the church service at Sacred Heart and I remember a turning point which I recognized as a calling. I packed the car and headed toward Denver with only enough money for gas to reach the city and stay in a mission. I went an unintended route however and was driving up through Northern Nebraska. I remember fueling up, calculating in my head and a spirit of fear passed within me as if I could turn back now if I had any doubts and recontinue at the milestone I earned, but going forward was like unknown territory or nearly starting over. I kept going West and only started to get worried when I realized I was way up in no man's land and not on the mapped out course. This part of Nebraska is like wastelands. Apparently Bill Gates has a home somewhere out there, but there aren't any gas stations nor much civilization. Not only this but I had passed over several bridges where the wind was tossing my car unnaturally. The steering wheel seemed to rip right out of my hands with shaking as the tires went over the gridded surface. Well that was the problem, but I was thinking, '...please let me make it to the next gas station before I run out of gas'. I was back on track headed south to I-80 and getting close to a gas station and could see I was going to make it there and probably would still get to Denver with my remaining credit. I was about at the end of the street, only a short walk from the gas station, when the car turned to the side of the road and broke down. The front cradle rusted through, deformed and the tire had turned into the sidewall making it unmovable and unfixable (without over 1000\$ plus extra time to get parts). The police arranged for a short tow to the gas station parking lot where I slept waiting for AAA to show up to tow me down to North Platte where my journey would continue. I did fast for over thirty days mostly until 2:30 pm or later combined with housekeeping to pay for the hotel provided by CRST and course at Hawkeye. After living there for some time, (some of these posts tell about

my experiences there) I did make it to Denver, but went back to North Platte when asked to leave Good Samaritan because I could survive cheaper and stay vegan. Occasionally I question my calling or think I misunderstood. I really identify with 'Greatest Love Story' because for some time I thought that was the reason. Thinking, "I am supposed to meet someone in one these places". Since my faith is strong I wonder if I skipped a step or my life was saved. I could have crashed in broad daylight or been tossed off of any number of bridges. It was only a matter of timing when this car would fail because it was overlooked when it was in the shop last. If I bypassed my whole trucking career, then I was speeding past my fate and mixing to the future which could now never happen. Another theory is I was helping to clear the path for another couple's or individual's future by succeeding and failing in possible scenarios as making up for interruptions in others' lives I may have made in my past. This brings me to March's Mix in the Making, #3. The unrequited love is part of it as the one year anniversary of my arrival to Nebraska (mostly with 3 country songs I have identified in my soul searching) as well as the possible missing links to this or another story from my private/confidential notes. PØP CULTUR - Tell Me Baby Julian Calor - Charge Me Up DJ Snake ft. Lauv - A Different Way (Curbi Remix) &/or Martin Garrix & David Guetta - So Far Away (feat. Jamie Scott & Romy Dya) (Curbi Remix) illyus & Barrientos – 'So Serious' (BBC Radio 1, Annie Mac) ~SWACQ - Kayos Ft. Jordiz Belinda Carlisle - Mad About You Darius Rucker - Don't or Life's Too Short, 'For the First Time' is the most played/popular also would work (Choose one for this mix unless doing an encore or second part). Lauren Alaina - Road Less Traveled LANCO - Greatest Love Story *Tarlan & Lexon - Saxy *Kernkraft vs DV & LM - Zombie Like This (Ozcan SmashUp) Not available *~Tong Apollo & DJ Benz - Feel Good Blonde - Just For One Night (feat. Astrid S) (George Kwali Remix) Not available in the US Eddy M - Don't Wanna Be Stanton Warriors -Colima AV AV AV - Forget *Saladin & Starkill - Droppin Panties *~Nick & Chasner - NLX *~Kroshwell - Rocket Whiskytown - Matrimony & If He Can't Have You BLYNE - Waste Time (feat. James Chatburn) Rusko - Look Out **EXPLICIT** Audeka - Intake Manifold // Engine Block EP (MethLab) or Audeka - Ignition Coil // Engine Block EP (MethLab) Audeka & Rawtekk // Dark Energy (MethLab) (has vocals) +Add below Chill tracks Delta Heavy - I Need You ~=very similar some of these from below notes, edited and relistened to *Ref. 2017019 Ummet's Mix that several of these are from Chill Remember You Are Dream(s) by Infinite Third JOSHUA J — Flowers (feat. Eauxby) Bearson — Bearson x josh pan - Free Emerson Leif — Emerson Leif x Golden Vessel - 'Hesitate' Keys N Krates - Do What U Do DIVINE 🛠 — Sometimes (Chill tracks selected from thissongissick.com's Chill Playlist Vol. 39) If needed additional tracks Petit Biscuit - Follow Me Christopher Kah - Nightfall *~Shawn White & Ryan Nichols - Ahh Pick one from the new 'Sleigh Bells' album Also review Made in Germay, Vol. 13 from Traxsource and select some tracks for this and/or future mixes.

What is going on?

Date 2018-02-11 22:12:23

I guess this could be a really serious question if you lived in a world without power or suddenly certain devices stopped working for no apparent reason. This is not far off from what could happen and yes we take these things for granted. I'd like to think I have an advantage as I moved most of my life offline these past years, but I haven't seen too many of my peers able to do it, attempt or want to try that. Anyways, that is just an icebreaker. I'm working on the next Mix in the Making #3. It has a story attached to it as well which I'm editing. With more time to put these lists together and general theme inspiration for the could-be 'MixList Maker', this could be the site transition to an educational point of view. Will I be relocating to Bangkok to live up in the skyscraper teaching jockeys to spin vinyl off their pointers like a Harlem Globetrotter? It has been fairly easy so far to prioritize searching for music and getting nutrition than buying the music and making the weekly mix than I thought.

Animal Shelter Recomendations & Update

Date 2018-03-03 12:05:22

I forgot to mention these two cats... Roman is a hunk of a character. He prowled the room when we first hung out with an impressive stride. Later Roman turned on the charm with puppy dog eyes. Just yesterday he was tapping the glass like a lion. You could probably take Roman for a walk, so hurry to the Kearney Animal Shelter to audition. Next is Curry who has been there awhile (must have snuck under the radar). Like Cajun who was almost nabbed, Curry is well behaved and under-rated in the appearance category. It's been awhile since I had a chat with Curry, but these three were still there yesterday. Seems like with the weather getting nicer there are more companions in and out of the shelter, so see if you can get a hold on one if you are serious. Also if you want to contribute to Kearney Area Animal Shelter and don't want to commit to a furry friend, they accept donations in all sorts of variations. On a side note: I'll probably post a short 'Mix in the Making' list in a week, so hypothetically a mixer could have the final mix ready for April Fool's Day. I'm delving into hobbies right now and struggling a little without my daily mix practice because after all, I was doing that for over two years! However I feel better to focus on a handful of songs (plus radio play catch-up) and the people in my life for awhile. Today I was thinking about putting an official MixList out for early summer, but still deciding how to deliver you the most concentrated content that you can value.

Back flash

Date 2018-02-25 21:56:09

Sometimes this site turns into a journal of new discoveries and other posts are like pieces of an autobiography or the thanks to those that made it into my life in some significant way. As some may remember and are thinking I'll get back to one day, I was really into digital photography and also videography. I made some of my own hobby music videos and did a lot of photo editing. Adobe Premiere and Photoshop were always my favorite for editing. Ever since I took a class during one of my semesters at Columbia College Chicago, between transfers, I was developing skills in Photoshop. These videos were mostly trial, but if I ever do them again, I'll know what software to use. Now they have the Creative Cloud, where you pretty much lease the software. This would have been cool when I lived in other countries, but now I'll just say I endorse the software if you are debating which one to use. Anyways, before I forget... The webseries at Digital Rev, although it was a little dirty on the sense of humor at time, was very educational and entertaining. It also reviewed and compared products available in their store with various celebrity guests. Mostly shot in Hong Kong the main hosts Kai and assistant Lok, never ran out of conversation, edgy humor, and international image and video-based culture. Side note: I haven't watched these in awhile, so I know nothing of the current content. Parental advisory. Update 3/19/19: Kai's YouTube Channel - Lok's YouTube Channel - D

Encore choices for Mix in the Making #3

Date 2018-02-21 00:35:47

The first nineish are from my latest picks. I am on a Country kick and listen to some Christian music too. As you know I am always trying to find the long lasting Pop songs and Dance Pop. The other sections are most of the rest of my picks from 2017 that I tried to compile from my notes and lists in one place for this encore. What I usually do is pick enough for an hour and half and then mix an hour. If I don't use some they may roll over to the next mix if they still fit in, but if you are doing it on an iPad or phone, I don't recommend putting a ton of songs on there. Just pick ones that your are feeling that week and try to get the best transitions and order (even if they do fight a little bit). If you get sick of a track too quick, possibly take it out of the candidates and bring it back when it is ready or you are. This is enough tracks to do like four mixes, but I am trying to catch up to the newer stuff without forgetting these ones. So this is perfect if you want to do a mix per week. Another tip is to try and not choose too many songs that have lyrics for one mix unless that is your theme and can mesh them into a story. Space out really wordy songs with a house track or something so the listener can think about what you said and how it relates to their problems because a lot of us are trying to solve issues while others are out of them. Maroon 5 - Cold CLEAN VERSION Third Day - Soul on Fire Marren Morris - Rich Blanca -Real Love Hillsong Young & Free - Real Love (Live) Youth Revival Cyclic - Current Value Lady Antebellum - Heart Break, Hurt or Think About You Taska Black - We Would Never Do (ft. Nevve) ZAYN & Taylor Swift - I Don't Wanna Live Forever (Fifty Shades Darker) ARLE -Close To You (Icarus Edit) Riton & MNEK & The House Gospel Choir - Deeper Troyboi - X2C Snavs - Give Me The Light Rowan Niemisto - Without Trying Olav Basoski ft. Spyder -Waterman 2017 (Bolier Remix) HONOR - Never Off (Hot Since 82 Remix) Klosman & Nico de Andrea - Porque Me Voy Provenzano - Serifos LO'99 & The Aston Shuffle - Birthman Melo Makes Music - Drain U ft. Ravyn Lenae (Prod. Martin \$ky) and a lot of choices after it from: Chill Vol. 35 ... Said The Sky & Kwesi - All I Got Jayceeoh & Dijital feat. J.Lauryn – Everywhere I Go Triarchy Ft. J.Lauryn - Coconuts and others from J.Lauryn's 'Golden Years' album (Don't Touch, Party Favors) Max Vangeli x Danny Ray - Made For Lovin' You and/or Andrew Rayel & Max Vangeli feat. Kye - Heavy Love Kiril - No Fightin' & Rave Generator John W & Bonnis Maxx - La Cumbia (Ivan Miranda Edit) Roger Sanchez - Another Chance (Ivan Miranda 2k17 Remode) Mercer - Encore (DJAfrojack & SAYMYNAME Remix) Cardi B - Bodak Yellow (CID Remix) EXPLICIT Sezwez ft. Maddy Carty - Got No Love The Magician & TCTS ft. Sam Sure - Slow Motion MUST DIE! - Shibuya Overdrive Tiësto & Sevenn - Boom (Snavs Remix) Marshmello Ft. Khalid - Silence (Lost Kings Remix) Trobi & Boaz Van De Beatz Feat Âdïka & KaliBwoy - U Don't Know CID & Kaskade- Sweet Memories Tom Reason -Rather Do (needs a remix) School of X - Las Vegas or Words Prince Fox - Space (feat. QuinnXCII) Gareth Emery Feat. Christina Novelli - Concrete Angel (Haka Remix) (remix of the first Gareth Emery song that broke out to us all) BLR X Rave & Crave - Taj, BLR - Bella Mare (this BLR EP is good) From: Best of LW Tech (Found on Traxsource) Piano Cure - Pirupa Kuo Climax Remix Tommy Vercetti - Killa Overfunk - Gangsta Feeling From Glasgow Underground's 'Amsterdam 2017': Vanilla Ace, Jean Bacarreza - Swaii Landmark (Marco Anzalone), Kevin McKay - What's Going Down Alaska - Konflicted Soul Say No More - Space Jump Salute Porter Robinson - Language (Ekali & QUIX Tribute) Crossnaders - Instinct Killa

Encore track selections coming soon...

Date 2018-02-18 19:40:47

I'm going to post another 'Mix in the Making' list for you to make the encore by the beginning of March to follow the early release of 'Mix in the Making #3'. Until then I will post as usual a mix of the week from notes that I didn't reveal yet. These are mixes I am currently going over and over or are of the very few, full mixes I listened to in 2017. I used one track from this mix on 'Ckwal Mix 2017020' and the lead-in is on 'Mix in the Making #3'. The Magician's Magic Tape 73 is the mix of this week.

Newest pet recommendations

Date 2018-02-23 02:36:25

I've was hanging out with the cats at the Kearney Area Animal Shelter in Nebraska for a few days. My last post I made some unofficial recommendations. Those in charge there are strict with adopters and the animals are picky too, so I wouldn't march in there thinking it's a sure thing... Of the cats I like now I would say 'Cajun' who is really playful and handsome. Also, 'Jordan' is really chill. On the contrast to 'Cajun', he is reluctant to interact in the outgoing way, but in an unpredictable way in which you may be surprised with his company. All the adoptable dogs there are good. The ones other than Bear are a little noisy, but I think it's just a welcoming thing that might not keep going at their new home and it grows on you. Good luck if you are in the area.

Non-GMO Update (revised 3.11.18 with a new vegan definition)

Date 2018-03-04 20:21:52

I have known this for a little while, but was reminded today. If you are adding NON-GMO to your vegan diet as I am attempting, you can avoid looking for the flower and butterfly symbol all the time. Now you can add the Kosher/Pareve symbols. Let's not get confused because these symbols don't make them certified vegan. If you are not super strict with production, they provide a better chance the product is acceptable depending on the contents. Also if the food or ingredient is vegan certified, it should be NON-GMO too because many GMOs come from animals, but more realistically it is just a better probability. GMOs come from the lab which could have originated from viruses, bacteria, insects, animals or humans, however they could be from chemicals. Two reference articles on this (1,2). Another interesting article about the new Kosher law. That law is good news for some of us, but it might make one *less* strict on their veganism search and circumstantially contacting companies for strictness control. Upon my research from earlier posts (which was a hobby at first that turned into a burdenous volunteer job), some companies seem to be only concerned about whether they are safe or not. This is understandable. My concern was whether companies are concealing this information or just don't know (or won't tell their employees who have to answer the questions for customers). Also, don't forget about buying NON-GMO spices and even raw foods like fruits and vegetables. Remember 'USDA Organic' means that they have not been genetically modified as well. Current GMO Crops and when they were introduced. Update 3/11/18: I cannot confirm if any gmos are not tested on animals. Does any vegan verified food allow animal testing at any level? How about any company thinking they are vegan in which hasn't been verified? I just read about vitro tests which are improving that don't require animals. One last big concern is the dyes in our clothing. I found out last month that one dye maker doesn't test on animals or support it, but their supplier for one of the contents does and it is required (by UK law). I think all GMOs are requiring these tests as well. Some GMO companies claim they are humane tests, but I still don't see how they are getting permission. A real vegan product is packaged without and is without animal products or testing. As of now I cannot bother you with non-vegan spiritual concerns. I.E. Made or served by a non-vegan human or vegan of lower evolutionary status/development.

Ratings & Critics

Date 2018-02-20 12:13:48

I guess because the world didn't think I was talented enough to sell albums, perform or make a living with my own songs I became a critic in the form of a DJ at times because '...but your taste is impeccable'. So at times I must be too easy on some stars (or too tough on others). My fault. I over-rated Khalid too early. I hear him on too many songs now. Possibly it's his management or he doesn't get to choose the songs he is on because many of them are so generic it makes me embarrased. Lesson learned. How about most under-rated Presidents. Trump gets a lot of shame and I don't even read the paper. When I was young I dreamed of an African-American President and a Woman President, but when I watched 'The Apprentice' on tv, none of us could have thought Donald would be shaping our future. I believe if we choose together someone to lead us, we should support them. So Khalid still has my support and even though to me the last election was a win-win situation for my dream America, seems like the majority of citizens think you have to tear winners and losers down alike and take back their support before the real difference happens. If abuse and harsh words are how we support those we want to do great things, what will they say when we are no longer proud of how we got there?

A novel article

Date 2018-03-21 20:02:30

Commitment to Veganism

Date 2018-03-23 00:30:36

Recently I just passed the 18 month anniversary on the journey towards being a Vegan. Yea, with my new definition it's tough to believe anyone has achieved such a goal. To celebrate I have continued my diversion into the art of forever altering one's appearance. Skin art number two, is a series of five symbols in Chinese possibly originating from an artist signed 'js'. The phrase called out to me on the internet along with this track by Julian Calor on Musical Freedom. The symbols translate as said on the site as, "chinese symbol for vegan". There are several definitions and ways to add meaning to this; I will try to explain that later in person if we get the chance. The most recent milestone is one of **never turning back**. It used to not bother me when seeing or smelling all the options of food I used to eat, but now it hurts differently. In my journey which is now at trying to be cruelty-free in everything, I found Rit Dyes is a good option for making clothes from the basic beginning. I will update when I find out more options (asking companies by email), but I knew this for a little while that almost everything on me or us may or may not have been tested on animals (at least if it was dyed) even if it was animal product free, so I knew I was behind my thinking process. If there are any new readers out there, you can catch up with the important info at this compilation page. It is also a quick link on the right sidebar. Again if you can't go on with this information and need a place to start, by all means dive right in the deep end. I started at what I thought was vegan which is further along than vegetarian because I knew it would be too easy to fall back. This tattoo by Church Hill translates in layman's terms on google as 'absolutely vegetarian' and without going into all the possible definitions, I'd say that is fair. Similar updates at the bottom of this page.

'Latest Vegan News'

Date 2018-03-18 19:12:19

I hate being obligated to share information I am pretty much drawn in to find when I already tried to tell people tactfully. Especially since I rarely confirm any actual readers of my life's work and it seems like someone else tells everyone before I get the chance. I found this website and there was a rather bold post about this topic I have been thinking about. The problems are "too many to confront". If people can't do it for themselves then why would you do it for your pets? I guess animal cruelty is the answer, but we are just as cruel to each other. Also, expanding on this topic would pretty much halt almost every activity we do everyday to really change. However, to be less hypocritical for places like animal shelters where the pet may have been abused or mistreated, why would we serve them other animals that have been killed? If anyone has an excuse for eating chicken it would be me. I was nearly killed in a motorcycle accident in Cambodia because a chicken was flying across the road. It walked as it approached the road and took off just in time to nearly collide with me before I broke and slid on the heavy antique. For awhile I thought this way. Then one day I bought some ramen on my road trip shortly before becoming vegan. I read the codes on the packaging and don't ask me how, but it told me how my life was going to change soon. One chicken that almost took away my life doesn't justify eating anymore than zero. The local who walked up to me to see what happened said, "Do you believe in Jesus?" I said, "Yes." This is no news, so I am still dealing with good news. ----------- April's tracks are completed in the below post.

Mix in the Making #4

Date 2018-03-09 11:46:47

In case there is a young DJ out there ready to work on April's mix, I'm giving these notes up early. (Additional tracks added as I do with notes below. Updates when discovered...) BLR - EP, Pt. 2 (Labyrinth) Miranda Lambert - Over You Cole Swindell - You Should Be Here The Glitch Mob - How Could This Be Wrong (feat. Tula) Bronze Whale - Exposure Killabyte - Wicked Ways (feat. Danyka Nadeau) Rae Sremmurd - Swang (WHIPPED CREAM Re-Whip) NOT AVAILABLE Zedd - I Want You To Know ft. Selena Gomez - Reimagination by Until the Ribbon Breaks NOT AVAILABLE Midland - Make A Little Stefan Engblom - Pure Adrenaline (Instrumental) Boys Noize & Virgil Abloh - ORVNGE Boys Noize - Bells ONLY AVAILABLE AS FREE DOWNLOAD ON OFFICIAL SOUNDCLOUD Jensen Interceptor & Assembler Code -2231 & FM Expander Skrillex & Poo Bear - Would You Ever [4B Remix] or (Branchez & Charlie Klarsfeld Remix) EKALI - Past Life ft. Opia Ryan Stevenson - Eye of the Storm (feat. Gabe Real) Volbeat - Heaven Nor Hell Lo Shea - Iterations or Peder Mannerfelt Remix Dylan Scott - Hooked Granger Smith - Happens Like That CJ Solar - Airplane Kirk Franklin - Wanna Be Happy? Breaking Benjamin - Red Cold River Three Days Grace - 'I Am An Outsider' or 'Right Left Wrong' No Mana - Answer Your E-mails New Albums Out: Moby - Everything Was Beautiful and Nothing Hurt Until The Ribbon Breaks - Until the Ribbon Breaks Don Diablo -FUTURE (Deluxe Edition) EXPLICIT 3LAU - Ultraviolet VENIICE - Gemini EP (feat. Alice Berg: Lost, Danyka Nadeau: Getting Closer) Lo Shea - Iterations EP Jensen Interceptor & Assembler Code - 6th Element EP on Boys Noize Records Later: CHVRCHES - Love Is Dead Breaking Benjamin - Ember EXPLICIT Three Days Grace - Outsider Owl City - Cinematic What So Not - Not All the Beautiful Things **EXPLICIT** A Perfect Circle - Eat the Elephant **EXPLICIT** Jack White - Boarding House Reach FYI 5.12-5.13.18 Update 3.10.18 You can listen to most of these on YouTube or Soundcloud in full, but try not to watch the video that goes with the soundtrack. Videos densensitize the listening experience and especially if choosing for a mix may distort your decision. Good songs should be able to stand alone. I got into DJing because I was originally an album type of person and still am, but for the past two months and a half I've had one song on my old cracked iPad. Wisin - Prohibida (feat. Zion & Lennox) There won't be an encore post. Look for new track additions for April below. A few of these I found digging through what is still left from previous notes. ----- Sugarland - Still The Same Positive +/- Negative (Hansol Remix) - Belocca Green Turtle (Ambient Space Mix) -Worldtraveller Jago Alejandro Pascua - Epica (From Armoracya's 'Dreams Builder 10th Potion') Lamyadon - Our Destiny (Original Mix) (From Armoracya's 'Jungle Essence 13th Potion') Julian Calor - You Can Have The World Brothers Osborne - Shoot Me Straight 6:24 Of Norway - It's You (Mogey Bootleg) Tommy Trash & A-Trak - Lover feat. Jesse Boykins III (Hood Rich Remix) Emmit - Modern Flame (feat. Yuna) Tchami - Adieu (Chace Remix) Bob Moses - Like it or Not (Love Thy Brother Remix) NOT AVAILABLE DJ TIM DOLLA & NADUS - Trap Trap Trap RMX ATLiens - Alchemy (Original or TYNAN Remix) La Fuente - Capitol Fedde Le Grand and D.O.D - Love's Gonna Get You Mike Williams ft. Brēzy - Don't Hurt (Original or Pardi Remix) Stadiumx Feat. BISHØP - The Fall

Some fresh mix?

Date 2018-03-07 02:21:49

This is from a year ago. I discovered it on the <u>NESTHQ</u>. I can't listen to the whole thing before I post, but I remember I liked it at the time. It's a style some call 'Happy Hardcore' which you will know it's unique sound when you listen to this mix by <u>Darren Styles</u>. There is a remix of Gold Skies which I liked around when I worked some events at the <u>Hard Rock Hotel</u> in Chicago. A part of me is living there right now in another way later as some stuff I recently paid for was eating out of the <u>Shell gas station</u> via <u>Guitar Center</u> gift cards living from the <u>Mission downtown</u>.

Top Gear

Date 2018-03-08 13:30:48

Speaking of shows I loved... Well I guess Jeremy Clarkson had that 'near crossing-the-line' sense of humor, but I thought he made the show? I haven't seen 'BBC's Top Gear' in awhile and one day I should own all the old episodes to see what happened. I guess that crew made a new show, I just found out, only on Amazon.

Jeremy Clarkson - Richard Hammond - James May - Another person we can remember today in a different way is Tom Petty. Easy to take his music for granted because it was so classic. There are a lot of songs that play everywhere and you might not have thought that was him. I never really owned his albums and find it impossible to imitate that range and style of vocals. Two links to go with this: Futuristic cars from the Geneva Motor Show by Denver Post Mix from NestHQ: Ducky (from 2 Years ago, it's really unique)

CKWAL Mix 2018-1

Date 2018-04-10 12:08:14

As a follow up or in connection with the <u>previous post</u>, this is the first official MixList of the year. I had a couple unused tracks and bought some new ones after the post saying I had only one song on my iPad for several months. I thought I'd try to put these together. Monday 9th April 2018, 15:07 47:21 KIDZ BOP Kids - I Don't Wanna Live Forever Kaskade & CID - Us Jauz - In the Zone (feat. Example) KEXPLICIT Calvin Harris - My Way (offaiah Remix) Wisin - Esta Noche Lo Vamos a Hacer Ace of Base - The Sign Maroon 5 - New Love CLEAN VERSION Miley Cyrus - Bad Mood Sigma - Nobody to Love 50 Cent - Winners Circle (feat. Guordan Banks) KEXPLICIT this link is to the clean, deluxe album Darius Rucker - Life's Too Short Vertical Church Band - Spirit of the Living God Maroon 5 - What Lovers Do (feat. SZA) Maroon clean deluxe album Wisin - Prohibida (feat. Zion & Lennox)

Mix in the Making #5 Encore

Date 2018-04-13 17:31:36

This was going to be for 'Mix in the Making #6' However with the ways things are going, I think I may start fresh with #6 this weekend since it is only halfway through April. I was just reviewing these and added some more albums at the bottom. So here is more homework for you over-achievers looking to spin more burns poolside. Disclaimer: Not all tracks that are **EXPLICIT** are marked as such (at the time of this post). Mix in the Making #5 Encore Imagine Dragons - Whatever It Takes or Whatever It Takes (Jorgen Odegard Remix) Luke Bryan - Light It Up Wet - There's a Reason Whipped Cream & KTRL - Gray? LOCASH - Don't Get Better Than That Radiology - Phobia R3HAB & Waysons - Shanghai or R3HAB & Khrebto - You Could Be Kayliox & A-SHO - Ocean (Alex Schulz Remix) from Pack The Pool The Beach Boys - Good Vibrations or Wouldn't It Be Nice Mike Williams X Dastic - You & I (BVRNOUT Remix) Xie - DRIP **EXPLICIT** Felix Cartal - Walking By (feat. Iselin) goes well to... KillSonik - Never Dream Of Dying or Marren Morris - I Could Use a Love Song Axel Boy -Days Gone? Flite - Progression (goes well to LOCASH) Seven Lions & Jason Ross - The Sirens Krewella - Fortune ft. Diskord (what about New World Pt. 1? Lots of other recent Krewella releases passed on) Koven - My Love Kane Brown - What Ifs (feat. Lauren Alaina) Operator -Soulcrusher The Weeknd, Kendrick Lamar - Pray for Me (from Black Panther) Dr. Meaker - Dirt & Soul ft. Laurent John & Celestine (Voltage & Dr. Meaker Remix) (others from this album) Dr. Meaker - Wanna Feel Love ft. Yolanda (Octo-Pi & Dr Meaker Remix) Already out that might have good choices on them- Charli XCX - Pop 2 EXPLICIT From above to add: Porsche (feat. MO), Unlock It (feat Kim Petras and Jay Park) or Delicious (feat. Tommy Cash) Purple Haze - Sectrvm Already used 'Neiloj' Taylor Swift - reputation Dr. Meaker - Dirt & Soul Collaborated (good for working) Original Versions Album Two in above list already Later-Mike Shinoda - Post Traumatic **EXPLICIT** Arctic Monkeys - Tranquility Base Hotel & Casino **EXPLICIT Rings a bell (also out later)-** Johnny Marr - Call The Comet, Morcheeba - Blaze Away, Illan Bluestone - Scars & Simian Mobile Disco - Murmurations? Other notes: listened to Dr. Fresch - The Prescription 036: WHIPPED CREAM Guest Mix 4/8/18 Like Seven Lions & Jason Ross - Ocean (Feat. Jonathan Mendelsohn), but don't use it White Zombie? Catch up with UKF's SoundCloud and Circus Records' -new rusko is spacious and different styles: reggae, maryj industrial rainy (relisten full)

Mix in the Making #5

Date 2018-03-31 20:59:28

This is homework for May. It's a long list and if I add anymore to it you won't be able to choose. If you are doing an encore it might be easier, but I would guess someone wouldn't use this list exclusively except for myself. Even when I am mixing from a list like this I make some impulse buys and tracks are released on the day I decided to buy and I can't resist the freshest track sound to go along with the rest. The only section to check back on this post is the mixes section which I will be optionally updating until the next 'Mix in the Making'. Thanks for reading and it's exciting to share that this summer will be jam packed with way too much good music for everyone to remember it by and enough to save some to find for another year. Artist - Title Ummet Ozcan - Krypton Streex - Down (feat. The Ready Set) The Glitch Mob - Take Me With You (feat. Arama) A Perfect Circle - TalkTalk Vertical Church Band - Spirit of the Living God Cole Swindell - Middle Of A Memory Smashing Pumpkins - Tonight, Tonight Chris Tomlin -Whom Shall I Fear [God of Angel Armies] Michael Ray - Get to You Cheat Codes feat. Kiiara -Put Me Back Together Jaytech - Song of Fire (also Song of Fire EP is considerable) Martin Roth - Hypno Seq Grum - Hourglass Gent & Jawns - Track 1,2 or 3 from 'The Meaning' EP on Monstercat (The Meaning, Reconcile (feat. LIZ) or Champion Sound) Merk & Kremont - Fire From KIDZ BOP 35 - I Don't Wanna Live Forever Empire of the Sun - On Our Way Home Calvin Harris - My Way (offaiah remix) From This Song is Sick's Chill Vol. 40 Taska Black -Dead Inside (feat. Ayelle) Tuff Ghost - Waterslide Triarchy - Bad Habit (feat. Skela) Kasbo -Over You (feat. Frida Sundemo) Whethan - Be Like You (feat. Broods) Darci - At Least review most selections via official soundcloud aritist or label page (almost always cross referenced with orange and white stars and links to official accounts in grey on the right sidebar) those not listed on soundcloud can be reviewed on youtube via official verified artist page (grey check mark) or identified by VEVO branding next to artist's name New Album Discovery Section Out already (in case you forgot or missed them): Beck - Colors **EXPLICIT** Lot of new Anjunabeats releases found on iTunes (week of March 26th in Dance Pop genre section) Teddy Killerz - Hellblade EP on EATBRAIN A Tribe Called Quest - We got it from Here... Thank You 4 Your service CLEAN Version Miley Cyrus - Younger Now Maroon 5 - Red Pill Blues (Deluxe) The Weeknd - My Dear Melancholy, CLEAN Version 12th Planet - Let Us Prey EP Bakermat feat. Kiesza -Don't Want You Back (Remixes) CLEAN Version Soon: Alison Wonderland - Awake **EXPLICIT** Snow Patrol - Wildness (Deluxe) The Voidz - Virtue **EXPLICIT** Ben Harper & Charlie Musselwhite - No Mercy In This Land (Deluxe Edition) Ray LaMontagne - Part of the Light Check back through May for this updatable list: (Vouching for these mixes) *Miss Monique's latest mix songs to add to this list at *11 or 12 min. in above mix and at about 40 or 41 minutes *Penthouse Penthouse's Coachella Weekend 2 Travel Mix from last year. Almost none of those track versions are available. *The Magician's latest live mix from Miami *Another mix from Whipped Cream on this post. (A NEST HQ exclusive)

New 'survival basics' vegan products

Date 2018-04-03 22:37:54

I have received email verification that these survival tools are animal product and testing free. Some or most Sew-ology threads... I have verified only a few I have recently used (threads 1254549 col2108, 1255637 col1414, 1254580 col1001 and 1254507 col1008). If you are worried about specific dye testings or colors, email a retailer that sells these. Available from Hobby Lobby, these fabrics/trims/other: Jersey Knit-Gray 945550, 1510981 Style 2306R (Black trim) Dantex, Sparkle elastic trim item 1257526, Black Flannel 617332 and Winter White (anti pill, polar fleece type) 827220 plus 1343946 Sew-on magnetic snap (Sew-ology). Shoe Goo. I have purchased this and see it at several Walmart stores. It helped me survive a long period when I couldn't afford new shoes. Repair the soles and more with excellent longevity per application. Also, **Huffy** bicycles claim to be all man made materials and cruelty free. I have asked about these three's suppliers and very specific in my questioning. Of course this isn't an official vegan verified stamp of approval. Those companies (such as vegan.org) may visit and monitor specific products independently. Rejected on my list is Pentel as they are unsure. Ironic my tattoo is in Chinese as this seems to be a big reason why a company may be unsure. I seem to have read on the internet that **Pilot** is without question 100% cruelty free and animal product free, but I haven't communicated with them yet. Other general companies to reject in the cruelty arena are most large ones in many necessity product categories (floss, toothpaste, deodorant, toilet paper and cleaning supplies). There are many alternatives labelled as cruelty free in specialty shops and large grocery stores as well. I don't know enough about this as a lot of it is required by law (which is something I cannot slightly comprehend anymore) and pictures on the internet show what they show. You can reject my information, but it is the truth. I am growing with it not as a lecturer, but as a musician who has been forced to find out the truth for myself for health reasons that professionals failed to solve. If I didn't tell you, later in life you would be angrier at me, this goes for any age. Thanks to the helpful customer service representatives who have taken the time to find out this information and responded politely. Side note: Upgraded search to the right bar. You may see some additions to this page of findings as the research continues. I guess while I am at it, I forgot to share this mix with you from around eight months ago. Whipped Cream is one of those younger DJs that might think I am stalking them, but I'm just really protective. Here it is.

Strict vegan update

Date 2018-04-08 16:39:49

More bad news. After noticing new changes on the labels, I contacted the company that makes Vega. Then, I recently did more reasearch. I remembered something Hershey said about this, but it didn't register. Seems my old definition for strict vegan is now very difficult to follow in the store. It was based on a suggested label addition in concern to food allergies in this FDA Act of 2004. Apparently these phrases are what companies should be putting on their labels. It is not required by law. So, I guess some of us have a new choice to make. Others like myself may have to wait until we have a kitchen. This may seem like no big deal to most people, but I was looking for those since I saw them when I first decided to become vegan instead of vegetarian. Ironic Vega broke it when their cartons malfuntioned and I had veggie power shake all over me several days in a row. I didn't tell them about how all four leaked on me because that could have happened anywhere along the delivery chain. So until the act is amended to say 'must be labelled' this way, look for the ones that may say in a facility 'free' of them. It isn't being redundant because even Vega.org will approve it for being vegan as long as they are strict with storage and sanitation, or at least they did as far as I know when writing this post. Will we be able to go as far as being vegan is a job requirement in comparison to skills or experience? How much experience? "Are you experienced?"

Update (End of March, '18)

Date 2018-03-30 17:25:25

New 'Mix in the Making' will be posted in a week or so... It's already nearly thirty tracks long with choices for a mix to complete by May 1st. I'm keeping the new album section for now and will be updating a new section like I sort of had before with mixes I have listened to and pass on to you. *Side note:* Most of the stuff I approve to post isn't normally excessively explicit unless that is what I think is needed at the time. In general I think people swear too much. Any words one uses over and over makes them loose their sting, meaning or seriousness. I guess I am guilty of this sometimes because society is numb to certain concepts. There was a song with J.Lauryn singing that sounded like she was swearing, but it was listed in the lyrics as 'He knows how to fun me like that'. This is not proper grammar, but that is a lyrical license songwriters have to break different rules to make new meaning that isn't tired. Also, Ckwal's only album is not going to iTunes in April as I updated in several posts.

What is Ckwal doing this summer?

Date 2018-04-09 15:12:44

The 'Mix in the Making' series is a great break for me in some ways. It is an educational outline or a place to start for someone with little time to make mixes or to start listening to good music. It has also given me space to make up progress in some other areas I am lacking professionally and personally. Not only in the present and future, but in my beliefs with entertainment culture pertaining to ethics, popular trends vs. traditional beliefs, 'crime and punishment' (so to speak) and how we express our value to one another; whether it be love, family, friendship, work relationships or plain and tough business. I finally bit the bullet with a little push from myself and peers. Avoiding a total deviation from Ckwal's original mission statement, I bought a new iPod touch and offically formed Ckwal as a volunteer, music service business. All that practice on the glitchy, failing iPad helped me prepare for going back to a smaller screen size with better speed and reliability. My first mix was a remake of Ckwal Mix 2017020. I lost this mix because it wouldn't back up. I could play it for awhile and then I even bought a used recorder to record it. By the time the recorder arrived, it wouldn't play in entirety. I sold the recorder without using it and was able to scrap together a few more mixes together (including the New Year bridge mixes) using some computer tricks, but recently I couldn't use the DJ application at all. I look forward to bringing some new mixes this summer to ckwal.net from tracks I've already posted, to ones that are yet to be released or discovered in all styles. Sincerely, Ckwal

CKWAL MIX 2018-1 SE

Date 2018-04-17 22:31:45

This is bringing together the first two mixes of the year with a special edition. There are a couple tracks from a previous mix and using Maroon 5 plus similar style conflicts from the first mix of the year. It's the general difficulty of fusing all these together in which I realized I should start making some of these myself (to make sure they can be done). Without too many track choices at the moment in my library, I am basically throwing most of them out there. I'll update you when I think I am going to mix a really fresh summer kickoff. Special thanks and farewell to Magan from crossroads center. Monday 16th April 2018, 17:54 34:38 Felix Cartal - Walking By (feat. Iselin) Album Version Mahalo - Good Vibes Only Boys Noize - Starwin Maroon 5 - Wait CLEAN Album Version Luke Bryan - Light It Up Julian Calor - You Can Have the World Phantogram - Fall In Love (Until The Ribbon Breaks Reimagination) CADE - Sorry for Myself Maroon 5 - Don't Wanna Know (feat. Kendrick Lamar) Kendrick's Socials CLEAN Album Version Julian Calor - Charge Me Up For more listening online I have just finished this mix (Tiësto - Live at Ultra Music Festival 2018) while linking albums on the Mix in the Makings.

First mix notes

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Date 2018-04-16 16:42:44

Craving some rock? I just found this <u>online streamer</u> for a rock station I listen to sometimes while driving. DJ/Announcer <u>Payton</u> is on between 10-2 (weekdays).

CKWAL Mix 18-3

Date 2018-05-07 12:01:00

Sunday 6th May 2018, 21:05 1:03:20 Kelsea Ballerini - Legends Felix Cartal - Worry (feat. Victoria Zaro) Tom Enzy - Origins StadiumX - The Fall (feat. BISHØP) David Gravell - The Future Josh Goodwill - Armour Explicit Nicky Romero & Florian Picasso - Only for Your Love (Extended Mix) Calvin Logue - Less Is More No Mana - Someone to Erase with Nottingham Forest Fans - You Don't Know What You're Doing (once near the end with increasing delay) Charli XCX - Emotional Alison Wonderland - Church (Naderi Remix) WATGOOD - Inhaler Syskey - Mind Right Explicit imVD - Ryuu BSNO & Gama - Tornado Explicit Sugarland - Babe (feat. Taylor Swift) Elevation Worship - Lo Harás Otra Vez (Do It Again) For more listening join me on this station (similar online streamer as previous post) that hooked me to country in Nebraska. Carsen is on in the afternoon and some Saturdays, Payton, who is mostly on that rock station now. Also in that network, 103.1 (Pop/Dance/Etc). Also, if you are in Denver (which I am not planning to be) this Vegan Prom is tempting. More info link.

CKWAL Mix 2018-2

Date 2018-04-22 08:01:48

Saturday 21st April 2018, 19:39 44:45 I have a lengthy story to go along with this one, but it is difficult to tell as at is split up over six years. So I don't steal the show, I'll just say I saw Avicii at the only EDC Chicago ever. He put out the most relaxed vibe ever with the trademarked backwards hat he shares with Prydz. Rick Pier O'Neil - Throaty Wheats - Terminal MORTEN - Beautiful Heartbeat (feat. Frida Sundemo) Avicii - Waiting For Love (Prinston & Astrid S Acoustic Version) KillSonik - Never Dream of Dying CJ Solar - Get Away With It Robotaki - Together We're Screwed (feat. Nevve) Avicii - Somewhere In Stockholm Smooth Jazz All Stars - Never Be the Same Miranda Lambert - Over You

Extra tracks for MiM #6

Date 2018-05-03 12:01:26

I have to start over for Mix in the Making #7, so I am putting this out there for #6. There should be enough for an encore. Also, a couple dedications had to removed and others are in the process of being updated to stay true to the mix. Charli XCX - Emotional Radiohead - Spinning Plates Watgood - Inhaler Calvin Logue - Less Is More Wild Culture - Love Myself (EXPLICIT) Sugarland - Babe Ft. Taylor Swift Elevation Worship - Do It Again (Live) Nottingham Forest Fans Anthology - You Don't Know What You're Doing Other notes: Once listen to previews of Too15room for first twenty tracks on Soundcloud.

May

Date 2018-05-06 19:38:08

It's May already. 2018-3 is going to happen as soon as the right mix falls together. Ckwal's main base-land is probably moving in late July. If so a great deal may change, though there is a potential for quite a bit to stay the same. I tried posting that earlier and plans started to disintegrate, so it'll at least be a vagabondish vacation. My main commitments so far this year have been: -9 Mix in the Making Lists (More subparts if time allows and musical works are found) -Up to 9 Mixes (So far there are 3 including the Special Edition) -Other entertaining or insightful information As Ckwal is a volunteer company and a requirement at the shelter I stay at currently is to officially volunteer, I have also been integrating community services. In relationship with my dedication to veganism, I have regularly been burying roadkill and other wildlife (such as birds, squirrels, possums, snakes) to respect these creatures and give them burials. *Check local guidelines for larger creatures if doing this yourself.* I find in the vegan culture besides strong resistance in politics, spirit and character there is a growth to the love and respect of animals because of the way they treat us. This isn't just with eating and cruelty-free products which abuse living creatures. Please slow down to the speed limit on the roads and pay attention when driving. Especially the giant trucks spewing rocks off their trailers. God gave me a mission post events from similar carelessness to share with you the solutions for our mistakes. Repenting from sins is a start to regaining our innocence and inner child-like appreciation of life. Those around us will try to corrupt this at any age and with prayer we can ask Jesus for the power to conquer any addiction. Life is riddled with these type of things and allures that shorten and cheapen our lives. Music is serious to me and it has saved my life from a kid when I started guitar covering Kurt Cobain songs and writing songs on guitar and piano out of depression from what I now believe was spiritual presence. I continue my musical career listening to top DJs and finding music. For me it is a 'Spiritual Revolution' in my own awareness to save and conquer our other unknown entities. In my experience along with being homeless for nearly two years and international travel of over seven years, I have found an ignorance in control of ones' own souls and misunderstandings of how to protect themselves along with their effect on others in this world and other parallel worlds, levels or what some may call heaven and hell living in existence alongside our lives. On top of that our language and translations miscalls common terms to mislead beings or attempt to make themselves gods which Christianity refers to as deities. I'll explain further as my guidance reveals more and in additional proofreads.

Mix in the Making #6

Date 2018-04-23 16:50:32

With most of the DJ scene grieving, I am posting June's homework early. Seems like I am posting these early every month, but this time I was really going to wait. One DJ that was and is always pushing the style boundaries and reaching new places with me back when I listened to his podcast regularly and now on Soundcloud is Laidback Luke. My friend in Russia, a young doctor/student at the time made me listen to Luke later. Andrey and I met on the street after a concert in St. Petersburg where I saw DJ Gira. I followed her podcast, while she was doing that, after discovering it when I moved back to the States. Anyways, a lot of this list ends with tracks from Mixmash Records and OTW. They are effective for me right now. I rediscovered his trail while recently checking up on all my VIP DJs which you can find on this page. I guess we all have to find new ways to dig when we reach a dead end or some rut online as many of our record stores and CD shops are closing. World travelling DJs just can't haul around a huge collection, so unless there is an alternate dimension where shops crate out a collection to mix on stage with shock absorbing record players, I don't foresee it being beyond local niches. I'm also using my unresponsive label list, Pitchfork and radio leads. I added a book find of the month and I'll update the links of the month section at the end for stuff to click on while your listening to other than instagrams. Mix in the Making #6 No Mana - Someone to Erase Camila Cabello - Never be the Same 3LAU & Said The Sky - Fire (Feat. NÉONHÈART) Super8 & Tab - Seconds Away (feat. Sarah DeCourcy) David Gravell - The Future System of a Down - Hypnotize CADE -Warning Sign Phil:osophy - Remember Nicky Romero & Teamworx - Champion Sound or Nicky Romero & Florian Picasso - Only For Your Love Nicky Romero & Lucky Date - Rip It Up (Nicky Romero Edit) 1788-L - P U L S A R / B E A M Tchami - Adieu (Heroless Remix) Hardwell - Here Once Again? or We Are Legends (would be good for a real power summer exercise warm-up) Kelsea Ballerini - Legends Felix Cartal - Worry (Ft. Victoria Zaro) Ghastly -Black Mamba Taska Black - In Your Eyes (ft. Ayelle) Gryffin - Winnebago (feat. Quinn XCII & Daniel Wilson) Alison Wonderland - Church or Church (Naderi Remix combined with The Presets Remix) Pryda - Stay With Me Tom Enzy - Origins Selecta - I Can't Wait Basky -Cantamos (feat. Le Prince) iMVD - Ryuu Shane54 - First Time (David Gravell Remix) (would be good transition from poprock to trance or house; starts strange otherwise) Syskey - Mind Right (EXPLICIT) BSNO & Gama - Tornado Josh Goodwill - Armour PBH & Jack Shizzle X AFISHAL - Genres Chill Duskus - Find You Vera Blue - Lady Powers (TOKiMONSTA Remix) Robert Glasper Experiment - No One Like You or Written In Stone (KAYTRANDADA Remixes) Fakear - Lost Colours or Sea Song Jeremy Zucker & Chelsea Cutler - Better Off Lauv - Getting Over You (R3HAB Remix) Albums out now Robotaki - Science - EP Various Artists -Toolroom 15 [TOO15OOM] Sting & Shaggy - 44/876 (Deluxe) Seeb - Nice to Meet You - EP CLEAN VERSION Stryper - God Damn Evil Eric Prydz - Tonja Holma EP (I like Global or Trippleton so far) available on Beatport Ones To Watch - EPs from last seven months found on Laidback Luke's Soundcloud named after wild creatures from Mixmash Records (Scorpion, Grizzly, Wolf, Elephant, Rhino, Mamba) EXPLICIT EXPLICIT Out later Sugarland - Bigger J Balvin - Vibras Armin van Buuren - A State of Trance 2018 Pendulum -The Reworks Other Notes: Catch up on Trance (Armin, Gravell and live at dreamstate festival '17 there is also a gallery podcast, Etc.) Catch up on other labels (Protocol, Wall, See Pages for ideas) & review my top DJs list (already did some of Romero's SC and some of Hardwell's; most

of featured and started on others) What about <u>Sirius</u> (<u>Just chill</u>) <u>Playlist search</u> **Book Find:** <u>Erin McKenna</u> recommends... Look Alive Out There by <u>Sloane Crosley</u>

Update (Last day of April)

Date 2018-04-30 12:30:03

I updated the below post with more shows and an updated intro essay. It applies to music and video games, videos, applications, text, intellectual property, whatever. It's important and a lot of stuff I am writing on here no one talks about. Dave Matthews sings, "...and these crimes between us grow deeper." I'm thinking about a new mix for next week as I type and listen to 'Black Messiah' by D'Angelo.

CKWAL Mix 2018-3 Festival Exclusive

Date 2018-05-13 10:47:16

I submitted this mix to thissongissick for a contest that gives passes to Electric Forest this summer as a prize. I wasn't going to even share this with anyone, but had a change of heart and sent it to them. I won't be able to attend this year, but I've been. I also was able to meet with these guys (from thissongissick) at a couple of festivals a few years ago. Typically they have artists in a tent for meet and greets. I handed the guy who used to be in Krewella (Rainman) a beer (the girls wouldn't take one because they had to sing later) and was able to give 12th Planet a demo one year. Tuesday 8th May 2018, 19:53 38:30 D'Angelo and The Vanguard - Really Love CADE - Warning Sign 3LAU & Said the Sky - Fire (feat. NÉONHÈART) Sugarland - Babe (feat. Taylor Swift) BLR - Labyrinth StadiumX - The Fall (feat. BISHØP) Syskey - Mind Right EXPLICIT Pryda - Stay With Me Camila Cabello - Never Be the Same (feat. Kane Brown) Modest Mouse - Wicked Campaign

CKWAL Mix 18-3 UV

Date 2018-05-19 11:46:41

This is an unpublished version of Mix #3. I made a couple mistakes and you can't really tell, so I'll share it as such. It's a good mix for transition from a 'radio-head' to whatever else you have to do afterwards. This is in thanks to radio announcer Payton who is on near Grand Island. Tuesday May 20th 2018, 20:14 63:32 Dave Matthews Band - If Only Noel Gallagher's High Flying Birds - Keep On Reaching Alison Wonderland - Church Charli XCX - Emotional 3LAU & Said the Sky - Fire (feat. NÉONHÈART) Camila Cabello - Never Be the Same (feat. Kane Brown) No Mana - Someone to Erase iMVD - Ryuu Josh Goodwill - Armour **EXPLICIT** Tom Enzy - Origins Syskey - Mind Right **EXPLICIT** Pryda - Stay With Me Calvin Logue - Less Is More BLR - Sanya Felix Cartal - Worry (feat. Victoria Zaro) D'Angelo and The Vanguard - Another Life System Of A Down - Hypnotize

Mix in the Making #7

Date 2018-05-17 12:32:48

For July already? Ckwal is moving to Houston or at least it's in motion. It won't be easy to pry myself out of Nebraska... I've added more links and a couple of books. This month things got serious in my head, but I guess it wasn't me I was listening for. Posting this now and will start work on an encore or the final two of the year. Mix in the Making #7 (plus concurrent notes) David Tort - Blob 2018 Apek - Upside Down feat. Carly Paige or Upside Down feat. Carly Paige (Sunstars Remix) or (Crossnaders Remix) for festival performers EDX - Anthem Burak Yeter X Ryan Riback - Go 2.0 Elton John - I Guess That's Why They Call it The Blues Tujamo - Body Language (feat. Miranda Glory & Haris) [Steff Da Campo Remix] or Tujamo - Body Language (Feat. Miranda Glory & Haris [TWISTERZ Remix] Alok - Bella Ciao (feat. Andre Sarate) Ella Henderson - Ghost Jason Aldean - Burnin' It Down Kieth Urban - Coming Home Dannic - Stay (feat. INNA) [Dannic & LoaX Remix] Nitti Gritti - Crack Thomas Rhett - Marry Me Ariana Grande - No Tears Left to Cry Enamour - Soul Release Carrie Underwood - Cry Pretty Jason Aldean - You Make It Easy or Rearview Town Luke Combs - One Number Away, When It Rains It Pours or Hurricane Maren Morris - I Could Use a Love Song Madison Mars - All They Wanna Be (Madison Mars Future Mix) Dirty Audio & BL3R - Bandana (feat. Young Buck) Chill Kiiara - Feels (F33LS DUCKY BOOTL3G) Noclu on Kikuji - Sickness or Wide (Discovered on bandcamp via NestHQ) Avoure - Voile or Solanca - Great Belt Solanca -Belladonna Albums Out Now (as of this posting) Hurts - Desire Lane 8 - Root To Branch, Vol. 2 (some tracks above from this) Foster the People - Sacred Hearts Club Album Out Later (some tracks or pre-orders available) Dave Matthews Band - Come Tomorrow Chromeo - Head Over Heels Wet - Still Run Rocket League X Monstercat Vol. 3 - EP Links of the month RodeMics Rode Grip on GC vowels or builders for Korean consonants phonesearchfree.com Books of the month Note: I have not read any of the 'books of the month' on this site. (still as of 6.6.18) Public Vows: A History of Marriage and the Nation Brand: Harvard... Wifework: What Marriage Really Means for Women

Random updates

Date 2018-05-21 20:05:32

I'm totally absorbed in my new hobby in between listening and the rarer mixing sessions. I was broken off from my year of tattoos when the artist said he would never tattoo me again. I am pondering some new ideas, but don't really think it's an 'anyone can do it' type of mentality. As it is not just about the talent or aesthetic artistry. I designed one based off of Oasis' logo in Korean (pictured below). I bought one album since Noel Gallagher's High Flying Birds latest album on repeat. 'As You Were' Apparently it was National Red Cross Day yesterday and coincidentally I donated my seventh unit of blood in my first year since starting that mission in North Platte last June. It is pretty much the maximum one can do. It is six units or three sessions if you are doing power red (double units). Last time it was the only thing that I was looking forward to doing. This time it was a big decider on what I was eating because as a strict vegan in central Nebraska who is also crazy about NON-GMO, there aren't a lot of choices. I habitually consumed whatever had the highest iron most mornings. Besides that though it kept me in Nebraska when I felt like giving up and moving somewhere else because of whatever stressors or relationship difficulties. By fate in this extra time besides getting better at my new hobby, will be life-changing positive experiences. Liam Gallagher's Instagram, Noel Gallagher's Instagram



Favorite Viveros Painting: <u>'If Looks Could Kill'</u> (This one was a planned tattoo, but was cancelled even after receiving *Viveros Brand* team approval.) Another idea was to combine these two: 'Naughty Naughty' (I'd call her Whisper) and 'Roses Are Blood Red' (I'd call her Wish) Tattoo instagram list (edited): Parental or mentor/guardian advisory: Possible explicit imagery and/or mature subject matter of a sometimes personal nature. Brian Viveros Matt Dunn Church Hill CJ Side note update 5.23.18 You may notice I post a lot of country songs which now talk about drinking and other potential problems in various ways. This is my fifth year of 100% sobriety from both. I know we can get more out of life in other ways now. So, don't think you have to live out all the lyrics literally, especially when you have these untradable songs. Also, I don't support smoking although I value the talent of duplicating the look of a burning cigarette in an oil painting. I didn't like Camila Cabello's song at first because I thought this may be how tabacco companies are advertising now. Now I think it is comparing how some choices alter yourself in ways that you can't go back from and actually does the opposite. Sometimes when we get tattoos or other comparable choices - we trade away something to remember our mistakes or sins; sometimes we are looking for something we lack and need to remember our aspirations, motivations, desires or needs. Wish and Whisper were names I thought up for future child names as I used to do when I taught English overseas (except as English' nicknames to compliment their native language name for primarily education purposes). They were for specific people in a dream-mind or my own future similarly. I am adding this update which was going to be on the

'Mix in the Making #7 Encore' which is in progress. It will be almost a complete post arriving sometime by the First of June.	

MiM #7 Encore Choices (Full Post)

Date 2018-05-24 13:27:36

7's Encore Sagan - Takes Me Higher (feat. Natalie Gioia) bülow | not a love song Bazzi - Mine **EXPLICIT** Garth Brooks - Ask Me How I Know Morgan Wallen - Up Down feat. Florida Georgia Line EXPLICIT Jason Aldean - Tonight Looks Good On You Mija - Talk (DEMPRIDE Remix) Currently NOT AVAILABLE 3LAU - Touch (Zeds Dead Remix) [feat. Carly Paige] Bottai - Assioma Sam Feldt Ft. Akon - Yes (Club Radio Mix) Could do with another few remix choices. StadiumX - Legend Clara Mae - I'm Not Her or I'm Not Her (Hook N Sling Remix) other remixes available Chocolate Puma - Get Out Of The Way Jason Aldean -Any Ol' Barstool SZA - Garden (Say It Like Dat) Mark Redito - Cloud Keep feat. Abbi Press (Bohkeh Remix) Boyz II Men - Water Runs Dry Duke Dumont - Ocean Drive (Alison Wonderland Remix) Choose from my favorites heard on The Magician's Magic Tape 79: VanJess - Through Enough (feat. GoldLink) **EXPLICIT** Kideko - Good Thing or the more recently released Good Thing (Danny Byrd Remix) The Magician - Love Break (feat. Hamza) Amber Mark - Love Me Right (ADP Remix) or as an alternative, Love Me Right (Sarz Remix) Chill (From Chill Vol. 41 on thisssongissick.com) Two Another - The Night Kasbo- Roots (feat. Amanda Fondell) Autograf- Dead Soon (feat. Lils & Bonsai Mammal) EXPLICIT Gene Evans Jr - 1. Like It's 1965 Marian Hill - Differently Tuff Ghost - Waterslide Cherry Beach - Gravity 070Shake - Mirrors EXPLICIT Albums Out Now (This section includes new or previously released albums I have never listed on this site. Typically because I wasn't aware of them yet if they are older than a few months.) Pryda - Elements (EP) Meat Loaf - Braver Than We Are (Bonus Version) **EXPLICIT** The Brian Jonestown Massacre - Something Else **Albums** Announced (Not released at the time of this posting. These albums will not be relisted on future posts.) Nine Inch Nails - Bad Witch Florence + The Machine - High As Hope EXPLICIT ONLY Dierks Bentley - The Mountain Lenny Kravitz - Raise Vibration EXPLICIT Lykke Li so sad so sexy EXPLICIT Tatianna- T1 Extra Link Naruto Wikia: Six Paths of Pain Extra Book Cameron Diaz - The Longevity Book (2016)

Soon June

Date 2018-05-30 14:34:45

CKWAL Mix 2018-4 S-alt

Date 2018-06-05 00:25:23

This mini mix is the only alternate I'll make to Mix 4. I could not even get the desire to think about another version with these tracks. This is one of those the DJs used to do some time ago when they were experimenting with starting and ending with the same tracks for whatever reason. It's starts off a little bit without overlapping transitions and ends early. Good for quick commutes or walks, as the first mix is a really 'big commitment' (something my brother said a while back when I handed him one of my first mixes to screen). I haven't seen him in several years shortly after that. Sunday 3rd June 2018, 20:48 35:42 Adele - Send My Love (To Your New Lover) DJ Tim Dolla & Nadus – Trap Trap Trap (Rmx) EXPLICIT Skrillex & Poo Bear – Would You Ever (4B Remix) Mike Williams – Don't Hurt (feat. Brezy) Dave Matthews Band -Rooftop Jensen Interceptor & Assembler Code – 2231 Tommy Trash – Lover (feat. Jesse Boykins III) [Hood Rich Remix] Illyus & Barrientos – So Serious Adele - Send My Love (To Your New Lover) ... after syncing with 'So Serious' drops down to 80 BPM and right before end section, before silence; slows down to 40 BPM and ends. If you are in London July 14.

CKWAL Mix 18-4

Date 2018-05-31 12:43:09

Wednesday 30th May 2018, 20:42 1:15:51 Boys Noize - Orvnge Jensen Interceptor & Assembler Code - 2231 Pryda - Elements Illyus & Barrientos - So Serious Worldtraveller - Green Turtle (Ambient Space Mix) Lamyadon - Our Destiny Jago Alejandro Pascua - Epica Adele - Send My Love (To Your New Lover) The Glitch Mob - How Could This Be Wrong (feat. Tula) Rae Sremmurd - Swang Kirk Franklin - Wanna Be Happy? Skrillex & Poo Bear - Would You Ever (4B Remix) La Fuente - Capitol Tommy Trash – Lover (feat. Jesse Boykins III) [Hood Rich Remix] Mike Williams - Don't Hurt (feat. Brezy) DJ Tim Dolla & Nadus - Trap Trap Trap (Rmx) **EXPLICIT** 070 Shake - Mirrors

Mix in the Making #8 (Part I)

Date 2018-06-05 17:06:48

MIM #8 Mark Knight - We Get High From The Music (Original Mix) [feat. Mr. V] Crowder -All My Hope (feat. Tauren Wells) Wild Culture - Love Myself feat. Queen Herby (Club Mix) **EXPLICIT** Lindsay Ell- Criminal Pearl Jam - Can't Deny Me Adele - Water Under the Bridge Wilson Phillips - Hold On Duke Dumont - Need You (100%) [feat. A*M*E*] [Wave & Odyssey Remix] Yves V & Futuristic Polar Bears - Running Wild (feat. PollyAnna) AJR - Sober Up (feat. Rivers Cuomo) Carly Pearce - Hide the Wine Silk City - Only Can Get Better Skillet - Brave Hannah Kerr - Warrior Oski - Gimme Some Maggie Rogers - Falling Water Justin Bieber & BloodPop® - Friends or Friends (feat. Julia Michaels) [MK Remix] Hardwell & KSHMR -Power (Mo Falk Remix)? Rush & Hydro X Gaveline - Memento Krosses - Losing My Grip Three Days Grace - The Mountain *Additions not listed from another note Oski - Gimme Some Dion Timmer - Cyan ft. The Arcturians Albums Out Now Ones to Watch - Fox EP, Dragun EP EXPLICIT *ANH & Quickly Quickly - Preach EP CLEAN VERSION Not Out Yet Ne-Yo -Good Man (Deluxe Edition) CLEAN VERSION Rhett Walker Band - Rhett Walker Band EP Parliament - Medicaid Fraud Dogg EXPLICIT ONLY Pusha-T - Daytona CLEAN VERSION Buddy Guy - The Blues Is Alive and Well Said the Sky - Wide-Eyed Goldfrapp - Silver Eye (Deluxe Edition)

Extra Tracks for Mix in the Making #8

Date 2018-06-13 07:42:40

It's possible to do two mixes with the combined tracks of the previous Mix in the Making post. Also, most of these posts have albums full of good choices for mixes. You may have noticed or will notice that I am making mixes based off these lists that borrow from each other. I guess that is because the tracks I'm feeling when I get to make them change as well as the spirit I'm trying to save. This period has been emotional and I am closing this list section now because it is a natural stopping point*. There is only one more Mix in the Making (#9) for the year and then I will be either mixing off these or doing something else until 2019. Right now my goal is to return to four mixes a month in 2019. Mix in the Making 8 II Jon Lemmon - Something True Ferndinand Weber - Nobody (Frank & Friedrich Remix) 3LAU & Said the Sky - Fire (Paris Blohm Remix) What So Not - Beautiful (feat. Winona Oak) Muse - Explorers Cake - Short Skirt/Long Jacket Taylor Swift - Bad Blood or Lullaby Rendition from Rockabye Baby! Louis The Child - Better Not (feat. Wafia) [Hotel Garuda Remix] Maren Morris - 80s Mercedes *Kelsea Ballerini - I Hate Love Songs *Selena Gomez - Back To You *Luke Combs - Houston, We Got a Problem *Linkin Park - Halfway Right *Said the Sky - Over Getting Over You (feat. Matthew Koma) *Tchami & Brohug - My Place (feat. Reece) EXPLICIT Christian Jonny Diaz - Define Me Mandisa - Good News Flows THEY. - Pops **EXPLICIT** Desiigner - Destination Diplo - Suicidal (feat. Desiigner) **EXPLICIT** Albums Out - Stone Temple Pilots - Stone Temple Pilots (2018) Book Series announced- Stranger Things from pitchfork.com Led Zepplin by Led Zepplin Research (heroes from my childhood): Casey Kasem Dick Biondi Billboard Motown Also, listen to Magic Tape #80 by The Magician at least twice. *Just listened to Club Life 583 after a long time away from his mixes. *Added to the list; today only.

One More Four

Date 2018-06-10 12:22:03

I said I wouldn't do another mix in series four. An exception candidate basically made itself when I added some of the country songs to my library. I decided to publish the MixList early for Fathers' Day to all the Fathers and fathers to be out there. Not to outshine my own father, but when I was conspiring the name to Ckwal from SKMillion there was a brainstorm about how my 'formerly know as...' was my artist-self's father. I tried not to let that seed too much because it quickly gave me identity problems as I was living around my real parents at the time. I am still reminded of that to this day and how it strangely jigsaws creatively into reality. CKWAL Mix 2018-4 Series Conclusion (Fathers' Day) Friday 8th June 2018, 21:25 53:48 Jago Alejandro Pascua - Epica Shakira - Nada Lamyadon - Our Destiny Flite- Progression Darius Rucker - If I Told You Cole Swindell - Middle of a Memory DJ Tim Dolla & Nadus - Trap Trap (Rmx) Cole Swindell - Middle of a Memory DJ Tim Dolla & Nadus - Trap Trap (Rmx) Jason Aldean - Rearview Town Jensen Interceptor & Assembler Code - 2231 Pryda - Elements LOCASH - Don't Get Better Than That

Vegan update

Date 2018-06-06 11:00:30

As I updated earlier, I donated my seventh blood unit and was celebrating with some pop chips that I thought were vegan. The website said they were vegetarian and I was disappointed to have to stop eating them and toss them to the birds trying to give up worms. Anyways I contacted the company and found they use bone char in the processing of the sugar. Is this even okay for vegetarians? End of story: I was able to celebrate with a tattoo of the Red Cross the day before, even though my stomach and vegan angels are pissed. This experience gave a different meaning to Rearview Town by Jason Aldean because I love this song and this town I'm in. Sometimes feel guilty for even singing it to myself.

A few pictures as promised.

Date 2018-06-19 23:23:31

Some pictures of Sugarland at Mandalay Bay (June 16th) found on <u>Zimbio</u> or <u>Getty Images</u>. Some pictures of Blink 182 at Pearl in Palms Casino (June 16th) found on Blink 182's instagram. 1 2 3 Nelly last night (June 19th) at Drai's in Vegas. Found on Instagram by rismiles8.

CKWAL Mix 2018-5 SE

Date 2018-06-25 14:20:37

I was really liking how this 'one of those ones' themed while mixing it with 'dual minds' so to speak. Sunday 24th June 2018, 21:27 40:39 Michael Ray - Get to You Liam Gallagher - Paper Crown Triarchy - Bad Habit (feat. Skela) Martin Roth - Hypno Seq (Extended Mix) Liam Gallagher - I Never Wanna Be Like You Ariana Grande - no tears left to cry Selecta - I Can't Wait The Glitch Mob - Take Me with You (feat. Arama) Frida Sundemo - Over You (feat. Kasbo) [Pure Version] Naux Faux - Flip Gnosis Michael Ray - Get to You

CKWAL Mix 2018-5 SEAV

Date 2018-07-01 14:48:21

Special Edition Alternate Version Saturday 30th June 2018, 22:09 39:52 Chris Tomlin - Whom Shall I Fear [God of the Angel Armies] Miranda Lambert - Over You Empire of the Sun - On Our Way Home Naux Faux - Flip Gnosis (Cut short blend to) The Glitch Mob - Take Me with You (feat. Arama) Cheat Codes - Put Me Back Together (feat. Kiiara) Until The Ribbon Breaks - Goldfish Liam Gallagher - Chinatown U2 - Invisible (RED) Edit Version Jaytech - Song of Fire (Extended Mix) Grum - Hourglass (Extended Mix)

CKWAL Mix 2018-5

Date 2018-06-21 12:24:12

I used Miranda's 'Over You' again to go back to the first meaning I thought of before Avicii's death. That is one of being left by a lover or close friend. Wednesday 20th June 2018, 20:40 49:42 Miranda Lambert - Over You Cheat Codes - Put Me Back Together (feat. Kiiara) Empire of the Sun - On Our Way Home Gent & Jawns - Champion Sound Teddy Killerz - Reptile Naux Faux - Flip Gnosis Michael Ray - Get to You Frida Sundemo - Over You (feat. Kasbo) [Pure Version] Triarchy - Bad Habit (feat. Skela) U2 - Invisible (RED) Edit Version Martin Roth - Hypno Seq (Extended Mix) Jaytech - Song of Fire (Extended Mix) Ariana Grande - no tears left to cry Dave Matthews Band - Belly Full

Mid June Update

Date 2018-06-17 19:24:02

I typically haven't been moved to move on a move with so much time ahead of the trip. It's is proving to be challenging in many ways, but probably has it's positive advantages. I'm thinking of putting together a mix before the end of this month. I did one this morning and it's hodgepodge though I almost thought it was going to force me to post these tracks today, as the first section was melting together naturally. Then I tried to follow Ariana Grande with Michael Ray and it fell apart with a booing audience (metaphorically). Anyways these are mostly from Mix in the Making #5 which as of now is incomplete, in part because I used some of these already. I bought this vegan sunscreen which is pretty terrible. If it could be used as glue, like a few house tracks, then I would do that. *Update 6/18/18 - I found the tracks I needed on the same page I made in March and one new track from a great album by Naux Faux discovered on Bassnectar's Soundcloud page. I also updated and republished this update from May. It's about my volunteer work I am on and off with in association with my commitment to a vegan lifestyle which is beyond what goes in and on our bodies. I listened to this mix by Miss Monique. It is live at Radio Intense, so I am not positive if this is considered Mind Games Podcast anymore.

Mix in the Making #8 III

Date 2018-06-20 15:16:17

Since it's 2018 the theme has been a kind of 'forever'. For families, kids or the 'young at heart' it may have been long lasting toys or something like that... I'm taking a break from my new hobby and decided to post more music in my frustration. (Don't think this is how I'll react everytime.) Here is the first part of #9 as a second mix for #8 or for some DJs it will be a third, in case you are using album tracks or carry-overs/impulse buys for the mixes. I am having a tough time with #5, so I know these are not easy to do as weekly mixes. This is because of theme, momentum, possibly practice and time in relation to the cutting edge of relevance to my current standing or situation. Brett Young - Like I Loved You Dropgun - Dark Sky Lush & Simon - Feel So Carrie Underwood - Before He Cheats CID - I Miss You DJ Drew - What Did She Say Furo - Bushman Hedo - Put Em Up Sheni Doko x Gianka - Gun Control Deadmau5 - Let Go (feat. Grabbitz) Enzo Bennet - Shadowman G JONES - UNDERSTANDING THE POSSIBILITY Signum feat. Scott Mac - Coming on Strong (Gareth Emery & Ashley Wallbridge Remix) BLR - La Luna (Festival Mix) Tommy Trash & i o (aka io Band) - Oxygen (feat. Daisy Guttridge) MNEK -Colour (feat. Hailee Steinfeld) BLACKPINK - DDU-DU DDU-DU or Really Freya Ridings -Ultraviolet Galantis - Spaceship (feat. Uffie) ASCO - Baccano Thomas Feelman - Zephyr Antoine Delvig - Cinco Chill Attlas - Further Blue Mora - Noi HolyU - Lift arrived second Floor Christian Zach Williams - Chain Breaker Natalie Grant - More Than Anything Albums out already (recent or previously unlisted) Various Artists (Hexagon) -Generation Hex 007 E.P. (Two listed already above) The Gorillaz - Humanz (Deluxe) Joey Bada\$\$ - ALL-AMERIKKKAN BADA\$\$ Sigrid- Raw EP Katy Perry - Witness Kelsea Ballerini -Unapologetically 311 - MOSAIC Coldplay - Kaleidoscope EP Kylie Minogue - Golden Mighty Mighty Bosstones - While We're At It DNCE - People to People EP BLACKPINK - SQUARE UP EP To be released The Gorillaz - The Now Now (6.29.18) Jason Mraz - Know. Interpol -Marauder Panic! at the Disco - Pray For The Wicked August Burns Red - Phantom Anthem Grateful Dead - Pacific Northwest '73-'74: Believe It If You Need It (Live) Disclaimer: I have not listened to all albums on this list. Some of the albums are for friends of the past that used to like certain bands that may not have time to keep up with releases. Usually I list artists I trust with each release and will listen as an album, so until I can afford the releases I listed, I will not listen to excerpts. Thanks for understanding. Clean lyrical versions and Deluxe albums usually defaulted when available. Otherwise look for explicit warnings on cover.

Soon July

Date 2018-06-19 12:12:08

This is an update to Soon June. The June events I listed will end tonight. I wonder if anyone went and saw a Ckwal 'clone'. Nelly would be fun to party with in Vegas tonight, but I'm just dreaming about these events. I'll scour the internet tonight after work to see if I can find pictures from these *countdown to summer* events. Besides that I haven't had any thoughts about the virtual wedding. It is probably an incorrect term because I'm a traditional guy in that arena. I'm not optimistic about it as I'll be turning 38 next month when I take a bus to Houston. So I'm still debating how to live up to the event and make a fun celebration and mix. So please try to have patience. It's not even halfway through the year and Ariana Grande was already flicking us off (they took it down). She knows the lyrics to that popular country song 'Marry Me'. Do you? Update: Mariah is going some exotic places before the end of the year.

CKWAL Mix 2018-5 (Encore)

Date 2018-07-06 13:05:42

I made another one that would follow one of the other editions better, but it's overwhelming at seconds over an hour. I don't know what it is because I cannot keep mixing these songs. There is a big, ironically unintended pause after Rusko's song and Krewella's track talks about Tylenol, which like most medicines, have some animal product in them. Tuesday 3rd July 2018, 21:33 37:14 Krewella - Fortune (feat. Diskord) R3HAB & Waysons - Shanghai Axel Boy - Days Gone xie - Drip **EXPLICIT** Rusko- Mind the Gap ______ Mike Williams & Dastic - You & I (BVRNOUT Remix) Alison Wonderland - Space Knife Party - Reconnect Ilan Bluestone - Guru Seven Lions & Jason Ross - The Sirens Radiology - Phobia (Extended Mix) Whipped Cream & KTRL - Gray **EXPLICIT**

Encore for 2018-5

Date 2018-07-08 16:08:10

2018-5 (Encore) goes with 2018-5 SEAV and this probably follows the original mix. In other news I'm working on my TV show checklist *(now unpublished as of 5.23.19). I got a tattoo of Sasuke from Naruto after buying one DVD. Today instead of getting all the tracks for the rest of my mixes, I bought Pushing Daisies, Human Target, Michael Jackson's 'This is It' and Gordon Ramsay's self spoken autobiography. So, I guess Gordon is going to be my company on the bus ride to Texas in twelve days with a review from Keith Urban's latest if I can't overplay it. SMH. Friday 6th July 2018, 19:38 35:53 Drake - Childs Play CLEAN VERSION minus intro; starts at, "She's at the game." Alison Wonderland - U Don't Know (feat. Wayne Coyne) [Daktyl Remix] R3HAB & Waysons - Shanghai Phish - Waiting All Night U2 - This Is Where You Can Reach Me Now Rusko - Mind the Gap Axel Boy - Days Gone Krewella - Fortune (feat. Diskord) Mike Williams & Dastic - You & I (BVRNOUT Remix) Knife Party - 404

Mix in the Making #9

Date 2018-07-02 17:14:17

I thought I might add to this. There will probably be an encore as this is the final 'Mix in the Making' of the year. MIM #9 Carrie Underwood - See You Again Bad Religion - The Kids Are Alt-Right Colouring - Hymn 21 Ruston Kelly - Jericho Gryffin - Just For A Moment (feat. Iselin) Goody Grace - Judas Riley Clemmons - Broke Gallant - Doesn't Matter (feat. A\$AP Ferg) or Doesn't Matter MorMor - Lost or Whatever Comes to Mind Curbi - Polar Snavs & WiDE AWAKE - Turn Left R3HAB & Krewella - Ain't That Why (22Bullets Remix) Zeds Dead & Ganja White Night - Samurai Hilda & Don Diablo - Wake Me When It's Quiet Mesto - Give Me Love Brett Young - In Case You Didn't Know STARX & Distort - Moksha Virtual Self - Ghost Voices (Shadient Edit) Marnik & Danko - Hymn (Till My Kingdom Comes) Enrique Iglesias - MOVE TO MIAMI (feat. Pitbull) Zedd, Maren Morris, Grey - The Middle (Curbi Remix) Cirez D - The Glitch Christian Mark Schultz - Lift Up Your Hands (When You Can't) Phil Wickman - This Is Amazing Grace Chris Tomlin - Good Good Father Albums Out Blinker and Moses - Alive in the East? (Live at Total Refreshment Centre, London 2017) Drake - More Life Drake - Scorpion Cirez D - MOUSE 024 (Dare U) John Coltrane - Both Directions at Once: The Lost Album

Update from header tagline 7.2-7.3.18

Date 2018-07-04 00:01:02

Priority notification: Clif Bars, Silk and Rice Dream marked Pareve Dairy (unconfirmed shared machinery, products, or no ritualized cleaning); Hoka shoes unconfirmed (I bought some after reading this blog post. I tried to comment on the post, but it wasn't read or approved. Also, this supposed vegan is hanging out on what looks like to be leather. So, I would beware this blog is about vegan recommendations). If anyone sees an error in anything listed, please comment asap and I can change it. I am on a journey and not trying to mislead. My main dishes for everyday are almost all gone due to updated labeling or misinformation. If you are following long time vegans like Moby, keep in mind they have foods and materials that look like those of an animal family, but they are not the same. They are actually better and will replace any notion you had of favorites. Thanks for reading and listening. + Update 7.6.18 + Those looking for iron rich beverages to get ready for donating blood frequently without shared dairy facility could consider Ripple or Full Circle. I'll research these further, but I can't assume the certified vegan stamp is strict with what they allow to share facilities or machinery without reason or quoted desire to change. In ten days I'll appropriately disturbingly reach the first gallon to Red Cross. ++ Also, I have bought the tracks for the encore of the 2018-5 editions. You know I'm spending more time with these.

Vegan update (vehicles and more)

Date 2018-07-09 16:16:37

I was kind of avoiding this as it pertains to one of the reasons I am in debt (CDL education) and my job while trying to gain experience in it or find something else. This is an article I can start the bad news with from Huffington Post. Probably something I am missing about why things still are this way and why I am only bothered and finding out about it at 37 years old. If you are a new vegan, I wouldn't get discouraged because things change quickly and it only strengthens your achievements unless you do 'Breaking Bad' so to speak. Even in some vegan restaurants you may not find such strictness with ingredient manufacturing and things like rat traps, dish soap, or restaurant cleaning brands. This stuff exists and some places may already be ahead of me on this concept. My most recent vision was a hotel with restaurant and venue built from the ground up with these ideals. Then we would have to confront other issues about what guests try to sneak into the place and what's the word... It is in the future and technology is making anything possible.

2018-6 Ver.2 & Ver.3

Date 2018-07-24 17:23:46

Ver.2 Monday 23rd July 2018, 14:59 52:19 Vera Blue - Lady Powers (TOKiMONSTA Remix) Audeka - Ignition Coil Dosem - Just In Time Wild Culture - Love Myself (feat. Qveen Herby) **EXPLICIT** Drake - Too Good (feat. Rihanna) Knife Party - Begin Again Wet - This Woman Loves You Super8 & Tab - Seconds Away (feat. Sarah deCourcy) Delta Heavy - I Need You Radiohead - Like Spinning Plates Keith Urban - Drop Top (feat. Kassi Ashton) Elevation Worship - Do It Again (Live) Ver.3 Monday 23rd July 2018, 21:26 46:16 Radiohead - Like Spinning Plates Audeka - Combustion Chamber Keith Urban - Horses (feat. Lindsay Ell) Wet - Lately Phil:osophy - Remember (play about half) Vera Blue - Lady Powers (TOKiMONSTA Remix) U2 - Every Breaking Wave Dosem - Just In Time Wild Culture - Love Myself (feat. Qveen Herby) **EXPLICIT** Drake - Controlla Hardwell, Kaaze & Jonathan Mendelsohn - We Are Legends (Extended Remix) Knife Party - Red Dawn

End of July update

Date 2018-07-26 20:22:02

I recently moved to Houston and even though my life is a wreck, the first two days were some kind of dream after thirty something hours on a bus. I bought Wet's latest album 'Still Run' on the way after I listened to Gordon telling his book. I needed one more album besides what I had and this one has been with me. It is one of those that makes you sad because they as a band or she as a singer are probably about to be too big to be 'near to us' in no time, if you know what I mean. I was thinking of words to write about it though I don't always like to try to do that. One song reminds me of a Phil Collin's classic that might have come on the radio when I was a younger guy and others are like new jazz standards that have never been heard. Anyways, between this one and Graffiti U, I have really felt supported in these hard times.

CKWAL Mix 2018-6 Ver.1

Date 2018-07-19 23:18:02

I could probably do a little better version, but this one has a decent theme and feels like warming up the whole time. Funny/serious story about Alison Wonderland. When she was passing through Chicago on the Run tour, I bought a ticket where I saw a really unique show by Tove Lo earlier that same year. The hologram on the ticket looked like some image of Jesus. I went to the show thinking of how I was going to try to get back stage to meet her. Everything outside was completely 'wonderland'. Frightening surreal I became frozen and paranoid about being in a different dimension and having the hologram of Jesus ripped in half by the ticket taker, so I never went into the venue. I was completely sober too. Later I had to sell almost all of my CDs for around a dollar or so each and I put the whole ticket in my copy of 'Run' for the next listener. Wednesday 18th July 2018, 20:35 58:55 Elevation Worship - Do It Again (Live) Audeka -Torque Limit Delta Heavy - I Need You Alison Wonderland - Messiah Carrie Underwood - See You Again Dosem - Just In Time Texas Time (half a line mix) Keith Urban - Texas Time (Intro) mix into 'Just In Time' and overlay immediately following at end with.. Ghastly - Black Mamba Nicky Romero & Teamworx - Champion Sound (Extended Mix) Super8 & Tab - Seconds Away (feat. Sarah deCourcy) R3HAB & Lucky Date - Rip It Up (Nicky Romero Edit) Hardwell, Kaaze & Jonathan Mendelsohn - We Are Legends (Extended Mix) Wet - You're Not Wrong 1788-L -Pulsar Beam Phil:osophy - Remember

CKWAL Mix 2018-7

Date 2018-07-31 00:35:50

At a mix a month, we are barely caught up. One left for August and if it's possible both in patience and other concerns, one in September with lots of other ideas in between. Monday 30th July 2018, 10:55 41:58 Madison Mars - All They Wanna Be (Madison Mars Future Mix) [feat. Caslin] Jason Aldean - Burnin' It Down The Magician - Love Break (feat. Hamza) *Possibly explicit* Alok, Bhaskar & Jetlag Music - Bella Ciao (feat. Andre Sarate & Adolfo Celdran) Tujamo - Body Language (feat. Miranda Glory & Haris) [Steff DaCampo Remix] Bottai - Assioma (Extended Mix) EDX - Anthem (Extended Mix) Dannic - Stay (feat. INNA) [Dannic & LoaX Remix] APEK - Upside Down (feat. Carly Paige) Enamour - Soul Release Marin Morris - I Could Use a Love Song

Final Mix in the Making List

Date 2018-07-13 18:04:24

I finished most of this today and scrambling for a couple of days after the first part of the list went to pause. I'm still going to try to do nine official main mixes following the lists I wrote. Anything new I discover goes back to the vault for bonus mixes or the end of the year mix. Encore for Mix in the Making #9 Sick Individuals - Kodi KAAZE - I'm Coming Home (Extended Mix) iMVD X Rodrigo Howell - Warudo Tom Budin x Kopa - Things Change Unity -The Bump Selena Gomez & Marshmello - Wolves Zonderling x Don Diablo - No Good Stadiumx - It's Not Right But It's Okay Erra - Breach Meek Mill - Stay Woke (feat. Miguel) CLEAN version KIDZ BOP Kids - Let Me Go from Kidz Bop 38 Nephew - Grundvold Benjah -Lightas The Presets - Downtown Shutdown (Nicky Night Time Remix) Midnight Xpress -Photon Michael Brun - Jalouzi CHVRCHES - Miracle (Manila Killa Remix) 50 Cent - Crazy (feat. PnB Rock) Sepalcure - Dial Your Line (feat. Kevin Hussein) [1AM Edit] M.I.A. - P. O. W. A Knife Party & Tim Morello - Battle Sirens (Ephward Remix) Christian Nichole Nordeman -Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus Cory Asbury - Reckless Love Classical Mozart - Piano Sonata No. 14 in C Minor, K. 457 (a performance by Mikhail Pletnev) From House, Tech House, Techno Vol. 2 by Toolroom Records Optimuss - On the Limit Scott Forshaw & Greg Stainer - Prism Dino Maggiorana - Aqua Ben Remember - Lost in the Woods Ferdinand Weber - Nobody Albums deadmau5 - mau5ville : Level 1 Third Eye Blind - Thanks for Everything We the Kings - Six FRND - Erase (Reimagined) - EP Bakermat - Do Your Thing / Lion - Single Booka Shade -Cut the Strings - Album Remixes 2 Max Freegrant & Miss Monique - Fgvii The Dø - Live at l'Olympia, Paris Chevelle - The North Corridor SWV - Still Avicii - Lonely Together (feat. Rita Ora) [Remixes] Enei & Kasra - Transmitter - EP Announced Alice In Chains - Rainier Fog Good Charlotte - Rx Ruston Kelly - Dying Star

More on the vegan/cruelty free research. Read to the end for the good news.

Date 2018-07-16 15:20:28

I recently was communicating with Vegan Action from vegan.org about how they can approve a product with a U-D label on it and still be vegan. You can find most of their information on their website. This I have updated along with other posts found on the vegan compilation posts page. It still brings up more discussion that many people ignore. I was searching for clarification and it didn't take long to find support in the research, but also doesn't take long to find misinformed websites that are full of good information. Well is it misinformation or is the problem in what companies really don't know about their own products. Some business persons might be on an island somewhere putting their brand on something that has been compiled from outsourced parts that even the most informed customer service representative has no idea about. They don't visit their own factory nor their partnerships' factories. It is possible the source product is hidden behind several tiers of who knows what? So we have to make everything ourselves from the building blocks and still communicate about every part. Don't think that reading someone's blog and buying a pair of shoes will guarantee you have a really well loved product. If you have seen an image of a white rabbit's hair burned down to the skin and you have a ton of income with a company without at least thoughts of how to make your company avoid this everyday, you are corrupt in some way. Especially if you have a scripted email to 'deal' with an email from someone like me. Another problem which has improved is customer service representations not answering all the questions you ask or failing to read what you wrote them. Is it because there is that much bad feedback? My basic notes this morning are these: Cruelty-free vs vegan: aren't they the same? Some companies, websites, labels and even communications are confused or confusing. I think if a company or product isn't 100% vegan than it isn't cruelty-free. Read below about honey and milk to see and think about this topic. So how does this affect me living in Nebraska where they haul cows in masses in the back of prison trucks? Well, I don't have many choices and even the vegan cereal or granola I consume every day has another variety in the same brand that has honey in the product line. There is even one with a 'save the bees' campaign that has honey in one of their cereals. Go figure out how this makes one sleep at night. Even when I cut out nearly everything there isn't much left out here in the country. If it is 'vegan approved' then it has probably been on a machine leased by a different brand that is shared with at the minimum some dairy product and cleaned with most likely cruel cleaning products. Part of the reason is money, but not most of the time. I really think it is awareness and the fact that most people can't start this journey. Our culture is to ingrained or even souled by demons if you are a believer to act, feel and live a certain way. That will lead me to the next vegan post on why shared machinery needs to be changed and what I think Jesus has to do with all of this battle. Example on a website that is confusing or confued: https://logicalharmony.net/cruelty-freevegan-brand-list/ I recently emailed her about this because there is a list that says it is cruelty free with some that are marked 100% vegan. Well they should all be both, so unless I am reading something wrong, she has been misled. Here is a link about how honey is not so innocent. This is stuff that just thinking about reasons why a vegan wouldn't eat honey come to mind, but for nearly thirty something years of my life, I never thought of once. So, if you are wondering why I am blogging all the time about this it is because I feel a responsibility to share not only what I am told is the truth, but what I feel has been spoken to my soul from God. That brings up more

questions to others: Why now? https://www.peta.org/issues/animals-used-for-food/animals-usedfood-factsheets/honey-factory-farmed-bees/ Type in the google search box for example: "Is milk cruel" Top results: http://www.onegreenplanet.org/animalsandnature/is-there-more-cruelty-in-aglass-of-milk-or-pound-of-beef/ https://www.peta.org/issues/animals-used-for-food/animalsused-food-factsheets/cows-milk-cruel-unhealthy-product/ https://www.peta.org/features/dairyindustry-cruelty/ Biggest conflicts below for me personally, that if I stop buying them, I may not be eating. The bible says we can fast for up to 30 days, but there is really 'no safe way to do this' and it makes working very difficult to impossible. See the posts around the time when I experienced that for more information. -Brands that say they are vegan and sell honey options -U-D and certified vegan Other things to consider: Parent companies, umbrella brands or megacorporations that all OK or are required by law to test on animals. This is where we have a problem with the law. -Shoe brands or other products that use leather products for fashion or use cruel products in them. If you don't have a problem with it or don't care to find out, how about a law that makes it required to tell all of us which ones are cruel and do have animal products so it is more expensive to kill or hurt than not to kill or not to hurt. Bottom line for me in this is: I don't know how I am going to proceed. I see long time vegans eating at restaurants with products named after the non-vegan ones and I think I would never go to one. I worked in a vegan restaurant and since becoming stricter, I probably would have been in outrage about some of the things I saw there enough to quit. In turn though I would have had to eat at local free food/soup kitchens/shelter meals etc. and given up my vegan status. The person from vegan action said on says on their website that certain ideals I hold would be more harmful then helpful to making others want to become vegan and the vegan community, but I don't know because we are behind the times and it has taken me less than two years to catch up. So, how fast do you think our children will find out and feel betrayed or react even more strongly? I think of boycotts, picketing, mass starvations or suicides. Also, everyone loves their animals at home more than their own children or significant other sometimes, so is it because you never owned a cow you can't give up McDonalds? I think that until there are at least 50% fast food places that are strict vegan and affordable; we are a lazy, unbelieving human race. ------ Besides giving up all of this stuff that I would rather not consume, buy or have on my body etc.., the good news is that with the rest of this month I am thinking of sharing some top ten lists until the end of the year along with the rest of the main mixes and possibly some different entertaining subjects. These top ten lists or approximately that number will be of my own life from being born in 1980 to now. Top 10 lists 80s / 90s Singer songwriters of childhood Or pop singers / boy band / girl band Scene changers in music ex: Weird Al Top rock bands of high school or previous Top oldies and classic rock Top ten life changers in entertainment Movies lists and other TV shows I watched growing up Sports legends of childhood

The clean, healthy vegan/survival notes

Date 2018-07-29 03:26:43

Basics Method dish soap (Available at Target) (Dilute with water for body uses) They also make detergent which is cruelty-free. Earthy clean dishes (Available at Hy-Vee) survival tip: both I have tested for pretty much everything. Find your cruelty-free brand. I choose alcohol-free scents or varieties.) First response essential oils mixed with natural grapefruit seed witch hazel spray (Thayer's). Also, drinking lots of 100% Grapefruit juice (natural antibiotic; these tips from the Natural store in Kearney, NE. Thanks Alicia.) Biokleen BAC-OUT Bathroom Cleaner (Hy-Vee and other natural stores) *These in addition to prayer assisted healthcare*.

Early September Listening

Date 2018-09-03 21:17:15

It's already September and Ckwal is really taking time off. Well the non-Ckwal side of me is working. I do have some discoveries for you to listen to now. I haven't got a chance to listen to it myself because I lost my headphones, God forbid. I thought I'd notify you that the new Magic Tape is out by The Magician. It's #82. "Who's afraid of 82?" Armin's crew would say. Well that is the year my brother was born, so it depends on which one you get! Also, check out Hexagon's Soundcloud. This label's style (founded by Don Diablo who has a regular podcast too) is really unique and getting more reliably astounding on their futuristic tracks. I like these newer ones so far: Stadiumx & Metrush - Do It Again (feat. BISHØP) Bali Bandits - All On You (If I Can See) The next two are my favorite which are part of an album on Hexagon called Festival Weapons EP that is all pretty good. Jordan Jay & Arena - Perfect LOUD ABOUT US! - Kill The Beat Also, my new radio talent crush is one of the ladies on 99.5 FM. I think she is on around 10am through lunch, but the morning announcer is fun to listen to also and one of the guys on later plays decent playlists. It's Indian music or Bollywood? and I can't change the station. There are so many music styles and hybrids. So, if you are in Houston or can stream it online, I recommend it. That's all I got for now.

Date 2018-09-06 23:44:44

I was consuming Simply Juice as I said in an earlier post for health and Iron absorption to donate blood. One of the only reasons I live lately. Everytime I find a regular it is taken away by a *woohoo* new flavor. Typically honey. This time its D3 (sheep's wool is the source). I guess I should have known because it's Coca Cola. They don't put that on the bottle though. I guess I was blinded to it until someone lifted the veil. Or was it because they crossed the line to make a new demon. Collect them all! I'm sick to death of you hiding this from me my whole life and know your empire will fall. Carmel color from animals and not simply juice anymore. I know you could care less what happens to me, but what if it was you designing new versions of OJ on the table needing my blood? Are you going to reject the vegan blood who possibly stayed alive only to save you? It doesn't take much to ruin the world, it takes a lot to save it. Are you still waiting for the sun to burn out or do you see the light? Miracles are shown everyday to me, but many fail to open their perception. If you wait you will fear how long you forced them closed when chances were given to you to change your ways. I stopped waiting and it is difficult to avoid his wrath as you beat me down for no reason. Not many read this, but I see it's consequence sometimes before I write it. Some are so deep in the darkness, my screaming will never get them out.

CKWAL's 2018 Bridge

Date 2018-08-05 17:06:50

This mix is mostly Christian music though they can apply to most life situations. This is my second year of being homeless and vegan (two years soon and end of September respectively). I have stayed in four shelters identified as Christian or some kind of mission from Chicago to Denver to Kearney, NE to Houston. There is no stereotypical group found here as you may conjure up images without this kind of experience. It is so difficult sometimes with spiritual warfare that can be of the mind and spirit or the battle of life between the streets and sometimes struggling to keep a place to sleep. Sometimes it feels like a job or recovering or whatever it is you are trying to accomplish is nearly impossible. With daily sermons or speeches, messages, music and or videos, classes on the Bible or life skills, meetings and constant prayer it seems with faith, time and hard work, almost everything is possible. This mix of all the Christian music left of the year and some new ones is dedicated to the Star of Hope Men's Center in Houston. It exercises strong faith and other specific skills similar to the Pacific Garden Mission in Chicago in some ways, but very different in other ways. I was a person who rarely liked Christian music and still am very picky about it, so this is a rare mix along with a rare thing I am doing by letting go of my iPod. This year has been about taking big breaks from the mixes while exploring and understanding other parts of our culture in America and putting what we can into those as we would have with our main passions. I'll be back with the top ten lists soon. Sunday 5th August 2018, 11:21 1:19:18 Natalie Grant - More Than Anything Zach Williams - Chain Breaker Chris Tomlin - Good Good Father Keith Urban - Same Heart Skillet - Brave Lauren Daigle - Trust in You Jonny Diaz - Define Me Hannah Kerr - Warrior Nichole Nordeman - Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus (Look Up) Hillsong Live - I Surrender (Live) Wet - Love is Not Enough Mandisa - Good News Cory Asbury - Reckless Love Blanca - Real Love Hillsong Young & Free - Real Love (Live) Mark Schultz - Lift Up Your Hands (When You Can't) Audeka & Rawtekk - Dark Energy Crowder - All My Hope

Extra! 4Listening (Updated regularly until next post)

Date 2018-08-11 18:11:26

This probably won't be an official mix, so it isn't an official 'Mix in the Making'. . Adding new tracks to this post weekly or when short list is compiled. Extra! Mefjus & Kasra - Decypher Bingo Players - Love Me Right DANTE KLEIN - The Way I Love You (feat. Cimo Fränkel) Ravitez - I'm Not The One (KIIDA Remix) AJXJS - The Moment Dino Maggiorana - Crash Ashton Shuffle - Everything I Got Spiros Kaloumenos - Acting Like Nothing Happened Sublime With Rome - Wicked Heart Odesza - Across The Room (feat. Leon Bridges) [Tycho Remix] Moses Sumney - Rank & File Humain & Sander - Choice Nicky Romero & Taio Cruz - Me On You Tom Tyger vs. Charles B & VCTRY - One Too Many Tech N9ne - Don't Nobody Want None or Comfortable (both 'Live at Vevo') Charles Jenkins & Fellowship Chicago - War From paper notes: lost and found Aevion - The Journey (Oliver Heldens Edit) Gianluca Vacchi -Viento Ferreck Dawn - Higher Inpetto - G-String Nervo - Why Do I (feat. LUX) Classic Add-Ins Dave Matthews Band - Last Stop Smashing Pumpkins - Bullet With Butterfly Wings KC & The Sunshine Band - That's The Way (I Like It) Technotronic - Pump Up The Jam Out Now Bassnectar- Reflective, Pt. 3 Yotto - Hyperfall Out Later Blues Traveler - Hurry Up & Hang Around The Prodigy - No Tourists Listened to Ummet Ozcan's Innerstate 190 (A little explicit, but good for staying focused in a clinch situation) Just Added (to 8.14.18) Foster The People -Doing It for the Money Excision & Illenium - Gold (Stupid Love) (ft. Shallows) Luke Combs -She Got the Best of Me DJ Drew - Massive Elephante - Have It All (feat. Nevve) Stay Loose -Fight Back (feat. Nevve) Boombox Cartel - Whisper (ft. Nevve) DROELOE - BACKBONE (ft. Nevve) Curtis Alto - Hold Me Close Bali Bandits - All On You (If I Can See) BROHUG - Be Somebody? Yotto - The One You Left Behind feat. Vök? Albums/EPs DROELOE - The Choices We Face (except #7) Yotto - Hyperfall (9.7 Debut Album) Just Added (to 8.19.18) Genix - I Don't Wanna Nitrous Oxide - Flat Six Luttrell - Intergalactic Plastic (Bebetta or Clarian Remix) BLR - Cordoba LVNDSCAPE - Gumburanjo 9Lives & Arsen - Leave Our Mark (feat. Nathan Brumley) Averdeck - Syntico Subliminals & Cytrax - Speaker Wasback, DIVARO & RMCM - Over Again Dropgun & Asketa - Island Just Added (8.22.18) Also, check my eBay TreasureTradeToo for the model of Shure headphones I use up for auction in support of my own vegan survival and 10% to PETA. Dropgun - Somebody Ben Böhmer & Hifi Brother -Sonnenallee Ben Böhmer - Dive EP Tony Junior - Don't Be Long DMB - Some Devil Just Added (8.28.18) Hezekiah Walker - I Need You to Survive from Family Affair II: Live at Radio City Music Hall and Every Praise Kirk Franklin - My Life Is in Your Hands Teyana Taylor -Gonna Love Me The Young Escape - Love Me Like You (feat. nobigdyl) Luke Bryan - Sunrise, Sunset, Sunburn Just Added (8.29.18) Mostly made it to Billboard's Top Country or other chart Dierks Bentley - What Was I Thinkin' Russell Dickerson - Blue Tacoma Chris Young - Hangin' On Eric Church - Round Here Buzz Cody Johnson - On My Way to You Sam Hunt -Downtown's Dead (Live at CMA Fest) or Break Up in a Small Town Dan + Shay - Tequila Post Malone - Psycho (feat. Ty Dolla \$ign) EXPLICIT Yella Beezy - That's On Me (Radio Edit) **EXPLICIT**

Just Added Continued (Updated in sections)

Date 2018-09-14 02:32:04

I'm continuing the 'Just Added' series in small doses. Tonight (9.13) I'll share this popular one that finally hooked me. I should still hate it and don't drink, as I said in an old post. I don't really even think of anyone with this song, but that's a good thing. Jason Aldean - Drowns the Whisky There are a few other on a list to follow as before when I get to a computer. David Tort - Mia Florida Georgia Line - Simple Jon Pardi - Head Over Boots Ozuna - Única Cardi B, Bad Bunny & J Balvin - I Like It Odesza - Loyal Pat Barrett - The Way (New Horizon) Derek Minor - Of Course (feat. Byron Juane) J. Balvin, Zion & Lennox - No Es Justo Basement Jaxx - Bingo Bango (Tom Staar & Kryder Remix) Lane 8 - Hold On feat. Fractures (Ben Böhmer Remix) from Lane 8 - Little By Little Remixed Lil Peep & XXXTENTACION - Falling Down Bazzi, Camila Cabello - Beautiful (Remix) benny blanco, Halsey & Khalid - Eastside LSD -Thunderclouds ft. Sia, Diplo, Labrinth Dannic & Thomas Newson - No More Castion & Jasted -Keep U Hanne Mjøen - Sounds Good To Me Lanco - Born To Love You Jade Bird - Uh Huh First Aid Kit - Fireworks Lauren Daigle - You Say Jason Gray - Good To Be Alive The Struts -Could Have Been Me Tamia - Officially Missing You Franco de Vita - No Basta Bebe Rexha -I'm a Mess Danny Ores X MVGMVR - Nalakuvara Lee Brice - I Don't Dance Ella Mai - Trip Antoine Delvig & Boothed - Alive BORA & Danny Ores - Trippin Dannic Vs HunterSynth -Higher Out Now, but not yet listened to... Bro Safari & UFO! - Clockwork T.I. - Trap Muzik Carrie Underwood - Cry Pretty Good Charlotte - Generation Rx Animal Collective - Tangerine Reef MNEK - Language Avenged Sevenfold - Black Reign EP Out Now Fonk Recordings FONK034 (Various Artists) - Ade EP Out soon or by the end of the year (9.25) Twenty One Pilots - Trench King Crimson - Meltdown in Mexico Muse - Simulation Theory HAERTS -New Compassion Out soon or by the end of the year as of today's updates (10.17) MØ -Forever Neverland Disturbed - Evolution Chevelle – 12 Bloody Spies: B-Sides and Rarities Robyn - Honey Trent Reznor & Atticus Ross - Mid90s Thom Yorke - Suspiria (Music for the Luca Guadagnino Film) Imagine Dragons - Origins The Smashing Pumpkins - Shiny and Oh So Bright, Vol. 1 / LP: No Past. No Future. No Sun. Mariah Carey - Caution Michael Bublé - Love Ryley Walker - The Lillywhite Sessions Jeff Tweedy - WARM Clean Bandit - What Is Love? Weezer - Weezer (Black Album) album release sites www.nme.com/new-album-releases www.albumoftheyear.org/upcoming/ consequenceofsound.net/upcoming-releases/ pitchfork.com/reviews/best/albums/ I set aside these discoveries for a new mix Brohug - The Hunt (good transition or intro) Mesto - Missing You Asco - Fomento (good intro transition) Mark Villa - Riptide (transition house marimba) DJCHUCKIE - Back In The Day (feat. GVO LV) (good end or pre-break) Sidney Samson & Gwise - Soldier (charge up track) Trobi -Makamba Purple Haze - Call Me or Bergen Other news Nine Inch Nails score HBO's Watchmen Magic Tape 83 just added 9 hrs ago Miss Monique's Mind Games 83 I should write another intro about this one, but it finally made the list like Jason's tune above. Basically these two artists can make anything sound good. Dierks Bentley - Somewhere On A Beach Remembering albums I used to listen to a lot when I was younger: (Adding to this list too) John Mellencamp - Dance Naked P.M. Dawn - Jesus Wept Counting Crowns - August and Everything After (One of my first compact discs) David Lee Roth - Skyscraper Boyz II Men's first two studio albums Aerosmith - Get a Grip Cream - The Very Best of Cream Queen - Greatest Hits I & II Jeff Buckley - Grace The Doors - ? Color Me Badd - ? This was the list I was talking about that isn't organized yet, but I'm putting it below to figure out and will edit it later when time

allows. Popular sports stars of my younger days... I'd like to see animal product free sports equipment in our childrens' futures Hakeem Olajuwon Michael Jordan Scotty Pippen Dennis Rodman Shaquille O' Neal Charles Barkley Steve Kerr Brett Favre Jerry Rice Joe Montana The Fridge Daryl Strawberry Frank Thomas Tiger Woods Marshall Faulke Patrick Ewing Dikembe Mutombo Warren Moon TV Shows Fresh Prince of Bel Aire Dinosaurs "Not the Mama" The Brady Bunch Saved by the Bell Family Matters Sesame Street The Muppet Show Cosby Show Seinfeld Friends That 70's Show Blue's Clues? Frasier Days of Our Lives, General Hospital, All My Children One Life to Live Other day shows? Ricki Lake Essential Movies ET Jurassic Park Field of Dreams Tin Cup Nightmare on Elmstreet Friday the 13th Honey I Shrunk the Kids Ferris Bueller's Day Off Big Beauty and the Beast Under the Sea Lion King Wizard of Oz & Return to Oz Aladdin The NeverEnding Story Game Shows Wheel of Fortune Jeopardy! The Price Is Right Family Feud Where in the World Is Carmen Sandiego? See more of the 80s on 'Ranker' 90s

No encore?

Date 2018-08-03 16:02:39

It has been a challenging move to Houston. I had a partial vacation out of the shelters with lots of volunteer work. I even buried a street cat. Now I am focusing on God and working out the reason I was called to this amazing city. Bad news is I am selling my iPod to make sure I stay vegan. You can bid on eBay with user TreasureTradeToo. It has a lot of pictures in the mirror because I only have the camera on this device. I am rambling to say there may not be an encore to 2018-7. I used a few tracks from the encore list and it was short, but sweet. Will the year's mixes end here? Only time will tell. I'll be figuring out this challenge and others I will try to address in the months to come.

Update late 9.10.18

Date 2018-09-11 02:30:10

I moved again. Things are going well. It's monsoon season in Houston or is it hurricane season. It floods fast in these streets, but as a former Taiwan countryside resident it feels even more like home. After two years of homelessness at the end of this month, (I have been staying in some hostels and using airbnb sometimes since late July which doesn't count really though it wasn't always by choice or financial ability) I don't have much 'stuff' left. It's what I wanted, I remember, when I was travelling in Thailand and Laos. Well it's freeing and natural I guess, but that was five years ago when I thought of having a light load in Bangkok. This update is to say that I will find more music later in the month. I have been tuning into the radio, but really giving deep thought to other stuff. The vegan life I have reached isn't at a love of food or animals right now and that's sad. Although every living creature I can appreciate that I sparcely see in Houston. The only ones that puzzle me are those suicidal ants. I asked God to make ants more intelligent so I wouldn't have to worry about crushing one on accident. Ciao.

Being Human In Public

Date 2018-10-23 16:04:04

If you have heard <u>Jessie Reyez</u> on some pop songs via the radio you might have liked her or thought she was fabulously quirky or whatever. Listening to her latest album <u>post on soundcloud</u> right now and I think I underrated her because I was pissed about how she ended <u>Calvin Harris'</u> last album. Reason is because it reminded me of how I loved the vibe <u>The Beach Boys</u> gave on some of my favorite songs as a kid. As I finished that previous sentence, track four started and suddenly it's too explicit for me to write about. We probably wouldn't get along well together for very long, but everybody has that these days. Most people say it is how they don't take something or other, but if you think that thought you are taking something different instead. *Thanks for the free listening*. Also, <u>The Magician's latest mix</u> is out. I haven't listened to it or the last one in full except for the first couple of tracks due to listening environment interruptions or time, so I cannot comment on them yet.

Future of Ckwal

Date 2018-09-30 19:29:29

See the below post for updated findings which will continue until it is too cluttered. I am working a lot and it isn't in the music business, so there hasn't been a whole lot of time to search for the best tracks due to timing and resources. I still tune into Radio Dabang a lot even at home on my portable radio, but I never know what tracks I am listening to... Good news is that I am out of the shelters for now after nearly two years. There has been a lot going on in this move and the possibility of an acoustic EP or something else instead of regular mixes. This could be a side effect of the 'year of tattoos aka break from mixes', but since I don't have the equipment to go in either direction, I can only squeeze in the occasional song dig from my trusted sites, labels and artists. So, most of what you need is on this website to find what I can at the moment. I'm also making a trip to Dallas near Halloween to visit Red Cross with another double blood donation and hoping to get a mix for sure around the New Year 2018-2019. There may be a couple stories to tell if I can present them well and other festive posts before then, but I cannot promise or plan anything at the moment as unexpected as things happen as of now.

Just Added Update

Date 2018-10-17 16:10:39

This post I am updating as I am writing this is going to be too full to add anymore. I may tweak the nostalgia sections, but any new tracks will be shared on a future post. I am on my fifth tattoo since December 15th, 2017 and will probably add to it twice to sync up with these 'just added' updates. I originally said I was trying to get as many tattoos as mixes (9). That update I took down because it shook my world. It looks like it may close to happening. There were seven mixes plus a bridge mix in August 2018 before I had to sell my iPod. Besides that I am planning the usual end of the year mix to launch 2019 from Houston if possible. Review all the mixes on this post since New Year's Eve 2015-2016 which is also found within a quick link to the right sidebar.

October in deep south

Date 2018-10-02 16:13:34

As the weather gets milder in Texas with heat, the storms get more prevalent. People from the midwest as myself remember the fall and upcoming Halloween as bitter air, Jack-o-lanterns outside and the daunting winter ahead. I have been experimenting with some recipes and the seasonal produce available. One is a great breakfast starter or snack filler that derived from trying to make a tougher, chewier sugar cookie that didn't have to be cooled in the snow to make it solid. It is closer to a vegan pancake and has less sugar, but can be adapter to taste like a pie. There isn't a lot of brown sugar that is non-gmo and without carmel color or whatever they add, but there is a local one I have been trying with the stone ground, certified seed flour of King Arthur (orange package). Mapley, vegan potpancake Stir up in this ratio (I use 1/4 cups) 1 -Brown Sugar 1 - Cane Sugar 4 - Stone ground flour (add by five-finger pinch full while kneading if necessary) 2 - Water Knead lightly and coat with grapeseed oil. Get some crust going on high or medium high and flip to do the same. Then flip again on reduced heat and cover accordingly. Shut the heat off when it looks fairly edible and keep on the heat or remove *covered* to heat the inside more. It doesn't take long, but think of these as extra thick, mapley tasting pancakes. I cook them in a medium size pot/pan which makes it tougher to flip, but you can use a tool. Poke holes with chopsticks to let the heat travel through. The edges cook well with this type of pan and it can be covered economically. A key is the flour type as this has more protein and a distinct flavor, but also helps it's chewier final consistency. Try adding some organic Gala apples in diced chunks and only cane sugar, which gives it a pie taste, especially if cooled overnight in the fridge. (Change the ratio to 6 flour, 3 sugar, 3 water or combo of oil and 1 apple) Another quick recipe to condition yourself to this holiday season while it is still hot with fluctuating temps is this salad. Personal lunch size portion salad Stir together with chopsticks or hand toss 1/4 head organic lettuce Some bottled seasoned Capers in vinegar Fresh Jalapeno with some healthy dice size Lime Juice Malt Vinegar Grapeseed oil and salt Raw small hunks of medium organic carrots This same flavor profile is delicious with rice Everything I look for is organic or Non-Gmo and I have been thinking most Pareve or Kosher food is Non-Gmo because that is one of the statements about their regulation some time ago. It still it difficult to find companies that aren't using animal products somewhere in their line of products, but if I can't find them online or in the store - then they are probably safe to use. Also, pictures or recipes on the package can be fairly telling about the product, but not always. Presentation is part of the business too, but possibly companies are politically aware of that. Imperial sugars has a statement on the back of their packages that says they sounds strict. I haven't confirmed 'no bone-char usage', but if they aren't imported from a lot of various unknown countries - then I would guess they are free from that antiquated technology. If anyone finds out otherwise, let me know. Happy Halloween! Continuously updated post 'Just Added'

One disc

Date 2018-10-22 16:23:37

Testing out and practicing with the Numark NDX500's capabilities. I bought Dave Matthews Band's latest, 'Come Tomorrow'. So far I like numbers 1,2 and 8. Through the Numark M2 it's got a lot of drive and power.

Other updates

Date 2018-10-18 16:14:37

If you were searching for Guddi Shah based on a previous update about radio Dabang, I apologize. They are making inconvenient changes right after I made those two posts and a public praise on her bio blub via their website. The first public comment I have made in like five years after leaving the social networks. That kind of behavior is predictable though as it has been the story of my life for awhile. Chester from Linkin Park committed suicide on my birthday last year and my Poppa and friend died two days before my birthday this year when I moved to Houston. How long does it take for one's luck to turn around? Did I trade it by writing/recording SKMillion's 'Luck' album in 2011ish? Well, yesterday, to change 'if possible' on the last post, I bought a Numark mixer and media turntable to get practicing for the year bridge thanks to Guitar Center. I have a library of music from Owsla's old Drip on my Berklee drive, but not much else, so I'll be squeezing in some tunes from the latest lists along with the Karma video journey and tats to my budget. *Update: 10.23.18* This Twitter account says Guddi is on from 7am-10am. I have not verified that. 10.28.18. Is old information. She is not on then. I have contacted the radio station with no response. Some programming has improved to original quality.

Vegan shoes

Date 2018-10-03 18:33:53

I'm looking for new sandals and probably work shoes. I was hesitant to keep wearing the Converse All Rubber Chuck Taylor's because they are now associated with Nike as I was going on about in a previous update. I just read they have wool in them after a customer service rep. on the Nike.com chat told me they were vegan before I bought them. Now, a new rep. told me that don't have that update yet... I got rid of pretty much all my socks that were associated with any company that makes shoes with leather as well. It's pretty irritating for someone to make what they call a vegan model of a shoe and then have leather on another. There are some on REI.com that look pretty good. Also, people playing games with imitation leather like it's really fun to see someone uncomfortable about their surroundings. To me veganism is a religion because it brought me to the mission in Chicago and back to church, but also because sometimes it keeps me alive when I think my faith is failing me. So, to play games with it really is a serious thing. You can call artists' instruments and drivers' cars toys on another example, but if you aren't living for something - you are dying to something. Continuously updated post 'Just Added'

2018-2019 Bridge Mix Candidates

Date 2018-10-28 22:57:23

There are unmade mixes and just added lists. I'll try to make some more when I get the second media player, but I have to buy the music and thinking of recording to cassette. These are the bridge list main candidates to be updated. Cardi B - Ring (feat. Kehlani) Dean Lewis - Be Alright Lil Wayne - Mona Lisa (ft. Kendrick Lamar) [Radio Edit] LL Cool J - Around the Way Girl Wolfgang Gartner - Deja Vu Calvin Harris, Sam Smith - Promises (MK Remix) Zen/it -Rêve Alan Walker - Darkside (Afrojack & Chasner Remix) Enrique Iglesias, Nicky Jam - El Perdón Default - Wasting My Time Mr. Mitch - Settle DJDS ft. Amber Mark & Vory - I Get By (BloodPop Remix) Handbraekes - #3 - Citroën Cage the Elephant - Trouble Lady Gaga - Bad Romance 'N Sync - Bye Bye Kenny Chesney - Better Boat (feat. Mindy Smith) Rolo Green - Access Control (Club Mix) Cosmic Gate & Jason Ross - Awaken Usher - Burn George Michael - One More Try Murat Salman & Padé - Sydance Evol Waves - Syrup BLR - Masuria Lil Webbie - Bad Chick feat. Trina Becky G, Paulo Londra - Cuando Te Besé Chris Brown - Kiss Kiss feat. T-Pain Will Easton - 023 Shakira - When a Woman Raymix & Juanes - Oye Mujer Burns - Worst feat. Johnny Yukon (David Penn Remix) Judah & the Lion - Take It All Back 2.0 Reik - Me Niego ft. Ozuna, Wisin Romeo Santos - Imitadora Lincoln Brewster - Let It Be Known Dropgun - Drought ft. Nevve Hanne Mjøen - Sounds Good To Me (SHAUN Remix) Halsey - Without Me Sin Bandera - Que Lloro Enrique Iglesias - Bailando feat. Descemer Bueno, Gente De Zona Same as last year, there will be a bridge song and virtual host, aka man or woman of the future year. Will Smith was the man of the year and bridge song of 2018. He is starring in the upcoming Aladdin sequel and shared a lot of travels on his instagram account. Thanks for bringing us together, then and now. Also, don't forget the countdown to this year's bridge song was by <u>Tiësto</u> who is turning 50 in January of 2019. This <u>Press Play EP</u> is good listening for now. Some tracks **EXPLICIT** This just in... Avril Lavigne is releasing a new album in February, 2019 called 'Head Above Water' Magic Tape 85 is out now. I caught up to 84 and besides the ones I posted, I really dug the ending (three tracks). *Mix update 12.3.18 - I was able to find some of my old library tracks from Beatport and am practicing with the equipment and analyzing my old tracks and new CDs. Trying to get a practice mix in with the best of what I am still into now from this selection of over 153 songs. Bridge mix should be on schedule.

Bridge update

Date 2018-11-22 22:52:28

Some of the links I put on here may need individual disclaimers because I cannot claim to support or believe everything someone writes or is possessed to post. There are a lot of struggles in modern society, both in a real life and spiritual life that have no answer. I have listened to two more albums since DMB's latest. Interpol and in trying to find next year's bridge tune and virtual host, lil Wayne's 'Tha Carter V'. I was tormented by spiritual battles and in my environment in the hours leading up to buying this album and listening to it this morning. It's explicit, but some rappers, writers or spoken wordsmiths can get away with it because they are not jagged little pills to the ears. Whatever soul I was blessed with to listen to it the first time was pretty genius, but not like you would think. I wrote out titles I guessed to every track like some may have done or will do who buy the physical disc. It almost seemed like someone else chose him for man of the future year for last year in the present tense, so that could be a frustrating concept, but it is simply that. Zedd use to ask, "What if it was written in reverse?". I can't guarantee he will be on the bridge song too like Will was last year, but I didn't make a big deal about like it is or has been built up to this New Years. My two Numarks are being practiced on and all I need are the right songs and something to record it on so I can listen back and confirm it as the mix of the new time zone for bridge 2018-2019. Thank you

Last call? 'Year of tattoos'

Date 2018-11-21 17:38:58

I finally had an artist do the <u>Oasis</u> logo in Korean I was sketching several times. Smack dab in the middle of my sleeve. Check one of the link at the bottom to navigate to an example of what it looks like. I was carrying around a version I did of it for awhile and on a dark, cold and rainy Sunday I honed myself to Violet Tiger. Bear re-sketched it in a smaller version and added a little bit of what looks like the text of some comics to the final version. Bear works as a tattoo apprentice for his brother's shop to help supplement his Hip Hop group or duo that has already been asked to perform or do work in Toronto. Below are the instagram links. This ink session was like a dual interview as I talked about this blog's tattoo journey nearing to an end with this seventh tattoo. I claimed to him that I wouldn't totally give up getting tattoos because I value the community and culture. Violet Tiger Tattoo's instagram Bear's Tattoo instagram Bear's Hip Hop artist self Previous update with links

Next year, 'Year of ...'

Date 2018-11-07 20:15:02

Last year's diversion from weekly mixes was body art which technically ends on the 15th of December. This year I will either be going back to more regular mixes or doing something similar. One idea was to start watching movies again and to tie in a mix with the movie or some other kind of theme that goes along with the movie of the month or week or whatever. If you get any other ideas send me a heads up. On the pirates' karma journey, I bought Mario Kart for Wii before getting a diamond on my ankle. I was looking for Princess Peach on a motorcycle as pictured on the cover, but it was a little out of my range for now. So, don't take it yet! Also, I bought three seasons of Portlandia and re-sold them on eBay for a steal! Well I lost money, but that was the point - pay back, pay forward. The world works sometimes if you have the patience and creativity. Updating 'Bridge Candidates' Some updates on 'Just Added Continued'

Tha Carter V - Thanksgiving title guesses 2018

Date 2018-11-27 17:25:47

If you read the earlier update, this is the follow up post. Usually if I need to remember a song on my notes for this year's mix or in general, I write a quote from the song which is what I did for two tracks on this list because I didn't want to title them. The only title I know is 'Mona Lis'a because I hear it on the radio. lil Wayne's latest album Disc One 1. Intro 2. Don't Cry 3. Billion Dollar Smile 4. Where'd the Love Go? 5. Best Rapper Alive 6. The Breaks 7. I'll Be Waiting For You 8. Mona Lisa feat. Kendrick 9. All Night 10. Angel 11. Must Be Famous Disc Two 1. Bob Marley 2. Dope Niggaz feat. Snoop Dogg 3. Good As Golden 4. Made 5. End Titles 6. The Waiting Room 7. Demon With Demands 8. A Mess 9. MJ 10. "... and we don't even talk anymore ..." 11. Missing Subject 12. "Don't let the money come between us." Also, to add to next year's buzz I am thinking of adding a 'Woman of the future year'. I will have to listen to at least one album or do some research, etc. to finalize this choice. These future year people will be the 'one's to watch' so to speak for new and different stuff on social media, in the news or with the works they publicize or are involved in based on my guidance from God and individual intuition. They won't necessarily be associated with each other like the President and first lady, but it is something like that with a leadership role. They don't know about my choice as I don't personally talk to any of the artists I write about on this site (except through sometimes imaginary worlds and other dimensional things like prayer that can never be verified or proven real). I have attempted before to email labels, but received so little response and too much negative energy from the label I did hear back that I stopped contacting them. Happy Holidays and look forward to closing out this year with good zap.

Woman of the future year update

Date 2018-11-28 17:21:08

I did as I said I would do and listened to one album and did a little research. Currently I am checking out Shakira's 'El Dorado' finally. It is pretty perfect and if you didn't know, I really love her one of a kind voice and what she does with education. I can't wait to visit your country one day. I am however going to take a shot in the dark and pick an actress I used to really admire in the TV show 'Fringe'. I used to teach English in different countries and that show really kept me inspired and imagining material for my students in Taiwan. I always named my students if they didn't have an English nickname, but always kept one reserved for if I had a daughter of my own after her character, "Olive or Olivia". I see she has been credited as a voice in a video game and acted in several TV shows since 'Fringe', but I don't know what she is doing in 2019. I don't know if you can follow her on instagram or somewhere else, but that is usually how actors and actresses do it. That is why we are so lucky with Will Smith in 2018. So, Anna Torv and lil Wayne are our "Man and Woman of the Future Year" for 2019. I still haven't decided if I am going back to the movie theater or going to try to start watching something, as I am many years behind at this point, but if I do or you do - Anna will be our guide. 2019 Bridge Mix candidates still updating...

Year of tattoos continued

Date 2018-11-05 17:26:28

Yesterday I finally went to a new shop and got tattoo number six. I was trying to make it out to Red Dagger on a recommendation, but the buses don't go there on Sunday and I don't think they are open. I finally made it to Rampage Tattoo after talking to a couple other parlors. Number five was from Richmond tattoo by Brandon Madrid on Richmond and number six was from Rampage on Westheimer Rd. by Michael Hoffman in the Montrose area. I have called this street area 'tattoo alley' on airbnb city reviews as there are plenty of shops to find your available artist and/or design. Take the bus up and down Westheimer if you are in town for only a day and reserve a booking at the Hi Houston Hostel (Morty Rich) nearby or at International Hostel for affordable stays in the museum district. In the Montrose area you can find various live music and rare shopping as well as upscale shopping further west in the Galleria. By the International Hostel you can find art museums, restaurants and more. It is also possible to walk, bus or bike between the two by the connecting Montrose Boulevard. Link for more on my tattoo journey and others can be found by searching in the side bar. Year of tattoos started on December 15th, 2017

Bridge 1 (First success)

Date 2018-12-26 00:32:44

12/24/18 Houston, TX 4:40pm - 17:52 Halsey - Without Me (Illenium Remix) BLR - Masuria (Extended Mix) Zen/it – Rêve Dropgun - Drought feat. Nevve Wolfgang Gartner - Deja Vu Evol Waves - Syrup Murat Salmon & Padé - Sydance Hanne Mjøen - Sounds Good To Me (Shaun Remix) Handbraekes - #3 - Citröen Don Diablo & Hilda - Wake Me When It's Quiet Mr. Mitch - Settle Rolo Green - Access Control (Club Mix) Burns - Worst feat. Johnny Yukon (David Penn Extended Remix) Krosses - Losing My Grip Calvin Harris & Sam Smith - Promises (MK Remix) Mark Knight - We Get High From The Music (Original Mix) [feat. Mr. V] Mako - Into The Sunset (Acoustic Version)

Bridge 1

Date 2018-12-25 03:54:40

The bridge mix from the candidates and some from other non-mixed lists was completed this evening before six. If I can't get to another one, Ckwal New Year begins tonight. I'll post the list and notes as well as notes on the countdown. They are all tracks found on Beatport, so it's something you might hear by Nicky Romero or the like. I love it and hope you do too. I'll be preparing to do one more bridge at some time zone for popular new year to sequel this one. Merry Christmas tomorrow or Happy Ckwal New Year tonight.

Countdown to the Bridge

Date 2018-12-10 22:30:00

I mixed this nearly perfect this afternoon. Instead of recording mixes for now on, I will have to plan them out with detailed notes to avoid using a monitor. Easier said than done and time consuming. 12.10.18 @ about 1:16 pm to just before 1:59 Ease My Mind (feat. Niki & the Dove) - Skrillex Bob Marley - lil Wayne Can't Stop - Dave Matthews Band Countdown (Instrumental) -Teddy Killerz Swing Break (Instrumental Mix) - The McMash Clan Perro Fiel (feat. Niky Jam) -Shakira Arcades - C2C Interlude 1 - Interpol Traffic - Burns Control Room - Fedde Le Grand Vuelve - Daddy Yankee, Bad Bunny Update 12.12.18 I mixed the original version of this mix last night (12.11.18). It was all slightly less perfect except overall probably a better impression, hard to say when you can't listen back to the mix. The above first post is the optional ending version. The original has no 'Vuelve'. I will post a picture of the notes and more info about how to mix this later. If I keep this setup, it will take more time to make mixes of various styles like the one above. I have been wanting to do a real power mix for awhile with mostly tracks of a similar tempo and that may take less time though that was the only mistake I made in the above mix (from Traffic to Control Room). I still have no theme for next year. I have been considering major changes and playing the end of this year by ear hoping to get to an epiphany. I never made it to China last year (though I received a big Chinese inkwork on my arm as you recall) and applied to go to Japan, but was not accepted. The year of the pig is upon is in Chinese New Year terms. If I don't renew my stay in Houston, I will most likely become a travel writer of sorts teaching along the way with mixes falling out of the routine and reviewing whatever and wherever I consume and visit. In other news I haven't yet posted: G Jones' debut album was released in October - 'The Ineffable Truth' I saw G Jones open up for Minnesota, I think it was, up in Breckenridge sometime ago and he really led an energetic dance party. Stay tuned to the bridge mix candidates. Along with this list, unmixed and unused selections from the year may be selected.

Mix update (In reference to recordings)

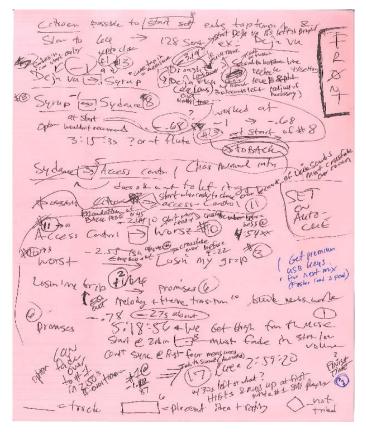
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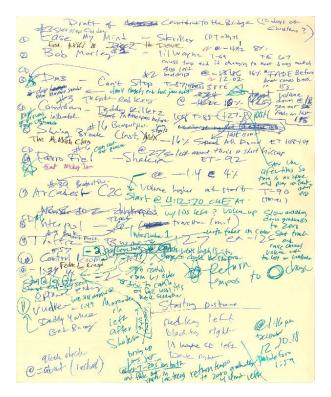
Recently I was debating how to record future mixes. I decided to not record them because of the negative stigma DJs may be getting moving forward. Many top DJs get all the proper licenses and/or permission to even stream mixes, but generally unless you are performing live and the venue has paid the Performing Rights Organizations - it is not being done legally. This makes it difficult to compete and sort through illegal mixes and find quality music or DJs that you can be confident aren't passing on questionable material. One step further than not having public mixes to stream on any website, I have deleted every mix I have made from my own collection of purchased music. All mix lists published, unpublished and private mixes dedicated to certain people. For now that is where I stand. I will plan a mix on paper as the countdown to the bridge or practice enough to do it live with different combinations of songs on my own. I still do not plan on performing in the future. I would recommend every DJ start with this mentality or move forward respecting music this way in order to avoid regretting it later. Review all posted MixLists Update 12.19.18 I have been listening to Muse's latest album. It is classic Muse with the rock revolutionary style. We think of a revolution as a big historical event, but really we need one every day to get ourselves out of bad habits, lazy or unsafe behaviors and hateful actions and thinking. If you became vegan for example almost 100% of your world would become a revolution for most of your day.

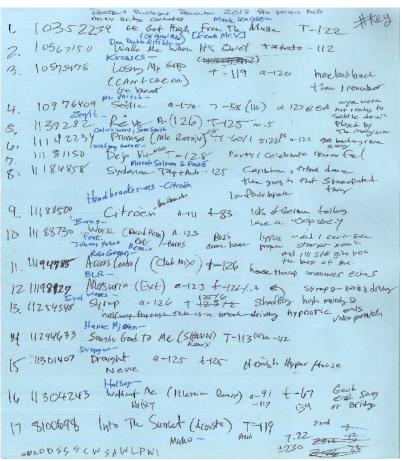
Notes for the Countdown mix and Bridge 1 (2018/9)

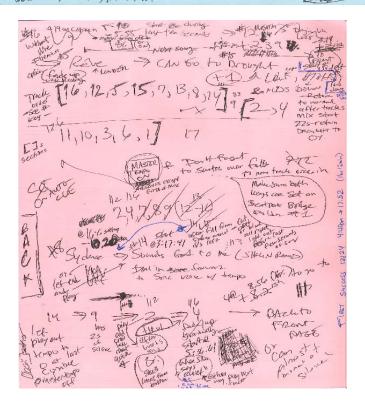
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The end of 2018

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I bought a Zoom recorder to record the mix which makes another problem in my journey. Is this even okay? If not I should quit right now and still might. The reason I got back into DJing was that there were so many good tracks that had no album or other tracks. I hated listening to one or two songs like it was the greatest thing and wearing them out as it was supposed to act as some kind of pill or quick fix. So, when I had enough to make into an album, I thought I can mix these together and listen to my own album of them. Well, whatever happens when you make a mix, you life doesn't stay the same. I was trying to save my own life with exercise and custom tailoring music for my walks and interest. That was the purpose - to save lives. What happened you might ask? I posted about this before. I don't know. Demons? People who make the mix their god or turn the music into some kind of baby? What is a baby if you aren't alive to have it? If you can't save your own life to make a mix, how you can save anyone else's? If a music label can't return your email quick enough, how can publish a mix fast enough to save someone this 'medication' is made to fix. I fix the demon or angel inside and you try to take the prescription away, alter it and uncure the sick. So between the spirit, law and money - I should quit this adventure. It starts to do the opposite of what it was intended to do. I have prayed, complained, fought, cried and died spiritually it seems too often without any proof of any results. I am still alive, but one's health can be deceiving. You may be on track to live a hundred years, but kill yourself in your twenties. Seems suicide is pretty popular with all the ways we knowingly destroy ourselves. Just being inconsiderate and careless behind the wheel is indirectly turning us into a degree of murderers. So what's next? You don't like this song paired with that song because of THEY.'s song - 'U-RITE's theory? What if it was the cure to a certain devil's suicide that turned their spiritual life around to become a life-saving angel? That devil never dies, but it kills human beings. Now it lives forever and saves people. I'm almost done with the countdown to the countdown, but I'm stuck. I'm being terrorized by a brick wall of spirits that want to destroy me and the cure to my own agony is just as easily stolen as the air we breathe. I have to leave where I am typing this right now, but am hearing some clips from nobigdyl.'s newest release 'Solar' and it sounds recommendable.

Vegan news flash

Date 2018-12-07 01:46:04

It seems companies not only lie, but feel the need to deceive consumers. A couple of examples. Some toilet papers have the World Wildlife Fund label on them. Is this to not feel bad about their animal testing? What about these Tide Dry Cleaners - "Proudly using GREENEARTH® CLEANING" Tide is not cruelty-free either. Also, those 'green' sponges. I think people see these and want to buy them because it makes us better humans that care about the environment. Well it may make us feel less bad to throw money at the Wildlife Fund when we are using animals in our corporations lab for other products in the line. Is the environment a bunch of green growing things without landfills? Also, it is rare to find recycling bins in Houston. Are we to trust that the main garbage collector recycles everything. I stopped asking questions to the companies because I cannot get the truth. I cannot get a response in the industry I have a College degree in with my alumni email and that degree was not cheap. I transferred Colleges and Universities three times for a five year songwriting degree. No response. I got more responses from food companies, but half the time I wanted to stop eating and stop living. So many lies. Too many problems. I'm spending most of my time working and trying to beat match on these turntables that are have inconsistent tempo readings to the built in tap function, but don't think I forgot about this. I eat the same stuff and dig just as hard to find strict vegan, non-gmo food that isn't deceptive. I still can't find a cruelty-free toilet paper. You might not want to ask someone in a store like Trader Joes, which a team member happened to claim it was cruelty free, but the fact is even when you do question - the answer is vague to unconfirmable in truth. Where did they source it from? They put their label on almost everything in the store and they sell meat. So for example of how strict I am with that. I don't buy anything branded - Trader Joes. Even if they sell a vegan verified, pareve, non-gmo etc product. I won't buy it. They support animal sacrifice for their profits. The candidates are updated. If you find out any information to the contrary: email social@ckwal.net.

Bridge 2 Intro

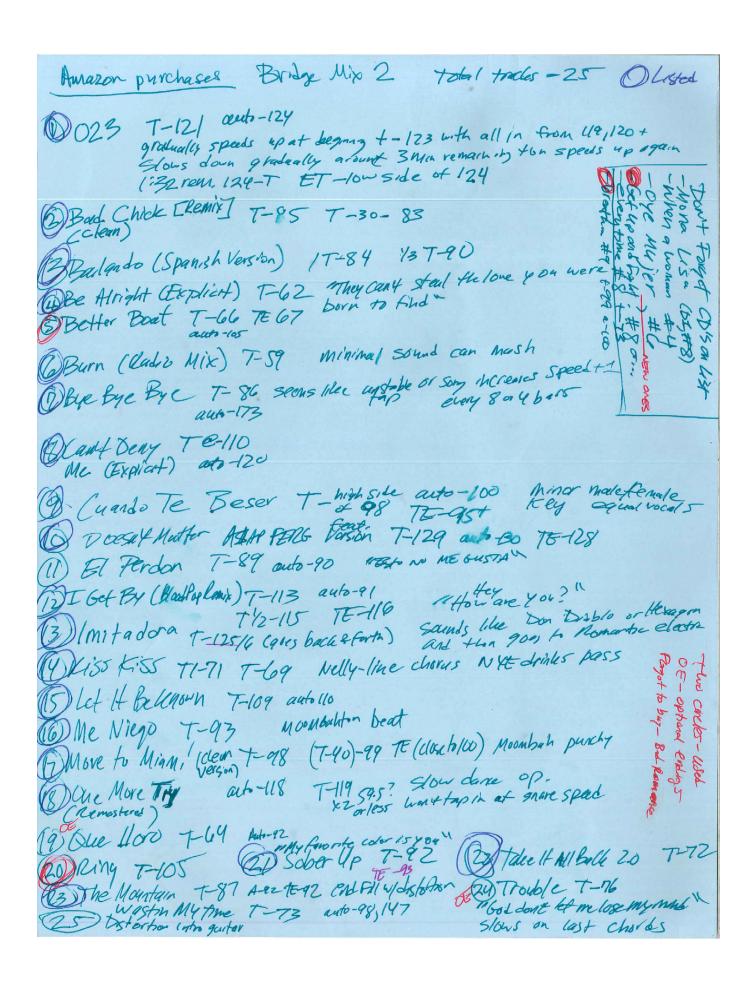
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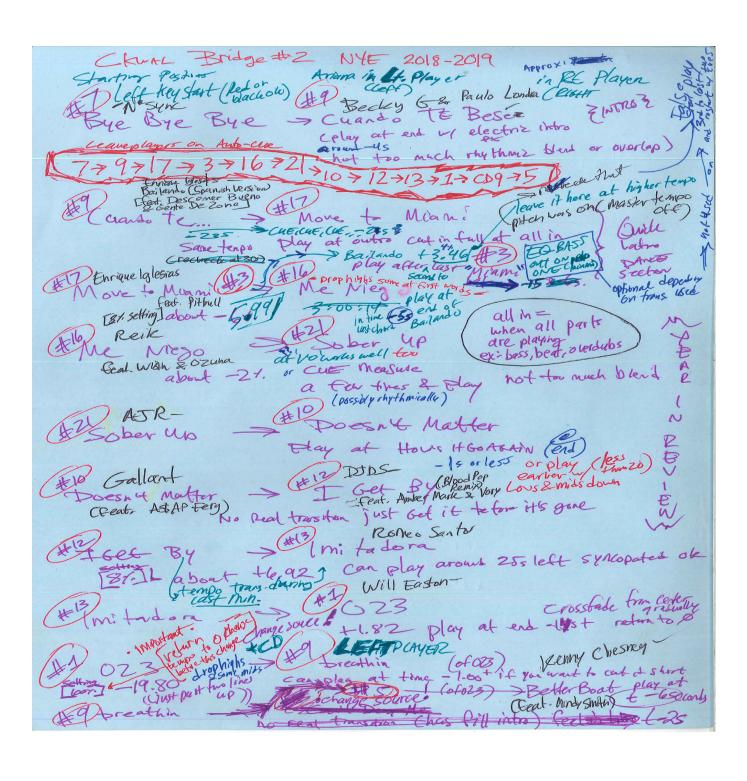
Bridge 2 quickly fell together with some or most of the tracks from the candidates list. I added a must have or two from the unmade Mix in the Makings. It's easy enough for a novice DJ as I didn't have too much time and the songs tempos are not all mashable, though there are some sections that do my thing. It's a virtual party! I have the time zones and will basically try to get it on the first try sometime tonight. What a serious year for some of us... I still don't have a theme for 2019, but the blog will be here until 2020 as of yesterday. Lots of love to all you party goers. Make us some good tracks - to all you DJs and musicians who make our lives worth living!

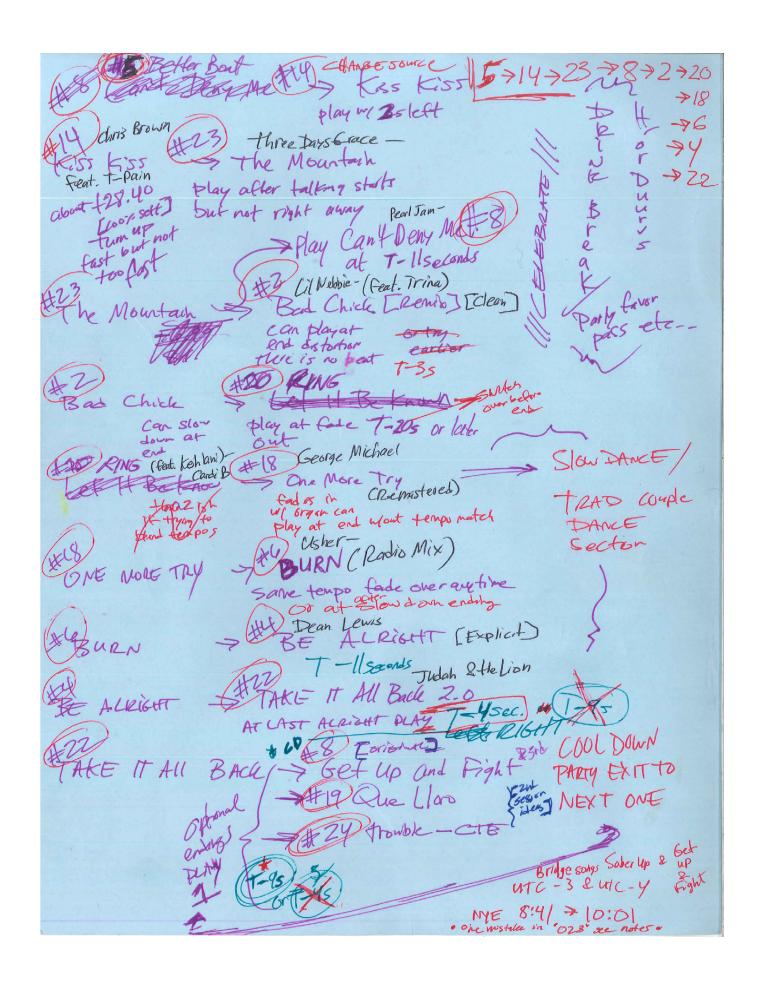
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Bridge 2 turned out to be a double bridge with time zones UTC -3 & -4 (Parts of S. America including some of Brazil, Chile, Etc.). Notes will be posted later this week. CENTRAL TIME US 08:41 PM - 10:01 PM Bye Bye Bye - 'N Sync Cuando Te Besé - Becky G & Paulo Londra Move to Miami (feat. PitBull) - Enrique Iglesias Me Niego (feat. Wisin & Ozuna) - Reik BRIDGE SONG #1 - Sober Up - AJR Doesn't Matter feat. A\$AP Ferg - Gallant I Get By (feat. Amber Mark & Vory) [BloodPop Remix] - DJDS Imitadora - Romeo Santos 023 - Will Easton breathin - Ariana Grande Better Boat (feat. Mindy Smith) - Kenny Chesney Kiss Kiss (feat. T-Pain) - Chris Brown The Mountain - Three Days Grace Can't Deny Me - Pearl Jam Bad Chick (feat. Trina) [Remix] [Clean] - Lil Webbie Ring (feat. Kehlani) - Cardi B One More Try (Remastered) - George Michael Burn (Radio Mix) - Usher Be Alright [Explicit] - Dean Lewis Take It All Back 2.0 - Judah & the Lion BRIDGE SONG #2 - Get Up and Fight - Muse







2019 New Beginnings

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I knew someone who used this phrase like a catchy positive way of life. It has stuck with me for over ten years. Really it comes from an independent woman type whose focus was on success. Everyone thinks of new associations and moving forward as concepts similar to this. Problem many people have is they say it's all been done or all my firsts are this and that... Approaching life with this mentality creates jealousy and other unhealthy habits. One step in renewal of your life besides a vegan diet for example is religious. Christ forgives us of sin. With repentance and his help - our minds, bodies and spirits become new. Our past relationships or experiences are transformed not only individually, but in relationships. I read a book in my most recent search for renewal in such a way called "single.dating.engaged.married." It's a Christian life book. I was desperate to get out of past traps to think about a new relationship after seven years single and to give someone a chance of a new kind of single me. There is a little bit for everyone discussing the most popular topics in relationships and some I learned the hard way through failure. If anyone needs a healthy format to their mental hard drive, so to speak, surrender to Jesus on this book. Have no fear about any awkward spots or personal stuff in there because the author is a professional with proven experience and puts his trust in Jesus also to guide our lives because we all make stupid mistakes. This is the last book I've read since the bible and I rarely read. It's fairly easy to get through quickly granted your goals are in the title above. To: 'New Beginnings'

January 7th, 2019

Date 2019-01-07 19:04:21

Have you ever had a "Worst day ever". I had one less than a month ago and a few consecutive days similarly up to yesterday. It's like a conspiracy against you personally. Your own pet peeves, inconveniences, annoyances, principles - all tested and perfectly timed to bring you to your knees, tears or some reckless, vengeful counter actions. I used to drink or smoke and take these kind of days out on my health. Some people talk in support groups or on the phone for hours to someone they can trust instead of unwinding in a bar or other get-together. These days I try to vent it out to myself while power-walking like I'm marching to spiel my case before the judge. Those can defeat the purpose if you are swearing towards the heavens. Yesterday I went kamikaze on my possessions or belongings. I had recently bought an edited copy of Drake's 'Scorpions' and was saving it for later. I hadn't heard the one after 'Views', so I was thinking of hunting down that one first. However I also recently discovered that Best Buy no longer carries compact discs! I resolved to get rid of all my new CD's, most of which I blogged about here and return the unopened Drake. I went to the record shop and got \$9.50 for everything including my only book from the previous post. To continue the karma journey also blogged about on this site, I traded that voucher for 'Peggle Dual Shot' (Nintendo DS). It's a game by the company PopCap. They are geniuses at game creation, especially fairly simple concept ones that keep you casually entertained for hours. Many games I played between the years of 2007 and 2011 weren't available to me when I was teaching overseas, so I regretfully played games that were available on hacked hardware. Since my TV show/video karma/repentance journey is getting slimmer, I was thinking of adding more choices from games I spent a lot of time on in that world too. Beware of this kind of stuff in Asia as it is or was widely available in places that seem like reputable shops. Some people may think they are at least supporting the industry and company by buying accessories, hardware and what-not, but the 'chilling effects' they call it in movie piracy are real. I experienced and still do today, side effects of the seemingly harmless hobby. After it struck on my conscience when my eyes were opened, I experienced major depression and soul tax (spiritual worthlessness, loss of appetite, guilt, emptiness, etc.) For a long time it can be hole you think you can never get out of when you think of how many people are involved and associated with one movie for example, when you are reading the credits. After this portion of my day I continued to Guitar Center to try to share more with readers of this blog visually. I tried to buy a Go Pro 7 for still shots, which isn't what they are designed for, but the only place I had available credit at the moment for such an investment. After I returned home with some other accompanying purchases, I realized I received incorrect information and had to return everything to two more stores. I hope my mostly worst week ever has ended, but I tried to tell myself this morning, before doing community service around where I work, that the 'karma-scale' was still balancing itself out in my seemingly unfair extra-curricular life. Possibly the war inside my head with God was preparing me for this part of my endless journey. It sometimes feels like throwing money out the window, but if you have or will have the same problem, trust me - it's worth it. If your prayers aren't answered right away and you feel the same about some 'worst days', keep fighting it; keep trying to do the right thing. Evil is your worst enemy and wants you to fail or die. You may coast along for many years thinking nothing is wrong and think you have found one day there is no way out and can be too stubborn to turn around from the grave, but there is a lot more light in that darkness than you could ever believe. Song of the week /// Romeo Santos -La Diabla/Mi Santa feat. Tomatito

Resolutions and more

Date 2019-01-04 01:14:28

Possibly you saw the mix list had a surprise guest to the virtual party this New Years Eve. I finally bought the Ariana Grande CD after much hesitation. How could any of the songs get better after the first single release. When I heard 'God Is A Woman' I could't believe the lyrics I was listening to and of course they changed when I heard them differently later and I started wanting to have a songwriting meeting with her to discuss WTF is she thinking. The production is really modernly amazing and her voice is impossibly unique. I used to look up to Pharrell when he was a part of NERD, but really lost touch with what he is doing. I'm not sure I agree with all the production and stuff he did on this album, but it does balance out all the tracks I like now. These are especially near the end which are the kind of fantastic love that no one really talks about or expresses these days much. Anyways, my main resolution this year is a secret and depends on real people, but as far as Ckwal goes I want to post a few nice pictures and may be get a Go Pro or an SLR for a *once a month* photo. Instead of movies, like I thought I might break into, I'll focus on getting one great shot a month and highlight that into the blog. I'm not closing the door on going to the theater, but I think it would change my life too much right now. Obviously we should all see the new Aladdin when it's out. Also, if I can afford it, I might do a second year of tattoos since lil Wayne will be leading the way with this world and how it shapes life, lifestyle and environment. For Christmas I bought the entire series of Fringe and True Blood from the checklist and resold them for a little less that 25% which I am planning to put into a tattoo or something similarly serious. My goal or resolution in countable things is 12 pictures, 12 mixes, and 6-12 tattoos (depending on what happens in the other sections of my life I'm focusing on...). I also plan on getting a pretty blog template to archive everything from what you see here now in easy to find areas that also focuses on the present highlighted mission. In summary everything is looking to be pretty much the same as the second half of last year. It was fairly exciting and could still use a lot of improvements. Good luck in deciding what you readers want to resolve with Ckwal and the music or on your own. I hope I can inspire you to do great things and consume great material.

1.13.19

Date 2019-01-13 15:23:57

First tattoo of the year is done (1.11.19) after seven last year (eight if you include my first at the end of 2017). It goes along with the bridge mixes and ties to the diamond and Mario Kart DS. It's the first and only one on the right side. I lost an auction for a camera, but still trying to find a way to present photo number one. I'm selecting tracks for mix one and two of 2019 soon as well, probably from the unmade 'Mix in the Makings' and 'Just Added' lists.

2019 Inaugural Mix (Tiësto's 50th Birthday)

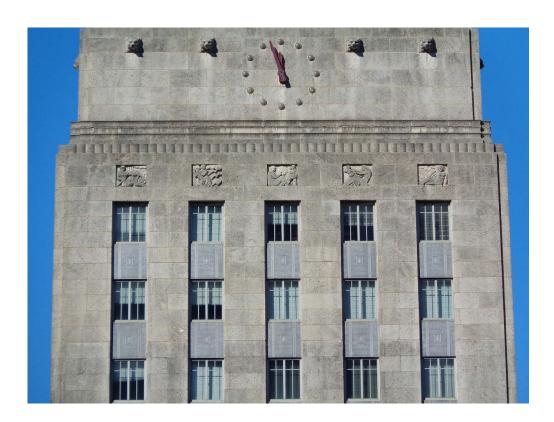
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7:43am to 9:06:45 I'll post the notes tonight if possible. I may mix this again, but had a good celebration this morning. I Don't Dance - Lee Brice All On You (If I Can See) - Bali Bandits Mia (Extended Mix) - David Tort Dark Sky - Dropgun Further - Attlas Beautiful (feat. Camila Cabello) - Bazzi Destination - Desiigner Decipher - Mefjus Put 'Em Up - Hedo Understanding the Possibility - G Jones Spaceship (feat. Uffie) - Galantis Bushman - Furo Crazy (Tiësto's Big Room Mix) (Tiësto's Big Room Extended Mix) - Tiësto & Dzeko Selecao (feat. Shovell) - Mark Knight Riptide - Mark Villa Fomento (Extended Mix) - Asco Crash - Dino Maggiorana Gun Control - Gianka Bergen (Extended Mix) - Purple Haze Colour (feat. Hailee Steinfeld) - MNEK

A Picture of January

Date 2019-01-14 21:53:23

I'm updating the theme to Wordpress' default 2019 to get current with them. With my budget I am not going to get theme crazy again yet. I barely was able to get a camera (Sony DSC-W830) with a Zeiss lens built-in for a good price from Target. I said I wasn't going to buy Sony again after my disturbing encounter with Sony Music Russia when being diverted from Sony Music Latin. I guess I forgive them if they forgive me, not only because of the 'Karma Journey', but because they really make the best cameras and probably other devices for my preference. I hiked in the mud along the freeway for one photo last night at sunset, but settled on this one today even though I have mixed perceptions. It might be cliché, but 'we' in *general pop culture* have to be either cliché or ahead of our time. Mix 1's tracks are bought, or at least the core choices (13 of them). I may try to scrounge up a few dollars to add some from a different site, but this mix is closer to Bridge 1 from the end of 2018 and are available from Beatport. I realized there is a lot of music to catch up with that I haven't mixed yet. I haven't started any new lists yet.



January 12th

Date 2019-01-12 12:24:21

Today is my brother's birthday. When we were younger he got me into bands like Smashing Pumpkins, No Doubt, 311 and Bush. Later he got me to buy music from Nero, Zomboy and many more. He was a part of an organization in Chicago through college that booked me my first paying solo DJ gig after touring behind Dave Matthews Band. It was an outdoor event without many active listeners, but I edited an over four hour set for it, which benchmarked our musical brotherhood. Happy Birthday Jeff.

Tiësto's Birthday

Date 2019-01-16 15:13:18

Probably the most world reknown DJ is turning 50 tomorrow as far as I know. I'm scrambling to complete mix one of twenty nineteen by tomorrow midnight (central time CST). At one point when I was listening to all the top podcasts, which I listed on this blog, I became angry with them. I deleted all of them and proclaimed to never listen again. My iPhone was clear of mixes I listened to sometimes three plus hours a day to exercising and hiking for around a year or more. Then within a week or so, 'Tiësto's Clublife' reappeared magically on my iPhone 5, which I bought mainly to support the Clublife app at the time. I gave it one more chance and since then never gave up new music by such DJs. I eventually stopped listening to podcasts and too many mixes to make my own, but I still go back to their original tracks and labels for trustworthy selections. Thanks again and Happy 50th! May you find the energy you can't live without.

11 days of January left

Date 2019-01-21 01:19:37

Ckwal is ahead of schedule and as the 2019-1 tattoo is healing, I'm thinking of more stuff to Ckwal's agenda because I'm out of stuff to do. The tattoo looks good, but if you are a guy shaving for the first time on a leg and using the bandage method, be prepared to take care of that for an additional week or longer. As Church Hill from Bread N' Butter in Kearney says is that we don't want it to heal too fast. Replace every few hours, washing with diluted dish soap for example, sometimes disinfecting it with rubbing alcohol. Tap dry or air dry. I experienced the 'healing too fast' with the Oasis logo and had to scrape off a few layers using a . As a vegan I recommend Saniderm though it's costly to add on top of Houston tattoo prices. Be sure to wrap it around to tape to itself so it stays on longer. What am I thinking of doing with Ckwal if I remain in single status? Probably do a movie of the month in theaters and dance club. I haven't really been to the theaters or clubs since becoming a sober vegan, but since it's a minority society of counter culturists, I should fit right in with dance parties, but butter popcorn infused air may prove more difficult. Happy MLK Jr day and keep on dreaming. My world is still changing and dreams come true. Make new ones. Just think, last year I was making leg warmers with MLK on it as one of my first sewing projects to stay warm in a homeless shelter. *Update - Strike through text on this page are because caution must be used with these brands or methods. Most plastic wrap is made by brands who do animal testing and many seemingly vegan-friendly brands may be 'fake cruelty-free'. This particular named brush is not suggested and research is recommended as many brush brands use real animal hairs.

MLK JR Houston

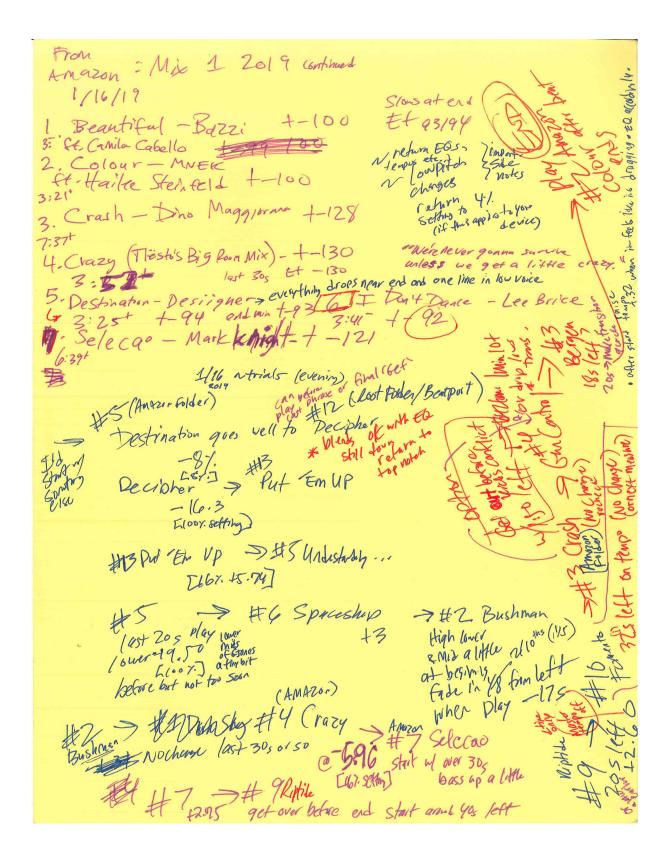
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I watched the parade for over an hour downtown and listened to speeches on a dedicated program on the portable radio all morning and afternoon. It was very inspiring. A lot of the city was marching, dancing and driving etc. Good to see everyone. I had to escape before it was over.

Notes for Mix 1 (Tiësto's Birthday)

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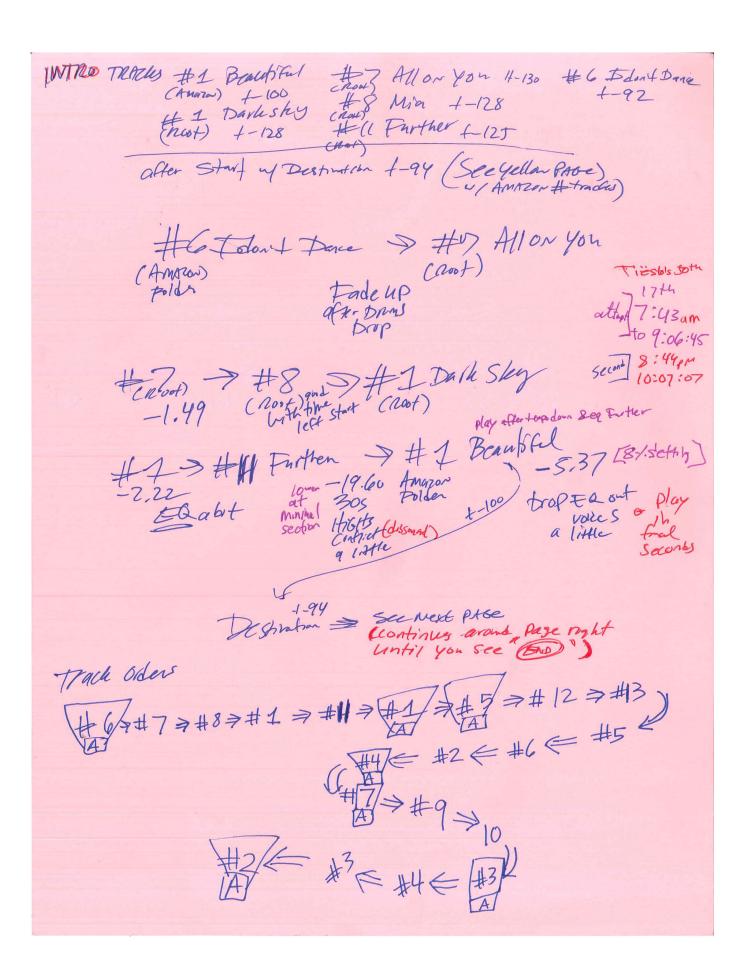
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Tattoo Journey Posts

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see the page '2019 Summary/Highlights' for more mentions in posts under the section called 'Tattoo of the Month'

One page three drawings 12.22.19

Drawing progress 12.21.19

Shotgun searching 12.20.19

Tattoo journey update 12.19.19

Today's progress 12.18.19

2 Years (Evening update) 12.16.19

2 Years (First Tattoo Anniversary) 12.15.19

Offline Updates/After Midnight 2 12.12.19

Evening Update 12.11.19

Past Midnight 12.9.19

Frozen 12.4.19

Puerto Rico (Part 2) 12.2.19

Puerto Rico Tattoo Convention (Part 1) 12.2.19

<u>Traditional page of tattoo roses</u> 12.1.19

Happy Thanksgiving (Sick break update) 11.28.19

Non-original free sketches 11.18.19

Values in Art 11.13.19

Ups and downs of Veteran's Day 11.12.19

Tomorrow's Here 11.10.19

Proportions 11.10.19

Drawing 11.09.19

Dark Days 11.08.19

Rainy Day 11.08.19

Week start 11.05.19

One Year Diamond Tattoo 11.04.19

DC Tattoo Expo Final Round (4 of 4) 11.1.19

<u>Tattoo links</u> 10.31.19

DC Tattoo Expo Round 3 10.29.19

DC Tattoo Expo Round 2 10.28.19

DC Tattoo Expo 10.28.19

Flip side (second half) 10.26.19

The Flip Side 10.24.19

Tat Practice 10.23.19

Practice Skin 10.21.19

Queen City Mix 1, 2 10.19.19

Queen City Tat Fest (Mix Intro) - 10.18.19

Tattoo Machine - 10.16.19

Queen City pt.3 - 10.15.19

Queen City pt.2 - 10.12.19

Queen City - 10.11.19

Fiona - 10.4.19

Tattoo journey receives a dose of new time - 10.2.19

Where is the enemy? - 9.28.19

<u>Vacation</u> - 9.7.19

Day 1, Month 8 (Che tattoo finished) - 8.1.19

Result (tattoo started and asking about apprenticeship) - 7.28.19

End of July - 7.28.19

General update (on professionalism and standing up for yourself) - 7.24.19

<u>Dallas Tattoo Expo Continued</u> - 7.15.19

Dallas Art & Tattoo Expo - 7.10.19

<u>In the meantime (other events)</u> - 7.8.19

<u>Villain Arts Portland favorites 2</u> - 7.7.19

<u>Subject Change (Villain Arts Portland favorites 1)</u> - 7.7.19

Trip Cancelled - 7.4.19

Dallas this time around - 7.1.19

Dallas Favorites Continued (1 of 3) (2 of 3)- 6.13.19 (3 of 3) - 6.16.19

Villain Arts Houston Day 3 - 6.9.19

New Orleans Convention continued - 5.26.19

New Orleans II - 5.15.19

Revisions (journey to the convention) - 5.8.19

Convention tattoo revised - 5.3.19

Conventions, budget, rock and roll - 4.30.19

Tattoo Journal - 4.29.19

Villain Arts Texas 2019 Research (Favorites linklist with contact info and basic notes) - 4.28.19

Good news, bad news - 4.27.19

Mark Your Calendars (Convention June) - 4.15.19

March's Tattoo - 3.8.19

Link and notes on February's tattoo - 2.13.19

11 Days of January Left - Aftercare notes. 1.21.19

Last Call? 'Year of tattoos' - With links. 11.21.18

Next Year, 'Year Of...' - 11.7.18

Year of tattoos continued - With links. 11.5.18

Random Updates - First artists, links and discussion. 5.21.18

Intro to 2018 - Bio notes and more with end summary about first tattoo. 1.7.18

Update 1.28.19 (Revised)

Date 2019-01-28 18:17:46

If anyone if updating to the new <u>Gutenberg</u> editor and Wordpress 2019 theme, this may be helpful to you. I bought a theme from <u>Themeforest</u> very quickly after looking through many over the years. I was paying by the minute at the <u>FedexOffice</u> store and sped through my decisions like I was trying to escape the cliff's edge. If you buy a new theme or not... Make sure you go to 'Users'-Your Profile'-Settings' and *uncheck* the box that says "Disable the visual editor when writing" in Visual Editor. This is if your plus box is greyed out and you cannot see the editor controls. You can work around this by typing in actual html code, but you will be limited and miss out on this really advanced editor. Thanks to https://rudrastyh.com/plugins for information on a post that found this fix. I discovered it just in time. Thanks Wordpress for all the years of usage on your dashboard and themes. The last theme I had for two years and couldn't really find a better one. I recommend 2019 for anyone starting out who doesn't have extra funds beyond hosting and domain name. There will be more updates besides what you see here in navigating conveniences.

I'm listening to <u>T.I.</u>'s latest album right now 'Dime Trap'. Skip 'The Weekend'. There are some other really explicit songs too, so I'll update in a review to let you know the best singles if you can't be bothered.

Also, my first tattoo of the year is using a font by the same company as my first tattoo. Thanks Chequered Ink for so many great choices. Chequered Ink can be found on dafont.com.

These tracks are compiling for possible next Mixlist choices (#2).

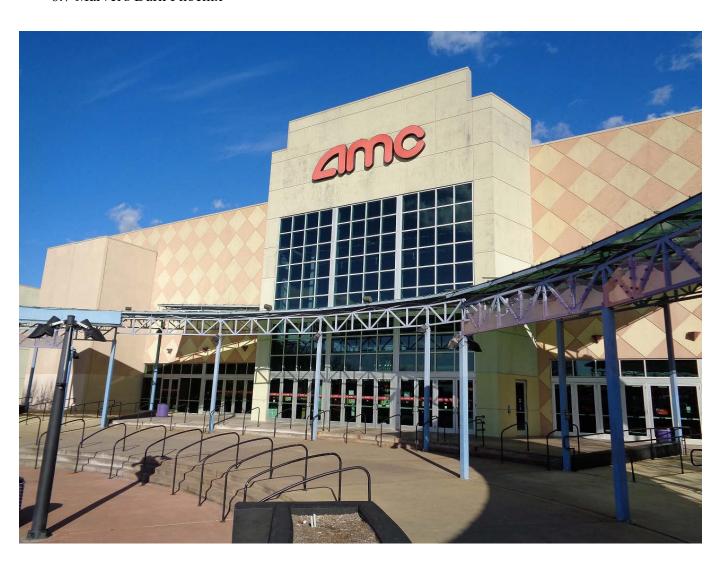
Promise Land - N33D
Pyrodox - Killed It
Ava Max - Sweet but Psycho
Lauren Daigle - First
Beyoncé - Party (feat. J. Cole)
Gloria Trevi - Como Yo Te Amo
No Limits - High n' Rich
Hillsong Worship - Forever Reign
Leona Lewis - Bleeding Love
Puddle Of Mudd - She Hates Me

Date

An introduction story to this post: On one of my life-defining road trips from Chicagoland to New Orleans and back several years ago before deciding to get my CDL, I carried a glass head with me. I had this since the early 2000's when I was at Berklee College of Music. It was given to me by an artist and glass blower I knew for a short time. The glass head or mannequin profile, from the neck up, was my company on the trip. I bought her a wig in New Orleans. She usually rode in the front seat. Sometimes I swear I could see souls visiting me or appearing through the glass. That was sometimes weird because she was like a future girlfriend I was imagining and the image was tainted somewhat with these spirits providing real visions. I think it was to keep me from getting to attached to an object that way. This kind of thing happens when identifying with music too if we start to have expectations about real individuals filling those unknown spaces. I brought this glass head all the way to North Platte, Nebraska. My car had broken down in Northern Nebraska in a different story on this blog. On my first walk from the tow yard mechanic's shop to downtown, I tried to carry too much and remember letting down one of my bags too quickly. I checked and felt my heart sink when it was the one with the glass and it had settled below the padding. I discovered the head fell on it's nose and there were cracks leading to a hole in the middle of her face. It was my last straw in my journey this far as I felt called by God to abandon a career with CRST right after passing the refresher course to go to Denver. I cannot describe how broken I felt inside as I threw out many belongings. I wedged my original iPhone 5 I was attempting to repair under my foot and snapped it in half breaking it to pieces before throwing it away. I saved the head for awhile however until I could no longer bear to look at it and destroyed her, giving up dreams to fix it piece by piece or bring it to a glass shop to restore. These situations will make you angry or sad to give up most of your belongings. I had given up a lot already to make it this far and had to part with stuff I said I would never. Eventually it's freeing and you don't want anything to replace it. Even a second pair of clothes. On this subject - I recently gave up what I had defined as a gold life for myself. Others have different meanings for this term. I defined it in writing with Ckwal's mission statement that I sent to a few individuals. In my repentance I have also given up many habits, lifestyles and what-not. Many of these for a period of over five years. I will probably be changing some of this to a more balanced lifestyle. One reason is because Christ died for this perfection and striving towards it makes us suffer. If you deny yourself too much and still can't forgive. Seek that first. So, I did see a movie. I went to 'Glass' on Monday night. It is a thinking movie mostly set in a sort-of futuristic hospital. There are a couple scenes in the beginning that sort of leave your mind thinking the worst at first, but then the movie never answers questions. I think it's missing something, but I appreciate the space. From my perspective it didn't attempt to change my life too much, in fact I started to think of how it was saving me in time. The movie experience was ruined before the scene when the actor, who is like a hundred characters, gets shot. This was the first movie I've seen in the theaters since Zoolander 2 in 2016 and Star Wars Episode VII in 2015. I left before it was over because although I won't describe what happened, I couldn't stay in the theater. Actually before those two movies I walked out of several movies due to other patrons, bad movies or both, but I had forgotten about those experiences. I used to stay to the end of every movie no matter what, but I let that go in Ckwal's early years. Is it a matter of age or perspective that we experience so many inconsiderate people? Others movies I have seen during this gold period: I rented 'Fast and the Furious 8' and the 'War of the Planet of the Apes' when I was between Denver and Kearney and long before that, several from Redbox before

moving out of Chicagoland - one of them being 'Joy'. Otherwise I avoided any moving videos except for work training at my current job to stay out of the cold when I couldn't sleep in the shelter. I was excited to share possibly twelve movies with readers of this blog in 2019 and in my draft of this post I thought, "I wont do that anymore". As my post expanded this week I decided that would be unfair to 'Glass' and the cinema culture or movie industry. I wouldn't recommend 'Glass' as a first choice though there were some good messages in the movie about believing in the impossible, the need for human contact and the concept of a place the movie called 'the light'. How many of you already experience what you see in this movie in some sense? I guess I was swayed to choose it because of Bruce Willis and Samuel L. Jackson, but they aren't the stars of the show. There are some other ones in the theaters I would think might be safer, like Mary Poppins Returns or A Dog's Way Home, but what do I know. If I get hooked, I'll do AMC's three movie a week pass and become a critic while music listeners say, "What happened to his mixes - these are bogus." Anyways... because my gold life was traded in the previews, I decided to think about choosing those movies as a tentative plan for the first months of 2019. I may go to more or less, like the sequel to Aladdin (5.24), but I'll publish this preview list (one from each future month of the previews) to end this post.

- 2.13 Happy Death Day 2 U
- 3.1 Greta
- 4.5 Pet Semetary
- 5.17 John Wick 3
- 6.7 Marvel's Dark Phoenix



Chinese New Year

Date

2019-02-04 18:38:58

Lunar New Year is tomorrow or just over a <u>couple of hours ago</u>. This isn't the 'Photo of February' since I took it in January.

Chinatown, Houston



EDC Mexico

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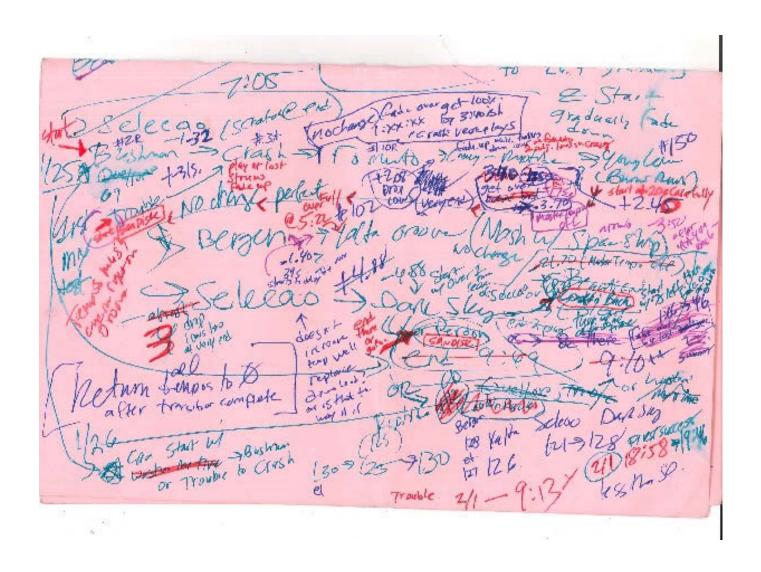
I'm going to Dallas right before Electric Daisy Carnival, Mexico City, to donate blood again. I think I'm at unit 11. However, I must pass on <u>this info</u> to anyone free towards the end of February. Line up is pretty hot.

Skrillex, What So Not, Alison Wonderland and Whipped Cream to name a few.

Mix 1 SE Notes

Date

2019-02-04 19:06:59



Mix 1 Special Edition

Date 2019-02-02 07:32:08

This one took forever. I kept experimenting with new combos and transitions and finally got the list together. Then I made mistakes everytime having to fix some tempo change or EQ. I finally mixed the first successful version less than an hour ago (last night by the time it is available to you). I'll post the notes later, though they are soooo messy with corrections. 2.1.19 // 18:58 -19:46 Trouble - Cage the Elephant Crash - Dino Maggiorana Fomento (Extended Mix) - Asco Crazy (Tiësto's Big Room Mix) (Tiësto's Big Room Extended Mix) - Tiësto & Dzeko Riptide -Mark Villa Young Love (Burns' Remix) - Felix Cartal Bergen (Extended Mix) - Purple Haze Yalta Groove to mash with Spaceship (feat. Uffie) - Mark Knight X Galantis (MOTi Remix) Selecao (feat. Shovell) - Mark Knight Dark Sky (Extended Mix) - Dropgun Looking Back - T.I.

2019 Summary

Date 2019-02-08 15:20:16

KEY: TB= Tiësto's birthday, SE = Special Edition, VE = Valentines' Edition, 2A = Two accidents version, SLNPM = Spontaneous Lucky No Practice Mix, DV = Dedicated version, SV = Shortened version (due to time), DVLE = Dedicated Version Limited Edition

DEDICATION MIXES

1TB - I Don't Dance to Colour Notes

1SE - Trouble to Looking Back Notes

<u>1</u> - Understanding the Possibility to I Could Be the One (No notes available)

<u>2 VE</u> - Party to Bleeding in Love or She Hates Me <u>Notes</u>

2 - Perfect to Suicidal Notes

Surprise Mix with Notes - Runner to Bright Lights

3 (Part I) - Fight For Me to The Hardest Part Notes

3 (Part II) - Don't Nobody Want None to Haven't Seen It Yet Notes

3 (Part III) - Dead Soon to Fire (Paris Blohm Remix) or Gravity Notes

<u>4 (Pieces B Ending Sketch)</u> - Vámonos (Curbi Extended Remix) to DESPUÉS QUE TE PERDÍ <u>Notes</u>

4 (Pieces B Beginning Sketch) 2A - bloodline to Only Want U

4 (Pieces B Beginning Sketch) - a lot to Only Want U Notes

5 (From Pieces C) - ghostin to Feel The Low (Extended Mix)

SLNPM (From Pieces C) - Saturn to Revelation

6(From Pieces A, B, C, D & more) - Woodruff to Right Left Wrong Notes

7 (From Pieces D and one from bridge candidates) SV - Parallel Line to Ride Notes

Mix 7 - Right Left Wrong to Explode Notes

VII edit - Limitless to Ride Notes

VII DV - Limitless to Passionfruit Notes

Eight (VIII) [From Pieces E] - Delicious to Now

Eight (VIII) Power Streak Version - Deathwish to Good as You

8 - Track and mix variation notes

8 (Third/Final Version) - Electric Pirates to In Case You Didn't Know notes

8 (Third Version +1) - Glitter to In Case You Didn't Know

9 - California Girls to Softens <u>notes</u>

9 (New Version) - Mantra to Shining (Kiko Dub)

9 DV - Wild Wild Son to Hands on Me

9 DVLE - Untouchable to Save Today

9 DVLER - Untouchable to Hands on Me (Note edits after the mix) First Notes

Mix X (Unmade) (1 more try) - Imaginary to That Was Just Your Life

Mix 11 practice (Countdown to Edward's 50th) - The Last Night (Comes Alive Version) to Knucle Punch Notes

Mix 11 DV - Fuga to Something I Need to Know Notes

Mix 11 (DV II) - i'm so tired to What About Me

Mix 11 (DV III) - Kinder Eyes to Failure

12 - Diamonds to Bumblebee

EXTRA MIXES

Just Added 2019.5 (Mix 13) - Bad Habits to The Light

Mix 14 (Practice Version) - All Of Your Heart (Modern Citizens Extended Remix) to Ostkreuz

Mix 14 (Previously 'Ckwal's Final Mix') All Of Your Heart (Modern Citizens Extended Remix) to Odyssey

Queen City Practice Mix - Pagan, Pt. 2 to MindLove

Queen City Tattoo & Arts Festival Mix - Falling to MindLove

Other successful mixes - Falling to MindLove or Pagan, Pt. 2

Halloween Mix - Bleeding Love (The 564 Crew Remix) to St. Anger

Countdown to Thanksgiving - My Church to Really

Mix 15 - Asking For It to I Don't Care Notes (scroll past songs)

Mix 16 - Good Things Fall Apart (Tiësto's Big Room Remix) to Ritual (MOSKA Remix)

Combo Mix - Look In My Eyes to Mirando

Mix 17 - Millennial to Cote d'Azur

Mix 18 - 1000 Years to Felix Ano Nuevo Alternate Ending to Ave Maria (Festival Remix) Notes

Tracks below make up the final mixes above and sometimes are in order of discovered or sections of the lists are that way. Check mark means most of the songs have been used in making a complete mix above.

The Pieces: $\underline{A} \ \underline{B} \ \underline{C} \ \underline{D} \ \underline{E} \ \underline{F} \ \underline{G} \ \underline{H} \ \underline{I} \checkmark$

MixLists continued after 2019's dedication. Some may be intended as listening lists that won't made into a mix.

Just Added (2019.5) ✓

MixList for Mix $14 \checkmark$

MixList for Mix 15 ✓

MixList for $16 \checkmark$

MixList for 17 ✓

MixList for 18 ✓

Winnie's Favorites

Easy Listening

Bonus MixList

Orion

Tattoo of the Month Posts

January's mentions 1, 2

February

March

April (Piercing) posts that mention it with the most recent first: Good news, bad news, Nose piercing update, 10, Where We At?, Pieces B - Ending Sketch, March's Tattoo

May & June (appointments): <u>Villain Arts Houston Day Three</u>, <u>Austin, Revisions, Convention</u> tattoo, <u>Conventions</u>, <u>Budget</u>, <u>Rock and Roll</u>, <u>Favorites (Part 1)</u>, <u>Good News, Bad News</u>, <u>3 Years a vegan in September</u>, <u>Year of the Pig</u>

<u>July</u> (Piercings) *chronological order*: <u>Selena Gomez' birthday</u>, <u>Piercings update</u>, (New Tattoo started) End of July, Result

August

September

October

November No TotM 11/19 (about this)

December No TotM 12/19 (about this)

Movie of the Month Posts

January

February, (Preview)

March

April

May

June Candidate 1, Candidate 2

July Catch up, Catch up II, Week end

August Candidate 1, Candidate 2

September Movies and Music, Candidates, Decision

<u>October</u>

November

December, update

Photo of the Month Posts

January

<u>February</u>

March April May

June
July
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November December

Mix 1

Date 2019-02-08 11:59:03

Understanding the Possibility - G Jones Destination - Desiigner Primadonna (Burns' Remix) - Marina and the Diamonds Overdose - Wolfgang Gartner Countdown (Original Mix) - Teddy Killerz Further - Attlas Promises (MK Remix) - Calvin Harris and Sam Smith You Ha Ha (Burns' Remix) - Charli XCX I wanna be - Turk & Pym I Could Be the One - Avicii & Nicky Romero

February

Date 2019-02-06 17:08:50

I'm planning to see 'Happy Death Day 2U' in the theaters when it opens before Valentine's Day for the movie of the month. I'll probably try to wait until the end of the month to finish the mix, but there is no telling when it'll all be finished. On tattoo #2. If this is your first year or you just started getting them it is natural to feel like you want to cover them up sometimes or like you made a big mistake. My advice is to learn how to love whatever decisions you made and try to remember what made you get it. Like music they bring us back to strong emotions or events that we don't want to forget. Phases in our lives make us move on quickly and forget people or places. In our frivolous phases we may never know what we are missing that others devote their whole lives to. I may have under appreciated some people in my life and when reviewing my past I think of how I can change that. Like the TV show 'My Name is Earl' in relation to my journey with video karma and pirating, I am on an expedition to not only right the wrongs or regrets, but to put new value to my whole life. It's really difficult learning new stuff you missed and being filled with so much hurt and regret that you would go from cursing your past to trying to put value to it in new ways besides - "I learned from my mistakes". I feel foolish these days and naive making the same errors over and over again. I promise you they are not from lack of experience. It may be God is brainwashing us to have a new life everyday. For example, the bible says the earth and universe was made in seven days. A hundred year life is simply fifty-two hundred universes. Can we imagine where God is in the development of what we call 'our futures'? No matter what each one of us believes, our complex or simple existences don't end in religion, science or even relationships.

Mid Feb.

Date 2019-02-13 12:56:25

Tracks are bought from the Mini MixList I added at the end of a recent previous post I was pointing to and last year's unmade 'Just Added' lists. Still deciding about 'Movie of the Month' for several reasons, though I may still go tonight. Tattoo #2 for February is done from the monthly checklist. I added to the first, or Alan did, from Rampage. It's the third I have from this shop in the Montrose, Houston area. I recommend it and will probably return. The orchids are from a book I found in Chinatown by a Chinese artist named Guohua Jiaocheng. There are also three bees from the same magazine or small book in which I wanted to add because it made me think of Ariana Grande who I have seen getting a tattoo behind her ear on instagram previously. Good luck on your new album's reception, which I already saw in the store this morning. Side note: I am having some issues with making new posts from my phone, so if you see typos or misprints, please be patient as I may not be able to see or fix them until I reach a desktop. 'Photo of the Month' is below.



Next, Bone Marrow

Date 2019-02-08 15:38:16

I posted Mix 1 which I finished with no prep. It wasn't totally perfect. There will be no notes unless I remix it which is possible. In other news I have finally been added to the bethematch.org registry. It takes a while to send in your DNA and have it processed, so if you want to get waiting while doing regular blood donations like myself, go to the website and order your kit. It's less universal to donate bone marrow, so more waiting, but important to start the process earlier.

Mix 2 (Valentines' Edition)

Date

2019-02-14 16:20:49

I went around on the bus thinking of posting a date-night idea before going back to the theater, but never ended up seeing a flick. I practiced this shorter mix this morning and luckily did one presentable one to share on this holiday. Feb. 14, 2019 8:14 - 8:53 Party (feat. J Cole) - Beyoncé Kill the Beat - LOUD ABOUT US! Baccano - Asco Th3 One (feat. Funkz) - Lush & Simon x Carta I N33D - Promise Land Killed It - Pyrodox Sweet but Psycho - Ava Max Cualikeing - Binary Nalakuvara - Danny Ores x MVGMVR Runner - Posij Bleeding Love - Leona Lewis

Houston Valentine

Date

2019-02-15 00:26:04

It might be too late for anyone to use this general easy date, but I'll share it anyway for a couple or group to use another night.

Head over to Cafe Annie for some drinks outside.

6 BLVD Place, 1800 Post Oak Blvd #6170, Houston, TX 77056

It's open until 10pm and there is a lot of shopping nearby, but if you get bored and there is enough time, catch a ride to *Micro Center* or take bus 33 South on Post Oak to browse the devices or latest computer building equipment. Your man will love it and you might too for a project to build together. (closes at 9 - so you could go in the morning if you are hungover or whatever)

5305 S Rice Ave, Houston, TX 77081

Make sure you book a room at *Hyatt House* Houston/Galleria. When I saw it, I read *Home2* on the sign from Richmond near Sage.

3440 Sage Rd, Houston, TX 77056

There is also a vegan option advertised at a restaurant on the right side of the road from Richmond and Sage going Westbound called *India's*. (closes at 10pm) You can probably walk or take bus 25 going West (unless she has some limited edition heels, I wouldn't push it).

5704 Richmond Ave, Houston, TX 77057

When I went over this, I bussed from the bar to Micro Center and walked to the area where the hotel is and just saw the restaurant on the bus back to where the theater area is on Dunvale. If you are going to that *AMC* theater, get off at the stop on Dunvale, turn right and you will see it with a short walk on the right. I did see a Lyft outside of Micro Center, but if you have the apps there are also plenty of Uber drivers I would guess. 'Happy Death Day 2U' is on at 11pm tonight and I think 'If Beale Street Could Talk' is at 10pm, or at least it was last night.

AMC Studio 30, 2949 Dunvale HOUSTON TX 77063

MIX 2 TRACKS BEATPORT & AMAZON 23 TRACKS (alpha befrae order) 1. Baccano Bot. T-127 Halloween Roller derby 213Ns 126 (a-127) 2. Bleeding Love T-102 First steady reading (auto-los) 516ms at and 3-Bleedy Lova Remake (The 564 Crew Rem.) T-128 Et 130 - 105. can lover mids raise lows could add for can crank mies to at chorus 4. Como yo Te Amo I-68 ET-69 Slows down last 15ts to end 5. Cualikeing IT-133 Commoning Breaks Oldschool vibe ET-133 6- DOU-DY DOU-DY T-13 of tattimes) Forein W/por charas & sections Strillus - like one Chord (ask Grands 7. Eastside 1-89 end just voices & guitar (55 ends) 8. Hade & Seele T-122 122+ at Deginning Moby US Bond ET-123 to low 516 of 122 9. ± N33D 7-124 a little faster in middle (a-125) 10. Kiled it (EX.) T-128 lyrics l'es of silence M. Kill The beat (EXL.) T-127 (a-120) power warming or recharge shalf horse explicit 12. Nalakuvara +-150 Gimilar to 1218 teibulish outro lost symbol-12sleft 148 131 No Limits Ext) +-127, 1311-128, B42/3 slowson then back up ET 127,5+/8 14. Party +- 90 "Imoy be yours, but I'm pretts" feathern 8 end on the end echo.
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Mix 2

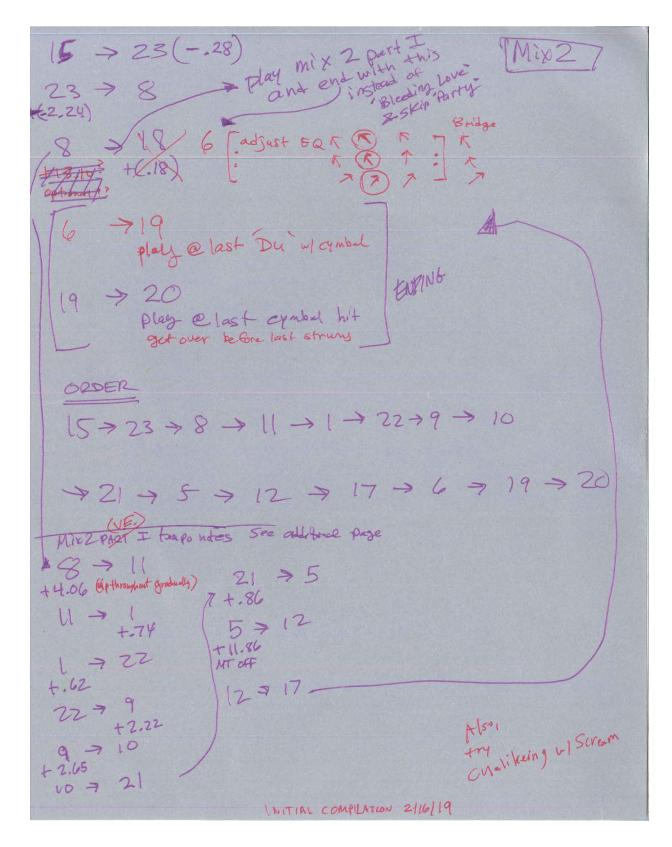
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Feb. 15th 7:51pm - 8:41pm Perfect - Jordan Jay & Arena Trippin (Extended Mix) - Bora, Danny Ores Hide & Seek (Extended Mix) - Shermanology, Mr. Belt & Wezol Kill the Beat - LOUD ABOUT US! Baccano - Asco Th3 One (feat. Funkz) - Lush & Simon x Carta I N33D - Promise Land Killed It - Pyrodox Sweet but Psycho - Ava Max Cualikeing - Binary Nalakuvara - Danny Ores x MVGMVR Runner - Posij DDu-Du DDu-Du - Blackpink She Hates Me (Explicit) - Puddle of Mudd Suicidal (Explicit) [feat. Desiigner] - Diplo

Mix 2 Notes

Date

2019-02-17 21:34:49



Three albums

Date 2019-02-13 18:21:07

Also considering these albums for Mix 2. They are all worth getting even though you may have heard or will hear a lot of them on the radio.

Twenty One Pilots - Trench

<u>Post Malone</u> - beerbongs & bentleys

Lauren Daigle - How Can It Be

First favorite tracks are 1,7 & 1 respectively.

I saw Lauren Daigle for the first time in a music video when I was staying at Star of Hope in Houston and really liked her voice. At the time I think 'Trust In You' was my favorite. I got into Twenty One Pilots when I bought the last album and was really surprised at how they were really an album type band even though they get over-played on the radio. Before I heard 'My Blood' I was so sick of hearing their most famous track that I didn't want to think about this band again because I had sold all my albums as you may remember for a dollar or so before moving from my hometown of Libertyville, Illinois several years ago. Post Malone I hear on the radio like everyone else, but was actually inspired by the tattoo artist named 'Bear' from Violet Tiger to buy the album after he played 'Stay' for me right after getting the Korean 'Oasis' tattoo on my arm. I bought all three of these albums recently before my Orchids tattoo and bought a Nintendo DS 2D. I wanted something else to do to get my mind off things. The next day I was woken up early and decided to return the DS and go back to Rampage that night.

Update 2.15

Date 2019-02-16 00:50:45

Mix 2 Part I is now Mix 2 (Valentines' Edition). I am making an official Mix 2 using the power tracks base of the Valentines' Edition and supercharging it with some more I have left. It ends differently and there is no 'Party' or 'Bleeding in Love'. I'll post notes eventually, but next week is probably too busy if I can't make it to the library on Sunday. I'm all set for an overnight in Dallas this time next week. I also decided to stay in Houston for a year despite the worst start to a year since I was born, but positively flying by with CKWAL homework. This next mix is mostly a workout with a cool down and will use up most of the bonus tracks from last year, so I'll need to start listening to new stuff from the feeds as I have been on CDs and last year's finds.

'Mix Pieces' A

Date 2019-02-20 13:57:04

I'll start adding to this. I'm not necessarily making mixes from these as works separate from each other. They are guidelines with tracks appearing when I discover them or after I have written some down offline. Andy Mineo - Friends Danny Gokey - Haven't Seen It Yet Alejandro Sanz - Corazón Partío Josh Turner - I Saw the Light (feat. Sonya Isaacs) Maze - We Are One (feat. Frankie Beverly) Trip Lee - Insomniac (feat. Andy Mineo) Tiësto - Affliction (feat. Olivera) Keanu Silva - Fine Day PBH & Jack Shizzle - I Wanna Know You Marshmello - Happier (feat. Bastille) George Michael - Father Figure Capital Kings - I Can't Quit (feat. Reconcile) GAWVI - Fight For Me (feat. Lecrae) Ryan Adams - The Hardest Part Deepend - One Thing Left To Do (feat. Hanne Mjøen) The Him - Tell Your Friends (feat. Loote) Curbi - Spiritual (Mriya) [feat. Brooke Tomlinson] Biray - We Gonna Rock KSHMR & Yves V - No Regrets (feat. Krewella) Rusko's EP Megarad out and thissongissick.com's Chill Playlist 48

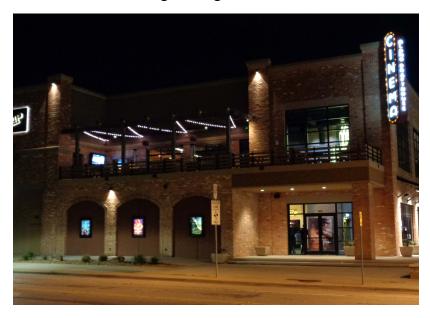
Movie of the Month (preview)

Date

2019-02-21 16:55:15



I made it on time to the Red Cross blood drive and later checked in at the hostel in Deep Ellum. It's a unique neighborhood with lots of hang out spots, bars and tattoo shops. I took a walk across this area and some nearby communities that are very European and culturally diverse like walking through different countries. In the evening I decided to venture out further to the other edge of town where I saw 'What Men Want' at Alamo Drafthouse. I'll post pictures and try to write about this later. Possibly I'm too sensitive from not seeing videos in so long, but this is really explicit. The meaning of the movie is almost overshadowed by shock value. There is some impressive acting, but one if the reasons I saw it besides timing of when I showed up, was Tracy Morgan. He is barely a supporting lead even though pictured on the poster. I was a fan of '30 Rock' when I taught in Taiwan, but that too was a long time ago in relation to my lifestyle changes. I'd still like to see 'Alita'. I'm worried every movie I choose will be difficult to write about with only one a month, so I may have to see more and pick the best one. This was the first time I've been to a theater like Drafthouse which also serves a Vegan menu and full drink menu from your seat. I'm still too strict to eat out Vegan like this, but considering a change.



Update 2.23.19

Date 2019-02-23 20:42:08

I'm working on a surprise mix that incorporates some Toolroom house music from a huge compilation I bought from Beatport on a 'steal of sale' awhile ago with some of the unused tracks that I still have on the USB keys. This music I analyzed over one hundred tracks during the end of last year when I had no money for new music and found these remaining in my online Berklee drive. I got rid of so much music and files when I sold my hard drives after breaking down in Nebraska, but there were these tracks. I listened to them all, got BPMs and basic remembrances written down and marked my favorites which I will be putting together in new ways. Write you later.

February's 'Movie of the Month'

Date 2019-02-24 21:03:25

Let me tell you a bit more about 'What Men Want'. Well I looked away from many full scenes. I wouldn't recommended it if you are sensitive to explicit stuff. I had just donated blood after a four hour bus ride and several other transportation connections. So I'll just say that the experience was about as extreme as you get...humanistically. I was like - grossed out too. Let's say a few good words, philosophize, then sum it up. Taraji P. Henson was the real acting star. Of course there is feminism here, but not too typical. She could get you embarrassed or feeling totally insane and probably motivated to try harder at work or relationships because let's face it, compromise or plain giving up is easier or truthfully what most people do. After high school some stuff is too difficult. Especially if you are sober. What people want in general is for all the problems to go away or solve themselves, while the fun part never ends! Finding your role at work, life and with your significant other is a big part, your responsibility. Fate lines people up sometimes, but from there it can be the biggest battle. Especially when humans and spirits want you apart. One great individual can change the world forever; one amazing couple is a threat to all established civilization. Probably with a different cast this movie would have been unbearable unless you were a Vegas worker with a stellar sense of humor, but hard to say. Really the sense of humor with these performances could be like therapy as people in 2019 are mostly online and in that, don't or can't express themselves at work or in person. It's dysfunction. It's in the rules for our protection and from mistakes which keeps success a priority sometimes by accident to those habitual to doing what they are told. Proclaim this and I watch everyone running an awkward social race to catch up for a day or two and then it goes away due to uncomfortable controversy to what rules were broken, the social standards in jeopardy or laziness and the fact that somebody said 'TMI!', until you start squeaking the wheel. So the message overall at the end is good and not too sappy, but as I am critical these days with the role I have been shaped in by the blog - I can imagine I'll probably see one more movie for February cause I'm rambling for the story here to avoid the fact that it's over the top with graphic nature and language even when having closed my eyes. The best part was probably Erykah Badu's character and outtakes that round off the credits.

Surprise Mix

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Runner - Posij

DDu-Du DDu-Du - Blackpink

Trippin (Extended Mix) - Bora, Danny Ores

Perfect - Jordan Jay & Arena

DJ, You've Got My Love (Original Club Mix) - Richard Dinsdale X New Scene (feat. Ofelia) -

Felix Cartal

Good Times (Original Club Mix) - Mark Knight, Funkagenda

You've Got The Love (Mark Knight Remix) - Florence And The Machine

Hope (Original Club Mix) - Rene Amesz, Ruell

Sax (Original Club Mix) - Mark Knight

Still The Same Man (feat. John Christian & Nilson) - Nicky Romero

No Limits (Extended Mix) - High 'N' Rich

Eastside - benny blanco, Halsey & Khalid

Bright Lights (feat. William Cartwright) [Rockers Mix] - Die, Interface



Toolroom Ten

Toolroom Ten track notes

Track notes

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In the below scans, I have included some albums the main being the tracks I selected from for the surprise mix in the previous post. This may be useful if you buy Toolroom Ten, but there is more. I didn't totally finish as you see, but this was some serious homework over the holidays at the end of 2018 that helped me stay on budget and busy.

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Just when you think you have made it through the worst... An *eye of the storm* is a cliché phrase for when there is a break between or during a natural disaster suddenly. I have witnessed one in Kaohsiung, Taiwan. I looked up into the eye of the typhoon and could see the gigantic hole in the swirl or sky directly above when I sensed the wind had died down and the downpour stop. This morning I was sure I would cancel Ckwal's journey as I feel many times. I was sure I would change my artist name once again to bury myself and avoid the suffering I felt for what I may be taking for preparation without choice.

I sold one turntable to make an emergency payment on a credit card that I overcharged by \$3.60 when I accidentally used the wrong card due to low battery on my phone buying a 3 CD Chinese dance music album in a shop in Chinatown. I have been losing faith for the first time in my life and if you trust I am telling you the truth on my blog, it is probably the hardest thing you can experience or go through. I always feel the eye of the storm from spiritual torment or real relationship unrest and usually despise it because I know it is there to usually make me buy something or lose someone important. Most of my life was like being in the eye until I was about thirty-three years old. It was never easy, but I wrote songs about depression or spirits I felt were with me as a remedy I felt was a gift from God. Now I am suspicious of those 33 years as my gifts I give almost out of spite from what feels like everything is being taken away. Anything I appreciate or value is only a tool to give up more or to feel something that needs to be databased like a pill for alien research.

To stay positive: I'll publish my surprise mix later tonight and keep you updated on how I am going to make the next mix after seeing another movie if 'allowed'. Two quotes that have gotten me through years of hardship consistently I present you:

As Calvin Harris once said on Twitter when I was following on the social networks, "Sometimes we didn't know how we were going to make it, but we did." and song lyrics from Tiësto's mix that he may have reiterated, "How was I to know our love would grow."

I try to give you everything on this blog not to be entertaining a lot of time, but to save someone else's life as it has mine. You may feel like you are being robbed most of the time, but even if you lose all faith - trust I'll try to find a solution while I am still here.

Ckwal

Appalled II

Date

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I finally got my tax return and thought I could pick up a device to share on the blog and use as one of my turntables. I even signed up for the unlimited cell phone plan for the first time since I can remember, mainly to think about calling record labels since I am already kamikaze. I put a down payment on the XS with two year plan and went to work. I rushed over to the store to pick up the case after work and was about to walk out when I see - Apple branded leather cases. I saw the red ones online around when I was going to Dallas to donate my 11th unit of blood and I was in disbelief. ProductRED or whatever it is about saving lives due to HIV research. Vegan phones, I thought, protected by cow skin support disease research hand in hand with cow slaughter. Am I missing something? This has been for years too, not new. As I walked back a speeding tow truck almost ran me over in the wrong lane. Are people angry at God, the Devil, each other? It's difficult to proceed in many ways at the point I've reached because I know an afterlife exists. I'm not looking forward to it. People living in reverse, from what starting point?, may not know of life and death? Leather is not fashionable anymore. It is taboo. Fashions change overnight and so do standards. You can't live forever happy with a trillion dollar industry or whatever it is knowing the sacrifice when society's biggest brainwash wears off. I return the phone tomorrow not only because of this, but no audio jack. Steve Jobs sharing the same first name as I, rolled in his grave on my near collision with a reckless tow truck on my walk home as I thought of what Apple could do to make me keep this device. Like Nike shoes selling leather unnecessarily when a whole world famous brand could be cruelty-free even is another company saying for some reason that it is okay condescendingly. Ella Mai's extended shot-clock due to my A.M.'s brainwash. Don't forget next year has 29 days in February.

March

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New mix, new movie, new photo, another tattoo... Some of the tracks are adding up at Mix Pieces A. The iPhone was pretty amazing to work with, but it had to be returned. I'm starting over again with some optimism this month. A lot of everything from the last few months were carried over with a dedication and other stuff that didn't work out, so March feels like a new year again (or it will by the end of it). I just need to get another Numark most likely to replace the used one I pawned unless the Google Pixel 4 shows up with a vegan attitude or some other miracle. 'Greta' is already in theaters.

March's 'Movie of the Month'

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I was excited to see 'Greta' in the previews of 'Glass', but decided to see 'Alita' on a whim last night in a third theater. This one is also near where I live in Houston. Besides possible leather seats in this cinema (and the last theater), it was the best experience so far. I'm usually thinking it is fake leather, like the last theater in Dallas, because it seems like it would be too expensive and difficult to clean. So, if you are a crazy vegan like me going to one of these theaters and get a chance, call and ask them before you buy a ticket. I'll ask next time I go. 'Alita' was very unusual in some ways. I'm not going to write too much about it because I'm not a movie critic. I have been comparing my life to the movies, or what parts they remind me of, and this one is pretty futuristic with robot humans. Ideas that have been in my imagination, but haven't really taken hold in how I act in life. Seems like this could have been a series or with multiple sequels like 'Hunger Games' because there are a lot of areas that are not totally developed, like the battles. I was losing my attention span at one point of the movie, so I figured they did that to hold our desensitized culture. I thought seeing more movies would make me not want to move much in my life, but it is sort of revealing a hole in my soul or desires that I have buried so what, like travel. The guy who made the first robot body is a little creepy at first and the general feeling at the beginning of the movie is strangely awkward, but that passes after some time into it. Overall I appreciated that it doesn't rely on bad language, though it isn't an innocent family movie so-tospeak.

March's Tattoo

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I had a couple of art designs I was pondering that would take a big hunk of money and time. One to add to the shrine or whatever you call it on my right Achilles heel. Instead I was able to fit two more Pacman ghosts next to the

Antone from Richmond Tattoo did at the end of the year. One is true to 'Pinky' and the two I just got done yesterday at the mall near my apartment are orange with bright red eyes and blue with teal eyes. I was visiting this shop several times about piercings called 'Rockstar Tattoo' and speaking with the counter lady - Juana. The artist has some pretty good prices and different way of working *(update - I heard he left this shop, but his contact number can be found at that instagram link). Rockos is in a mall and there can be lots of visitors with the building closing early. Tattooing usually starts at 11. Pacman was my XX girlfriend's favorite game or one of those ones she played when bored at the bar in Boston for no better reason. The orange choice ties back to the Achilles heel. Teal reminds me of my second visit to Russia looking for a lady named Tonya who I promised to visit again, but we lost contact with each other. Moscow the third time around was not as easy as the first or second in 2012 when I nearly moved into a highrise at an unbeatable price to complete my dream of living and teaching there. I ended up staying in a hostel before Christmas in early December a few years ago and in the city it was dirty, sludgy, cold and a competition basically for something. I ran to St. Petersburg to meet friends there, but barely escaped with enough money to the U.S. because nothing was happening successfully. All three of these ghosts are lined up, mostly hiding inside my left bicep area. Mix 3 is underway too, or part one is... I have the list and ready to attempt a full run through. It is the most challenging mix, I think, since I started and I don't think the next one will be easy either.

Mix 3 (Part I) and track notes

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Other tracks used for this mix are from 'Mix in the Making #9'. 22Bullets Remix is unavailable for purchase. Part II may use some of the tracks in the above notes that weren't used in Part I along with tracks from other unmade 'Mix in the Makings in 2018' or new selections. 'Picture of the Month' will eventually be using *permission to use* forms to include people (subjects) in the Houston area at the time of photographing.

Mix 3 (Part I)

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I mixed a nearly perfect banger last night, but hit the pause button on accident during the third song for a second. After the fifth attempt this morning, I decided to post the list. I'll show notes tomorrow. They are hard to read, but mostly down to the crucial second or sound change necessary to make these transitions happen. My favorite is from 'Polar' to 'Ferrari'. Drop the tempo and pitch to negative 39.10 percent just before 18 seconds left (Master Tempo Off) and play at -18s. I EQ 'Polar' down on the highs and mids and add bass for the whole track. March Tenth 8:22am - 9:27am Fight For Me (feat. Lecrae) - GAWVI Friends - Andy Mineo Kansas - Gorillaz Corazón Partío - Alejandro Sanz Father Figure - George Michael Affliction (feat. Olivera) - Tiësto & Zaxx Give Me Love (Extended Mix) - Mesto Spiritual (Mriya) [feat. Brooke Tomlinson] - Curbi I Wanna Know You (Extended Mix) - PBH & Jack Shizzle Fine Day (Extended Mix) - Keanu Silva Polar - Curbi Ferrari - Bebe Rexha Aint That Why (Skytech Remix) - R3HAB X Krewella Turn Left - Snavs & Wide Awake Moksha - StarX & Distort Hymn (Till My Kingdom Comes) - Danko & Marnik Just For a Moment (feat. Iselin) - Griffin The Hardest Part - Ryan Adams & The Cardinals

Three Newer CDs

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From the one Chinese dance CD, I bought three more CDs recently and decided to replace the used Numark with a new one of the same model. I listened to Bebe Rexha's 'Expectations', Kelsea Ballerini's 'Unapologetically' and Gorillaz' 'The Now Now'. I was in the mood for some Gorillaz and it was what I was expecting or hoping for. Bebe really surprised me as I didn't want to like this album for some reason when I was driving in Nebraska listening to Payton on the Thunder radio. Actually this is what I expected Payton to look like. The hit songs are overplayed, but are good. The production is amazing and her voice is too. She could probably be an old jazz singer in the roaring 20's or something if our society could handle that. The production on Kelsea's album is really country pop solid. They know what they are doing and rarely seem imperfect especially in modern country.

I visited Nashville on a school trip from Berklee and there are so many serious songwriters and companies that form the industry from pen or pencil to the ears. I guess some of the manual feel is what I miss though. I used to make albums without professional session drummers and off any sort of click and never paid attention to numerical tempo. You can really tell the difference, but obviously we make unintended mistakes this way and it may depend on what's in our system, on our nerves or what relationships we are in... The same goes for these musicians writing their own songs, but they make them so perfect for albums that I get the impression they are super-human contrary to the meaning in the lyrics. So, we would have to see some of these real sensitive people, from what I would guess, live to get a different take on them. Even Ariana who is a part of writing most of her songs seems like a fragile, precious being. I would say all three of these shows would be good live, if I were to gamble on the concept. I'm almost finished analyzing the tracks of the three-disc Chinese dance set which has some good stuff to listen to. There are some annoying rap clips in English that don't seem to fit and other so-so tracks that sample some songs and I don't know if they have been properly cleared, but it has some traditional singers and sounds mixed with some old-school dance and video game sound, house rock, Chinese house and shuffle mixed music that would be good in all sorts of settings. I can also hear some of Tiësto's influences from his last Club Life.