

Central Park – the Munich progressive rock legend of the 80's are back – in their original line-up! Controversial as ever, they transform the progressive spirit of yesterday into today. „Founded in 1983 Central Park became the top notch of German Progrock group“ (Keys). The CD/DVD „unexpected“ was released in conjunction with the totally unexpected reunion in 2006. Their idols are easily defined: ELP, Genesis, Yes, Deep Purple and Pink Floyd, „*at no time is the band a carbon copy, but shines with their own originality*“ (Empire). Rated 3 stars (Rolling Stone), Central Park is back – with all the former magic and several unreleased tracks of way back when. Thus, bringing to surface a musical treasure chest of days gone by. Meanwhile, the reunited group Central Park is revving up to perform live on tour!

Here is what the press reviews are saying:

KulturSpiegel: „*Yes, ELP, Million and the likes were masters of lengthy and intricate compositions, nowadays being applauded by hipsters such as Vincent Gallo. He, too would enjoy the majestic debut of these Munich guys: full of virtuously arranged tracks about the Gods, gardens and the US president.*“

WOM Magazine: „*A mixture of hymns, complex rhythms and blasting powerful music reminiscent of ELP.*“

Eclipsed: „*Many a Neoprogram-Combo could take lessons from Central Park – a Prog-treasure to be re(dis)covered.*“

Break Out: „*One could think this to be a release of a world famous combo.*“

German Rock News: „*A stroke of genius!*“

German Press Association (dpa): „*Thus, „Unexpected“ takes you on an adventure in time in the almost forgotten fields of opulent arrangements and artistic compositions far off the trodden mainstream path.*“

Rocktimes: „*Hats off to this impressive work!*“

Audio: „*Epic, melodic, bombastic: Prog of the finest!*“

Keys: „*...this Munich quintet can stand up to such pioneers as ELP, Yes or Gentle Giant.*“

Darmstädter Echo: „*These musicians have not lost their magic (only some of their hair).*“

Sounds2move: „*Progrock by Central Park stands above all doubt.*“

Jogi's Rockfabrik: „*A musical trip back in time which allows the listener to rock, to dream and then in other moments to dwell in complex compositions and opulent arrangements.*“

Walls of Fire: „*An elegant, high-quality and still an easy-listening Prog-Rock-package destined to make waves.*“

Home of Rock: „*...puts its bet on the eternal values of good-old handmade, honest and high-quality rock music.*“

German radio station „Rockantenne“: „*Album of the week*“