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CHVRCHES FAN PODCAST - #032

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ANNOUNCEMENT

BAND INTRO + #32 for March 30, 2018

INTRODUCTION

SONG - CHVRCHES - "Somebody Else (cover of The 1975)" [from BBC Radio 1 Live Lounge]

- <http://chvrch.es/>
- <https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Chvrches>
- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Bimd2nZirT4> (original)
- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wEdRhmBx8IU> (cover)

Welcome to the 32nd CHVRCHES Fan Podcast recorded on Friday, March 30, 2018. My name is Steve Holden and I am recording this podcast in Southern California near San Diego. This is Easter Weekend! So happy Easter and I hope your Spring is going well.

Today's podcast is going to go back time in the what I'm called the "wayback machine" by reviewing a great CHVRCHES review and news story from 2013. Doing historical lookbacks is something that I've wanted to do but I've never gotten around to doing them. If you enjoy this "wayback machine" concept then let me know and I will consider doing more of them in the future. If you'd like to read a specific article for the podcast that would be great also. Let me know if you'd be interested in that. I will continue summarize and comment on new CHVRCHES news regularly, but not in today's podcast. Continuing to do Fan Interviews is also something that will not go away. If you'd like to be in a future Fan Interview then please let me know at chvrchespodcast@gmail.com or on twitter @chvrchespodcast..

That intro song sample was a recent cover by CHVRCHES of the song "Somebody Else" by the band The 1975. This was on the show BBC Radio 1 Live Lounge and this song was mentioned back in the summer of 2017 by BBC Radio 1 reporter Steve Holden (yes the other Steve Holden) as sounding like CHVRCHES when you play the original Somebody Else by The 1975 on a record player at 45-rpm instead of the standard 33-rpm. So this CHVRCHES cover is more than likely linked to Steve's original Twitter post and video which got a lot of attention when it was posted. The cover is very good and seeing performed live is highly recommended. Check out the show notes for links to more coverage and to the videos of the performance.

- <https://consequenceofsound.net/2018/03/chvrches-cover-the-1975s-somebody-else-on-bbc-live-lounge-stream/>
- <https://www.spin.com/2018/03/chvrches-somebody-else-the-1975-cover/>
- <https://pitchfork.com/news/watch-chvrches-cover-the-1975s-somebody-else/>

FAN QUESTION

The last CHVRCHES fan question that we posted on our Facebook page (<https://www.facebook.com/chvrchespodcast/> [or <https://fb.me/chvrchespodcast>].) was "What caused Chvrches to split up in August 2014?" The first correct answer to this question was from Rollan and it was related to "Outside Lands." This was a concert in the San Francisco area that the band got physically split up with their gear traveling through Canada to the U.S. Their gear end up somewhere else. And they missed the show. You can read more about all the drama over on the Facebook page. Congrats to Rollan for the correct answer. When I first read the question I thought the "band split up ... as in the band broke up" and I'd never heard of them doing that so I was really interested in the answer. The real answer is much better than my worst case scenario. The next

"How Big of a CHVRCHES FAN are You?" question is "What Chvrches song does Lauren describe as a 'Palate Cleanser'?" You can answer over on the Facebook CHVRCHES FAN PODCAST site (<https://www.facebook.com/chvrchespodcast/>).

- <https://www.stereogum.com/1697598/chvrches-cancel-outside-lands-set-due-to-border-crossing-trouble/news/>

<< **PLAY BUMPER** >>>

WAYBACK MACHINE ARTICLE

OK for this next segment, I am going to read to you a newspaper article that frequent podcast contributor David from the UK has in his collection of CHVRCHES Memorabilia that was from 2013. It was published in the UK when CHVRCHES were playing some of their first shows. David also shared with me pictures of his set lists from two of these early shows. Both of David's set lists come from shows in Manchester -- one on May 1, 2013 and one on Oct 14, 2013.

The title of the article by Kitty Empire is "Almost enough to turn you religious ... Glasgow newcomers Chvrches make accessible glassy electro-pop that's only short of brilliant. The article includes a picture of Lauren singing that was photographed by Caitlin Mogridge. All the links will be in the show notes for more information. I apologize in advance if I messed up pronouncing any names.

- <https://www.caitlinmogridge.co.uk/index>
- <https://twitter.com/caitlinmogridge>
- <https://www.theguardian.com/profile/kittyempire>
- <https://twitter.com/kittyempire666>



<< PLAY RECORDING OF NEWS ARTICLE >>

Again that was a piece written in 2013 just as CHVRCHES were expanding their live shows. I think it is great to look back to the beginning as ALBUM #3 is coming at the end of May 2018. Another thing I liked is getting Kitty's personal opinion based on listening to a lot of music and tying together the backstories before CHVRCHES and possible inspirations that influenced the band. Let me know if you want more of these types of "wayback machine" segments.

ENDING

SONG - CHVRCHES - "Get Out" [Live on BBC Radio 1 Live Lounge]

- <http://chvrch.es/>
- <https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Chvrches>
- [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Get_Out_\(Chvrches_song\)](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Get_Out_(Chvrches_song))

That song sample was also from the BBC Radio 1 Live Lounge session with the band playing a live version of the new song "Get Out" with the new CHVRCHES drummer Jonny Scott. I played the very beginning of the song because you can hear the tap tap tap of Jonny's drumsticks setting the timing for starting the song. More info about Jonny in the show notes, plus I pasted in a picture of Jonny in

the shownotes if you want to see what he looks like! And you can follow him on Twitter @thejonnyscott (<https://twitter.com/thejonnyscott>):

- <https://radio1045.iheart.com/content/2018-03-12-chvrches-now-have-a-drummer/>
- <http://blurbstory.com/NME/973197553826136071>
- <https://www.readdork.com/news/chvrches-have-a-live-drummer-now/>



Well we have reached the end of the today's podcast content. You can head over to www.chvrchespodcast.com for all the links mentioned in this podcast, and details on how to subscribe to the podcast via Apple Podcasts, Google Play Music, SoundCloud, and YouTube.

Feedback can be sent via email to chvrchespodcast@gmail.com.

I am are going to end the podcast with our tradition of playing a recommended song that fits into the very broad genre of "Retro 80s Synth". If you have a recommended song then please let me know and I will end a future podcast with it. You can now listen to the full list of Retro 80s Synth songs we have recommended since Podcast #1 using Google Play Music and Spotify. Check out the show notes for the current playlists (<http://bit.ly/CFP-Retro-80s-Synth>).



Today's song is "Only You" by the band known to most of the world as Yazoo but in the North America they released music under the band name of Yaz. The band was only together from 1981 - 1983 and they released two albums "Upstairs at Eric's" and "You and Me Both". There were two members of Yazoo. On vocals it was Alison Moyet who went on to have a pretty successful solo career, and on synths it was Vince Clarke who at the time had just quit the band Depeche Mode after their big hit "Just Can't Get Enough." Clarke went on to form the band Erasure with Andy Bell. The song "Only You" was released as a single in the UK on March 15, 1982, and then later in November of 1982 in the U.S.

- [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Yazoo_\(band\)](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Yazoo_(band))
- [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Only_You_\(Yazoo_song\)](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Only_You_(Yazoo_song))

As we close, I'd like to thank you all for sharing your passion for CHVRCHES with me. I continue to say this community is awesome, because it really is.

This has been Steve Holden for CHVRCHES Fan Podcast. Have a great day!

SONG - Yazoo - "Only You"

MP3 Description

CHVRCHES Fan Podcast #32 has coverage of a CHVRCHES focused article from 2013. Song samples shared include Chvrches playing on BBC Radio 1 Live Lounge of with there own song "Get Out" & the cover of "Somebody Else." Plus we end the show with Yazoo/Yaz's "Only You." This podcast was recorded on 2018-03-30, & published on 2018-04-01.

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The song you are currently listening to is called "Arama" by David Simpson. This song is based on the score David did for Raisah Ahmed's 2016 short film called 'Meet Me By The Water'. You can learn more about David's work at: <http://filmcomposer.scot>.

- <http://www.scottishfilmtalent.com/scottish-shorts-2015-spotlight-meet-water-no-place-like-home/>
- <https://soundcloud.com/davidsimpsoncomposer/amara>

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The song you are currently listening to is called "The Enemy Is Him (The Dream Child Mix)" from the movie "The House Of Him." You can get more information about the movie at: vimeo.com/ondemand/thehouseofhim. The song was scored for the film by Iain Cook and David Robert Simpson, and you can learn more about David's work at: filmcomposer.scot.

- <https://soundcloud.com/david-robert-simpson/the-enemy-is-him-dream-95-mix>

Other Links - Miscellaneous Notes - Possible Future Content

1. Regular contributors:

- <https://twitter.com/davidjames06> [@davidjames06]
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 - Jeff (@JeffMcCallMusic)
 - Mike (@chitownmikec)

2. Disclaimer Background Song (played with permission):

- 2016: <http://www.freesound.org/people/keinzweiter/sounds/266178/>

- 2017: <https://soundcloud.com/david-robert-simpson/the-enemy-is-him-dream-95-mix>
- 2018: <https://soundcloud.com/davidsimpsoncomposer/amara>

3. Covers:

- <https://www.thefourohfive.com/music/article/listen-to-chvrches-cover-it-s-not-right-but-it-s-okay>

4. Remixes:

- <https://soundcloud.com/moonbootsmusic/the-mother-we-share-moon-boots>

5. Written articles to possibly record:

- <http://www.thestranger.com/music/feature/2015/10/07/22981584/talking-pop-with-chvrches-lauren-mayberry>
- <http://pitchfork.com/features/interview/9670-keeping-it-unreal-in-the-studio-with-chvrches/>
- <http://www.hmv.com/music/-we-re-not-a-band-who-will-put-out-one-off-things-we-want-to-make-statements-hmv-com-talks-to-chvrches>
- http://www.undertheradarmag.com/interviews/chvrches_-the-under-the-radar-cover-story/
- https://www.buzzfeed.com/perpetua/chvrches?utm_term=.phD1oXoPw#.by3bPGP8K
- <https://www.pastemagazine.com/articles/2015/10/chvrches-lauren-mayberry-on-feminism-journalism-an-1.html>
- <http://www.columbusalive.com/content/stories/2015/10/01/scottish-electro-pop-trio-chvrches-more-assertive-surer-on-every-open-eye.html>
- <http://uproxx.com/music/chvrches-every-open-eye-feature/4/>
- <http://flavorwire.com/538856/chvrches-second-album-is-more-of-the-same-in-the-best-way-possible>
- <http://www.interviewmagazine.com/music/chvrches-every-eye-open/#>
- <https://bitchmedia.org/article/chvrches-lauren-mayberry-talks-self-care-emo-music-and-dealing-douchebags>
- <http://insp.ngo/interview-chvrches-lauren-mayberry-superhero-in-the-making/>
- <http://www.stereogum.com/featured/the-unflinching-gaze-of-chvrches/>
- <http://www.popmatters.com/feature/no-more-bones-an-interview-with-chvrches/>
- <http://www.lennyletter.com/relationships/a135/my-life-my-voice-my-body-my-rules/>
- <http://www.laurenmayberryfans.com/blog/lauren-mayberry-reflects-on-chvrches-past-and-whats-coming-next>
- <http://www.smh.com.au/entertainment/music/chvrches-lauren-mayberry-on-why-success-is-a-beatup-car-20150924-gjtzco.html>
- <https://www.list.co.uk/article/51851-interview-lauren-mayberry-of-chvrches-gives-an-interview-to-her-former-place-of-work/>
- http://www.undertheradarmag.com/interviews/2015_artist_survey_chvrches/

- <http://interviewly.com/i/chvrches-apr-2014-reddit> (AMA)
- <http://amusicblogyea.com/2015/08/24/gimme-your-answers-2-an-interview-w-chvrches/>
- <http://www.theverge.com/2015/9/23/9384975/chvrches-every-open-eye-review>
- <https://itsalldead.com/2015/09/29/review-chvrches-every-open-eye/>
- <http://www.undertheradarmag.com/interviews/chvrches - the under the radar cover story bonus qa/>
- <http://beardedgentlemenmusic.com/2015/10/07/review-chvrches-every-open-eye/>

6. Possible future interviews to include:

- Tour Tips -- <https://vimeo.com/252536321>
- CHVRCHES - Interview with 101WKQX - Lollapalooza 2014
https://www.youtube.com/watch?time_continue=15&v=oeN_MgULlBc
- Chvrches are featured on the latest episode of Song Exploder breaking down "Clearest Blue." <https://chorus.fm/news/chvrches-featured-on-song-exploder/>
- Lauren interviewing HAIM
<http://www.spin.com/2015/07/chvrches-lauren-mayberry-haim-interview-pitchfork-festival-talkhouse-podcast/>
- WXPX 88.5 FM has a very long interview with Lauren Mayberry
<http://thekey.xpn.org/2016/06/23/listen-lauren-mayberry-chvrches-shoutout-hop-along-amazing-podcast/>
- STAR WARS SHOW: <http://video.metrovideos.net/watch.php?vid=0847dae6a>
- Pre-Laneway Festival (2014)
<http://musicfeeds.com.au/features/music-feeds-podcast-episode-62-chvrches/>
- Pre Bonnaroo's Interview (2016)
<http://97x.blog.97xonline.com/2016/06/11/interview-lauren-mayberry-of-chvrches/>
- CBC Radio
<https://audioboom.com/posts/3659549-canadian-opera-singer-barbara-hannigan-chvrches-performs-will-ferguson-10-06-2015>
- OpenAir St.Gallen June 2014 <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=d-QaEH5r8xI>
- <http://copabrazil.info/mp3/funny-chvrches-interview-moments.html>
- Chvrches and the really great pop music; Craig compares Chvrches to Roxette and not in a bad way; Martin discusses his process of interviewing the band
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=sbKq60PkSac>
 - <http://uproxx.com/music/chvrches-every-open-eye-feature/>
- NERDIST:
 - <http://nerdist.com/nerdist-podcast-chvrches/>
 - <http://nerdist.com/?s=chvrches>

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- CHVRCHES - Warning Call (Theme from Mirror's Edge Catalyst) [Podcast#001]
- **Depeche Mode - Dreaming Of Me [Podcast#001]**
- CHVRCHES - The Mother We Share [Podcast#002]
- CHVRCHES - Up In Arms [Podcast#002]

- **New Order - Temptation [Podcast#002]**
- CHVRCHES - Clearest Blue [Podcast#003]
- CHVRCHES - Make Them Gold [Podcast#003]
- **Orchestral Manoeuvres In The Dark (OMD) - Enola Gay [Podcast#003]**
- CHVRCHES - Bury It (Glastonbury Live) [Podcast#004]
- CHVRCHES - Science/Visions [Podcast#004]
- **Depeche Mode - Stripped [Podcast#004]**
- CHVRCHES - Never Ending Circles [Podcast#005]
- **Blondie - Heart Of Glass [Podcast#005]**
- CHVRCHES - We Sink [Podcast#006]
- CHVRCHES+ROZELLA - Home To You [Podcast#006]
- **Thompson Twins - Hold Me Now [Podcast#006]**
- CHVRCHES - Leave A Trace [Podcast#007]
- CHVRCHES - Gun [Podcast#007]
- **Human League - Don't You Want Me [Podcast#007]**
- CHVRCHES - Keep You on My Side [Podcast#008]
- CHVRCHES - Tether [Podcast#008]
- **Eurythmics - Sweet Dreams [Podcast#008]**
- CHVRCHES - High Enough to Carry You Over [Podcast#009]
- CHVRCHES - Under The Tide [Podcast#009]
- **David Bowie - Let's Dance [Podcast#009]**
- CHVRCHES - Empty Threat [Podcast#010]
- CHVRCHES - Recover [Podcast#010]
- **Orchestral Manoeuvres In The Dark (OMD) - History of Modern (Part I) [Podcast#010]**
- CHVRCHES - Down Side Of Me [Podcast#011]
- CHVRCHES - Night Sky [Podcast#011]
- **Underworld - Underneath The Radar [Podcast#011]**
- CHVRCHES - Playing Dead [Podcast#012]
- CHVRCHES - Science/Visions [Podcast#012]
- **Duran Duran - Save A Prayer [Podcast#012]**
- CHVRCHES - Afterglow [Podcast#013]
- CHVRCHES - Lungs [Podcast#013]
- **Aretha Franklin & George Michael - I Knew You Were Waiting (For Me) [Podcast#013]**
- CHVRCHES - Get Away [Podcast#014]
- CHVRCHES - By The Throat [Podcast#014]
- **Ultravox - Sleepwalk [Podcast#014]**
- CHVRCHES - Follow You [Podcast#015]
- CHVRCHES - You Caught The Light [Podcast#015]

- **Visage - Fade To Grey [Podcast#015]**
- CHVRCHES - Bow Down [Podcast#016]
- CHVRCHES - Strong Hand [Podcast#016]
- **The Cure - Just Like Heaven [Podcast#016]**
- CHVRCHES - Leave A Trace (LIVE)" [Podcast#017]
- CHVRCHES - Broken Bones [Podcast#017]
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- CHVRCHES - Zwl [Podcast#018]
- CHVRCHES - Now Is Not the Time [Podcast#018]
- **Alphaville - Forever Young [Podcast#018]**
- CHVRCHES - Bela Lugosi's Dead [Podcast#019]
- CHVRCHES - Dead Air [Podcast#019]
- **Soft Cell - Tainted Love [Podcast#019]**
- CHVRCHES - Recover (Alucard Session) [Podcast#020]
- CHVRCHES - Mother We Share (Alucard Session) [Podcast#020]
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- CHVRCHES - The Mother We Share [Podcast#022]
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- CHVRCHES - Never Ending Circles [Podcast#023]
- **A-ha - Take On Me [Podcast#023]**
- CHVRCHES - Leave A Trace [Podcast#024]
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- **Kraftwerk - The Robots [Podcast#024]**
- CHVRCHES - Call It Off [Podcast#025]
- **Walk The Moon - Portugal [Podcast#025]**
- CHVRCHES - Do I Wanna Know [Podcast#026]
- **Tears For Fears - Everybody Wants To Rule The World [Podcast#026]**
- CHVRCHES - Keep Me On Your Side [Podcast#027]
- *Joy - Smoke Too Much [Podcast#027]*
- *BLEACHERS - Don't Take The Money (Unplugged) [Podcast#027]*
- **The Midnight - We Move Forward [Podcast#027]**
- CHVRCHES - Make Them Gold [Podcast#028]
- CHVRCHES - Tether [Podcast#028]

- CHVRCHES - Clearest Blue [Podcast#029]
- CHVRCHES - Tether [Podcast#029]
- **TALK TALK - Talk Talk [Podcast#029]**
- CHVRCHES - Get Out [Podcast#030]
- CHVRCHES - My Enemy [Podcast#031]
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- CHVRCHES - Get Out (BBC Live) [Podcast#32]
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