

Delirium on Helium
Questionnaire for Nicky Wire

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- Is the new studio in use yet? Do you think a more rural setting will affect the music you are making as opposed to being in Cardiff city centre?

its still A Building site / money pit
AT THE MOMENT. I JUST HOPE
WE ACTUALLY MAKE SOME MUSIC
THAT WOULD BE A START.

- Can you recommend any albums I should buy this year or should I still be buying crisps?

CRISPS ARE MUCH BETTER THAN MUSIC -
I've GIVEN UP LISTENING TO MUSIC
AT THE MOMENT.

- What was the best thing you saw on TV over Christmas?

THE DARTS / DR WHO XMAS SPECIAL.
JEREMY IRONS READING T.S. ELIOT
ON RADIO 4.

Eliot famously wrote that 'the more perfect the artist, the more completely separate in him will be the man who suffers and the mind which creates',

- What was your favourite Christmas Present?

BEING AT HOME.

- What's your take on Trump being in charge of America?

IT WILL ALL BE IN A SONG ONE DAY !!!!

- Following the success of your song for Wales this summer, is this something you would consider doing again for another tournament in the future?

I think we HAD our moment OF A LIFETIME - A GREAT HONOUR AND SO MUCH FUN.

- Can you tell us anything about the new album, themes, lyrics etc?

THERE ARE NO THEMES - HARDLY ANY SONGS AT THE MOMENT.

- What is the best Manics video in your back catalogue, on your opinion?

TOLERATE // SHOW ME THE WONDER //
YOU LOVE US (2) // YOUR LOVE ALONE.

- Do you ever buy any of your own make-up or is it all provided by fans?

I Buy lots But Im Always
GRATEFUL for GIFTS/suggestions

- Please tell us about your top three films of all time?

- ① BARNES VERSION
- ② A HISTORY OF VIOLENCE
- ③ NIXON
- ④ THE MEDUSA TOUCH

IMPOSSIBLE TO DO

- ⑤ SEX BEAST
- ⑥ SONATINE
- ⑦ CARLOS WAY

- What was better for you as a personal experience, Swansea Liberty Stadium 2016 or the Millennium Gig?

Very Tough Call - THE LIBERTY was
 very special in the TOP 5 ever But
 Millennium is such a moment in time.

- What one Manics song would you erase from your back catalogue and why?

UNDERDOGS - NOSTALGIC PUSHHEAD -
 SHE IS SUFFERING - I could go on!!
 All Awful

Amphibian



Many thanks for your time Nicky please sign here

lots of love Lindz, Kev & Jude at www.delirium-on-helium.co.uk

Happiness is a byproduct of
 function, purpose, and conflict;
 those who seek happiness for
 itself seek victory without war.
 William S. Burroughs