

# *TRIBUTE THIS!*

A tribute album to an unknown songwriter? Sounds crazy, but who says it can't be done?

This unknown songwriter, Billy Franks, has been honing his craft for thirty years. You may be able to fit all of his fans in the world on a subway train. Fellow travelers might include three best-selling novelists, a member of the British Royal Family and the singer with the world's biggest rock outfit, but, even so, everyone would get a seat.

He has devoted his life to music, and has never been given the break that many know he deserves. Although this songwriter is content to simply produce the music he loves, regardless of record sales, his three closest friends feel otherwise.

For one unforgettable summer, these friends hijacked their beloved songwriter and set out on a seemingly outrageous quest hoping to set right what they always saw as an extreme case of "unjustifiable anonymity" by asking 10 of the biggest names in music to make a tribute album to this unknown.

Were some of the music world's great songwriters willing to recognize a fellow traveler?

Were members of rock royalty ready to embrace a disinherited brother?

Or did an entourage of managers, publicists and security guards foil any attempt to even pose the question?

Tribute This! takes you along for the ride as these four big-hearted (and at times, slow-witted) friends span the globe covering five countries and countless cities all in the name of a friends dream.