

# ★ NAPALM STARS ★



"The modern world is gripped in death culture. Napalm Stars are a 400-watt 'NO!' to all that. In capital letters. With an exclamation point."

--Tim Napalm



**Napalm Stars are a rock n' roll band for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century.**

They are the explosive sound of four young men converging in New York City to create exciting, colorful, energetic rock n' roll. They're about passion, not destruction, playing loud guitars that are sexy, not stupid. They want art, sex, truth, beauty. They want a life that *burns*. They are here and now, and *they are the future*.

The band began when former rock journalist Tim Stegall came to NYC to build the band that would Americanize the Richey-era Manic Street Preachers' take on politicized glam-punk ala the Sex Pistols/Clash/Gen X/Who/Stones—throwing in large doses of Iggy, Johnny Thunders, and Hanoi Rocks; then filtering it through the attack of Scandinavian power-rock bands like Turbonegro and Backyard Babies. Napalm Stars is the band.



Photos by Tim Carpenter.

Napalm Stars' all-action stage show—a tight, crashing snarlpop of loud guitars and big choruses combined with a sexy, tight-pants-and-eyeliner image—has gained the band an audience of punks, metalheads, rockers, strippers, and heartbroken co-eds all over NYC. With their first road dates, they've already begun spreading the disease beyond Manhattan's city limits. Now comes *Misery*, their debut EP release, centered around a trio of studio tracks produced by Buzzcocks bassist Tony Barber.

## Napalm Stars are:

- Tim Napalm**, lead vocals/guitar
- Tommy Napalm**, bass/vocals
- Scotty Napalm**, guitar/vocals
- Jonny Napalm**, drums/vocals



"We make music for people like us..." says Tim Napalm, "...people who like it loud, hard, and flashy, but not dumb, and filled with the rage and frustration we feel at not having a voice in culture or society. I think there's a lot of us out there. And I figure there's enough people starving for the real thing, which they know when they see or hear it. And sometimes, they don't even *know* they're starving for it until they hear it!"