

# DeStijl EPK



**DeStijl** are :

**Jason « nut » Coverdale** : Drums  
**Scott Jeffreys** : Vocals  
**P. DeStijl** : Machines & Vocals  
**Pat Robert** : Guitars

Created in Montpellier (FR), the electronic-rock band who worked with Peter Hook, Danny Saber, Jim Spencer & Howie B and is now half-based in Manchester where most of their 7 albums were recorded.

Formed in 1995 by Mancunian **John Cleary** and frenchman **Pascal DeStijl** in Montpellier (France), **DeStijl** released an acclaimed first album in 1997, followed by another one in 1999, when **Patrice Robert** replaced John as guitarist with norwegian **Agnete Thuland** on lead vocals.

Then the band took a break for 10 years and returned with a new line-up in 2011 releasing the concept album « The White Stripes », available in three different versions, including acoustic reinterpretations of the 11 songs and 12 dancefloor-calibrated remixes.

In late 2012, the band went to Manchester to record their follow-up album with guitarist **Yves Altana** as producer. DeStijl invited Joy Division and New Order former bass player **Peter Hook** to play the bass and former Happy Mondays singer **Julie Gordon** to perform backing vocals. With this new album titled « Something Wicked this Way Comes » DeStijl moved to climb a new step in their carrer.

They returned in Manchester during winter 2015-16 to record their new album, titled + debut+. This new album includes 10 songs, more dance beats, but is in fact in a more rock mood. Again, they invited very talented people from manchester for backing vocals (**Monica Ward**, **Julie Gordon** and **Louise Turner**) This album was mixed in LA by former Black Grape member **Danny Saber** who also produced or mixed tracks/albums for the Rolling Stones, David Bowie, Michael Hutchence or Pubic enemy.

The band came back in 2019 to record at Eve studio in Stockport and hired **Jim Spencer** (New Order, Electronic, Charlatans...) to mix-down the 10 brand new tracks. This time, they invited **Kermit** (Black Grape), **Liam Croker** (Winachi tribe), **Rikki Turner** (San Pedro Collective) and **Scott Jeffreys** as lead vocalists. The album was released in 2021 during the pandemic and is titled « Greatest Hits vol.2 » thought it's not a compilation, and there ain't any hit on it. Yet.

Following this collaboration, Scott becomes the new lead vocalist of the band and to complete the new line-up, **Jason « Nut » Coverdale** join the band as the new drummer. DeStijl is now half-based in Manchester, just like when it started.

**A Lot of Good Things Will Come to You** is the title of their last album, with special guest **Andy Diagram** from **James** on trumpet, **Little Sparrow** on backing vocals and a special cameo from **Kermit**. This album is also going with an extra EP including 4 tracks mixed by **Howie B**.

**Electronic Press Kit** : <http://www.destijl.info/wp/epk/>

**Live video** : <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=S02inOtRYbl>

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