

# PMD



Jörg Reuter:	vocals, guitars, harp
Detlef Poschmann:	guitars, vocals
Hans Heringer:	drums
Jürgen 'Fred' Becker:	guitars, piano
Kalle Tillmann:	bass

The Desert Rosies: Katja Liedtke, Renate Barthel - backing vocals

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It was one of those rare warm German summer nights, sometime in 2004, when Detlef „Poschi“ Poschmann and Jörg Reuter were sitting on the porch, talking about the good old days. Of course, those days were more successful in their talk than in reality.

Midnight Darkness was the band they were playing in, back in 1984. Though there was a lack of fans, they at least were in the lucky situation of having plenty of roadies. Not that those guys were necessary, but even for that one single gig a year, it wasn't fun to haul the 12 Marshall cabinets from the 4th floor of an old bunker in Oberhausen, Germany to the truck and back.

However, one record company was willing to waste their money and released an album called "Holding the night" (whatever the f...k that should mean) in 1985. The future looked bright for Midnight Darkness. But the thought of shoveling the huge amount of equipment around every month, without even getting paid, wasn't part of the roadies' plan. One after another quit. Being too weak to lift the weight on their own, Midnight Darkness broke up, shortly after the release of the album.

Back in 2004: Overwhelmed by Poschi's sparkling memories, both decided that it's time to leave the couch and find their way back into the starlight. Within 3 years they wrote the material for 2 albums. Since no record company was willing to invest their money into 2 old farts, Poschi and Jörg decided to release the songs on their own. The good (and bad) side of those modern days is, that even the lousiest amateur can do that nowadays.

As a hint to the glory Midnight Darkness days, they named their project "Past M.D." and released their first album "Part Time Rebellion" in 2008.

The concept album "Circles" followed in 2010. The legendary german label "Bellaphon records" took over the distribution for both albums.

Meanwhile Past M.D. toured through Europe. With 4 times, England was on top of the list of those countries, which had to endure their music. After 6 years of ... more ... or less ... hard work, the 2 wannabees thought it's time to return to the couch.

It was one of those rare warm german summer days, sometime in 2020, when Detlef Poschmann and Jörg Reuter were sitting on the porch, talking about the good ol' days. It resulted in the release of "Desert Moon Hotel" on October 1st 2022.

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