# Warm up the vocal chords, perfect your stomp stomp clap, and get ready for an unforgettable night...



### FLASH: A TRIBUTE TO QUEEN PRESS KIT



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## "Their mix of **Charisma**, boundless energy, and **musical talent** is a formidable combination" – The Overtake

5 skilled musicians and singers, and one big back catalogue of hits! This is Flash: A Tribute To Queen, and they are ready to rock you!

From an idea born in 2002 to the impressive 5 piece tribute you see today – Flash have at their core a passion and drive to deliver a great night out, and it shows! From the moment Italian born front-man Claudio dons Freddie's famous yellow jacket, and Nathan plays the first notes on a replica Red Special guitar, a high energy, charismatic performance is guaranteed.

Set lists change, but never lose the 'hit after hit' formula as the band seamlessly adapt their show to clubs, music venues, theatres, and corporate gigs. A firm favourite on the summer festival circuit they regularly ramp up the volume on the Fake Festivals Tour, have played to 6000 people at GlastonBARRY Festival in South Wales, and in 2019 were booked for the Official Queen Fan Club convention for the first time.

Flash delight generations of Queen Fans in the UK and beyond, whether they are playing Trafalgar Square in London, or a Rugby Tournament in Dubai. It could be a set list of the hits in a full scale theatre, or the deep cuts like 'Let Me Live' in a more intimate setting. There is something for everyone to enjoy, discover, and celebrate.

So why not take a trip beyond the nostalgia to see a band that have built a reputation on raw energy, crowd participation, and a connection with each other and the hits they perform. Claudio, John, Daniel, Nathan, and Tom will take you on a musical celebration of one of the icons of British Rock, as you sing your way through the hits, and a whole lot more!

For media and booking enquiries please use the details enclosed.



#### **Additional** Notes:



Flash are: Claudio Desideri (vocals), Nathan Mathers (guitar/vocals), John Holden (drums/vocals), Daniel Wilkes (bass/vocals) and Tom Bissell (keys/vocals).



Flash are available for bookings at music venues, clubs, festivals, and private/corporate events. Please get in touch for details.



For theatre bookings please contact Openwide Management: Entertainment By Design on 01263 280014 or e-mail: enquiries@openwidemanagement.co.uk



Each member of Flash brings with them many years of experience performing the hits of Queen, including an appearance on the BBC, and performing in other UK and Italian Queen tribute acts. In demand, on the road, and with a growing legion of supporters, they have come together as a tour de force on the tribute circuit.



In 2019 Flash booked in over 130 appearances, including dates at one of the UK's biggest food festivals, the O2 Academy Newcastle, Cromer Pier Theatre, and The Roundhouse in Dagenham, where Queen themselves played on March 12<sup>th</sup> 1974.

### **Media Links:**

These Are The Days Of Our Lives - Live In Norwich (Video)

Under Pressure – Live In Shrewsbury (Video)

<u>Faking IT – What It Takes To Make It As A Tribute Band</u> – The Overtake (National Independent Media)

Flash - The Express & Star Wolverhampton (Local Press)