

# POLTERGEIST

Founded in 1987 out of the ashes of swiss Speed-Metal pioneers **CARRION**, **POLTERGEIST** released two well acclaimed demo tapes and played quite a lot of shows in their home country Switzerland and in nearby Germany. After one of these shows where they played with **HADES** and **DESPAIR**, **Robert Kampf** (then Singer for **DESPAIR** and owner of the freshly started label **CENTURY MEDIA**) decided to offer **POLTERGEIST** a record contract. They convinced him with their powerful live appearance and their solid craftsmanship on their instruments.



From 1989 to 1993 they released 3 albums and played shows and tours with bands like **DESTRUCTION**, **KREATOR**, **SODOM**, **TANKARD**, **CORONER**, **WHIPLASH**, **HELLBASTARD**, **WATCHTOWER**, **VOI VOD**, **RUMBLE MILITIA** and many more.

After the last tour in 1993 with **CORONER** the band split up and partly transformed into **GURD**.

On New Years Eve 2012/2013, original members **Marek Felis**, **André Grieder** and **V.O.Pulver** met and discussed the old times. after listening to their old records and posting a picture on Facebook, lots of people demanded an immediate reunion..

Sparked by these reactions, **Sven Vormann** ( Ex-Destruction, Megora) decided to bring order to the chaos and organized some first rehearsals. Soon it was clear that the old magic was back. And to complete a 20 year old dream, they finally found in **Chasper Wanner** the right second guitarplayer to bring the haunting guitar mayhem from the records also to the stage! In early 2016 bassplayer **Ralf Winzer Garcia** (Requiem, Wolf Counsel) joined the pack due to Marek's decision to leave the band. Also Sven decided to focus more on his private business and was replaced by Drum-Maniac **Reto Crola** (Requiem, Wolf Counsel, Punish). The Comeback album **'Back To Haunt'** (unleashed in 2016) was well received from the fans and the press.

In 2020 **POLTERGEIST** released their 5th album called **'Feather Of Truth'** with their new partners in crime **MASSACRE RECORDS**. Now in 2022, **Sven** reclaimed his Drum-throne from **Reto** and **Pat Mueller** replaced **Ralf**, as he decided to move to Ireland and leave the Band. With this new Line-up, **POLTERGEIST** is ready to kick some ass and destroy stages all over the world. First show took place at the mighty **RUHRPOTT METAL MEETING** in Oberhausen/DE.

**POLTER 'TIL DEATH**

<http://www.poltergeistmetal.com>  
[www.facebook.com/poltergeist.official](http://www.facebook.com/poltergeist.official)



<http://www.poltergeistmetal.com>  
[www.facebook.com/poltergeist.official](http://www.facebook.com/poltergeist.official)