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## **Dal Hothi Returns With New Album**



Dal Hothi, who has shortened his moniker from Dal-Dil-Vog to simply Dil-Vog, meaning Garden Of Hearts, is back with a new album after a long hiatus. His new album is called Indian Groove and features the hit song Kabhi Kabhi. Dil-Vog is known for its fusion of Bhangra Rhythms and heavy rock. Through a fusion of modern western and Indian melodies and beats with lyrics in English, Punjabi and Hindi, the singer-producer hopes to have cross-over success.

Dil-Vog's music is a rhythmic assault blending current popular music with percussion (Bhangra Rythms) from India. Lyrically it is fun time party music sang mostly in English with some added Punjabi and Hindi.

Dilvog is joined by Mal Kalar on Guitar, Andy Baryer on Bass, Scottie McCarger on Drums, Preet Reyat on Dhol and John Dean on Keys.

Dil-Vog has performed for Prince Charles and Much Music, He has toured across Canada several times and has toured for six weeks in India. Dil-Vog has performed over 1000 shows, including Universities and Colleges in Canada and the United States, Grade Schools through out British Columbia and of course many clubs, pubs and theatres around the world.

Dil-Vog has played live on Much Music's Electric Circus, The Vicki Gabereu Show, DayTime, The Mike Bullard show, , U-T.V., C.B.C. (English & French) B.C.T.V News, Vancouver Television (V.T.V.). Breakfast Show and various other T.V. and Radio news and entertainment Programs through out Canada, England, and Asia. He has had four video's which have been played on Canada's music station "Much Music" and on BBC, MTV Asia and in heavy rotation in 38 countries throughout Asia and the Middle East on the Hong Kong based Star Satellite T. "Channel V". He has also appeared on many interview shows including Channel M and other mainstream TV, radio programs and news casts.

Dil-Vog has performed concerts and workshops at various festivals including, Main Stage Vancouver Canada Day Celebrations (main act). Heritage International Conference, Dragon Boat Festival, Victoria Folk Festival, Seattle Folk Festival Main Stage, Oregon Country Fair (presidents choice band), Vancouver Folk Fest, Whistler Roots Festival, Jasper Folk Festival, Whistler Children's Festival, Calgary Folk Festival, Vancouver Children's Festival, Harrison Festival of the Arts, Ottawa's Cultures Canada (main act) and the Mission Folk Music Festival just to name a few.

Dil-Vog has been selected by Musician Magazine U.S.A., as one of North America's top 10 unsigned artists. His current release "Indian Groove" will hit the stores next week.