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**Cadonica**  
Post Czar

Posts: 35660  
Founded: Jul 19, 2010  
Civil Rights Lovefest

☐ by **Cadonica** » Wed Jan 15, 2014 12:04 pm

[The Obsessed - Field of Hours](#)

Every now and then I think about changing my ringtone since I've had that Nuclear Assault track as my ringtone for... 3-4 years now. But I'm way too lazy to do it ☐



**Corrian**  
Post Kaiser

Posts: 75512  
Founded: Mar 19, 2011  
New York Times  
Democracy

☐ by **Corrian** » Wed Jan 15, 2014 12:04 pm

Boards of Canada-Satellite Anthem Icarus

Definitely listened to at least some of this album before.

**My [Last.FM](#) and [RYM](#)**

Look on the bright side, one day you'll be dead~Street Sects



**Luveria**  
Post Czar

Posts: 31339  
Founded: Feb 22, 2013  
Ex-Nation

☐ by **Luveria** » Wed Jan 15, 2014 12:08 pm

[Disturbed - Criminal](#)



**Cadonica**  
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☐ by **Cadonica** » Wed Jan 15, 2014 12:10 pm

[The Obsessed - Streamlined](#)

Not all that doomy, pretty fast and short.



**Mayane**

☐ by **Mayane** » Wed Jan 15, 2014 12:11 pm

“ **Corrian wrote:**

“ **Mayane wrote:**

Minister

Posts: 2181

Founded: Aug 10, 2012  
Ex-Nation

Ye, so I could rate it on RYM, using it as a quick catalog. I gave it 3.5/5 stars.  
TKOL is great, but I haven't listened to it that often.

*The Velvet Underground - After Hours*

I don't like 5-star rating systems.

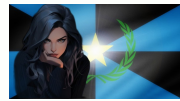
Clark-Mercy Sines

Edit: Wait, you gave it 3.5 stars? At least it has that option...

It's okay, I don't think any rating system is perfect. But it's just checking if I heard something and if I liked it or not.

*Kanye West - Black Skinhead*

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**Xoriet**  
Minister

Posts: 2132

Founded: Jun 08, 2012  
Corrupt Dictatorship

by **Xoriet** » Wed Jan 15, 2014 12:12 pm

Conjure One - Center of the Sun

**Empress of the New Pacific Order**

And I don't know what we might face  
But I know I can't replace you so  
I'll do anything to save you  
And I will try to make your dreams come true



**Corrian**  
Post Kaiser

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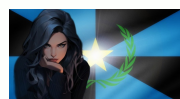
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Boards of Canada-Peacock Tail

**My Last.FM and RYM**

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by **Xoriet** » Wed Jan 15, 2014 12:15 pm

Avenged Sevenfold - Requiem

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Post Czar

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by **Luveria** » Wed Jan 15, 2014 12:18 pm

[Disturbed - Ten Thousand Fists](#)



**Cadonica**  
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by **Cadonica** » Wed Jan 15, 2014 12:19 pm

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"Hmm this song is better than 4 but not good enough for 5, WHAT DO I DO >.<" Then I have to force myself to choose either one. Usually I end up giving 4 for those. Just so I'm not -too- generous. I'm too generous anyways ☐

The Obsessed - Neatz Brigade

Their first album was better than this one.



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[Disturbed - Stricken](#)

by **Corrian** » Wed Jan 15, 2014 12:22 pm



**Corrian**  
Post Kaiser

Posts: 75512  
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of course, with some, then you could just use the 10 star rating and be like "This album is an 7.5" to be even MORE specific.

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Any time I put a CD in my computer, music CD that is, it takes me to Windows Media Player. Though then I just rip it off the CD and use it on Spotify.

Winamp shut down so I can't use that anymore anyway

I miss the Winamp llama

Edit: Boards of Canada-Dayvan Cowboy.

Still one of their best songs.

Last edited by Corrian on Wed Jan 15, 2014 12:23 pm, edited 1 time in total.

My [Last.FM](#) and [RYM](#)

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**Cadonica**  
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by Cadonica » Wed Jan 15, 2014 12:23 pm

[The Obsessed - A World Apart](#)

One of the shortest doom metal songs. Pretty much doom metal just because band is generally doom metal



**Luveria**  
Post Czar

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by Luveria » Wed Jan 15, 2014 12:26 pm

[Disturbed - Sacred Lie](#)



**Cadonica**  
Post Czar

Posts: 35660  
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by Cadonica » Wed Jan 15, 2014 12:27 pm

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[The Obsessed - Skybone](#)



**Luveria**  
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by **Luveria** » Wed Jan 15, 2014 12:30 pm

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[Disturbed - Stricken](#)

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[Disturbed - Sons of Plunder](#)



**Cadonica**  
Post Czar

Posts: 35660  
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by **Cadonica** » Wed Jan 15, 2014 12:32 pm

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[The Obsessed - Climate of Despair](#)



**Luveria**  
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by **Luveria** » Wed Jan 15, 2014 12:34 pm

“ **Cadonica wrote:**

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## [Disturbed - Pain Redefined](#)



**Corrian**  
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New York Times  
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by **Corrian** » Wed Jan 15, 2014 12:36 pm

Boards of Canada-A Moment of Clarity

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**Luveria**  
Post Czar

Posts: 31339  
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by **Luveria** » Wed Jan 15, 2014 12:37 pm

[Disturbed - Land of Confusion](#)



**Corrian**  
Post Kaiser

Posts: 75512  
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New York Times  
Democracy

by **Corrian** » Wed Jan 15, 2014 12:37 pm

I'm not very generous so I rarely ever give anything a 5 or a 10. I'm like Anthony Fantano in that regard.

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Boards of Canada-84 Pontiac Dream

My [Last.FM](#) and [RYM](#)

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**Mayane**  
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by **Mayane** » Wed Jan 15, 2014 12:39 pm

*Kanye West - Blood on the Leaves*

Rating Yeezus 4 stars, I'm hoping the Yeezus tour comes to Europe, I want to go.

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Boards of Canada-84 Pontiac Dream

Sure I've rated a few albums a 10, but that's a personal 10 though, when I can't find any flaws personally, I give it a 10.

Last edited by **Mayane** on Wed Jan 15, 2014 12:40 pm, edited 1 time in total.

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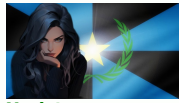
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Boards of Canada-Sherbet Head

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### Seether - Remedy

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by [Cadonica](#) » Wed Jan 15, 2014 12:41 pm

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[The Obsessed - Climate of Despair](#)

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For me it goes like that 95% of the time. Sometimes when I'd give something 4.5 I might turn it to 5 if rest of the album has been truly amazing and I don't want to ruin the score

[The Obsessed - Touch of Everything](#)

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