

Simon 1: Hello, you recently said you gave Vitalogy by Pearl Jam a 9.25/10 even though you weren't listening to it properly, have you listened to it properly, now?

Simon 2: Some of it.

Simon 1: Are you going to rank it higher, now?

Simon 2: Sure. Let's give it 9.5/10.

Simon 1: Wow, what would you rank it if you listened to all of it properly?

Simon 2: The sky's the limit.

Simon 1: Have you learnt anything these last few days?

Simon 2: Yes, listen to albums before reviewing them!

Simon 1: From anyone else in the world, that would be an odd thing to say. I believe it coming from you, though, Simon 2.

Simon 2: My site, my rules. If I choose not to listen to albums whilst reviewing them, that should be my decision. Well that's what I used to think, anyway, now I've grown slightly.

Simon 1: What do you think will happen if your Metal Rules boss reads this interview?

Simon 2: Oh dear God, no...

Simon 1: You're not the reviewer he thought you were... Can you make things even worse?

Simon 2: Sure. When reviewing the Vitalogy album, I couldn't hear the bass properly, as it wasn't turned up enough.

Simon 1: Does the album have good bass lines?

Simon 2: It does actually, that alone raised the score. Also, it took me a while to realise the first song was in 5/4. The thing is, the drummer plays a snare drum on every beat of the bar which tricked me. If the bars were split into groups of 3 and 2, I probably would have noticed.

Simon 1: A simple case of overlooking something. Nothing weird about that...

Simon 2: Yes, I'll tell you something REALLY creepy, though...

Simon 1: Go on...

Simon 2: At first I didn't have a name for this interview, so you can imagine my horror when I read the title was apparently called 'Vitalogy Review Discussion'. I was like 'I

don't remember typing that!!' Then I realised I updated my computer the day before, and one of the new features of the update is giving you good ideas for article names!

Simon 1: I think you should call this interview 'Vitalogy Review Discussion'...

Simon 2: Agreed. However, the grammar checker has also been improved which annoyed me as I like to write things for myself. I kept the grammar correction of my last paragraph anyway, though.

Simon 1: And you won't use it again?

Simon 2: Right. Stop writing things for me, it's annoying! Oh yes, I just remembered!

Simon 1: What?

Simon 2: Speaking of not having the bass turned up loud enough, sometimes that can be a good thing!

Simon 1: And why is that?

Simon 2: I've been listening to an instrumental guitar album by Gus G called 'Quantum Leap' and the double bass blast beats can get quite annoying if the bass is turned up too loud. However, whilst listening to them loud, I imagined rocks falling from the sky (how the drumming sounds) and from then on, I thought the drumming was cool!

Simon 1: Are you going to review that album, too?

Simon 2: Yes, because it begins with a 'Q'! I've never reviewed such an album before in this site. I've never done an album beginning with 'X' either but I don't think I have any such albums! :(

Simon 1: Ok. You recently said you thought the Summer solstice was in Spring. That was a weird thing to think, no?

Simon 2: I'm glad you mentioned that, actually. The other day I Googled when Autumn starts, and I was told either the 1st of September or 'AROUND' the 22nd or 23rd of September! Of course I was confused if even the internet doesn't know when the Seasons start!

Simon 1: I heard Autumn started on the 4th of October...

Simon 2: Well, there you go then.

Simon 1: No, only joking.

Simon 2: Oh. Still though, very believable.

Simon 1: Any updates on the person in the chicken shop who complained about his wife kicking him in the balls?

Simon 2: I do actually.

Simon 1: :O

Simon 2: I saw him again in the same shop (he's clearly a fan) and whilst he didn't mention any similar incidents again, he was still acting aggressively. When I got home, I finally realised who he was!

Simon 1: Who was he?

Simon 2: You know the person in my school who stole a teacher's car and drove it into a river?

Simon 1: Yes?

Simon 2: The guy in the chicken shop was his dad!

Simon 1: No way...

Simon 2: It's a funny world, isn't it??

Simon 1: How did the guy in the shop come across when you first knew him?

Simon 2: I thought he was normal! Then again, I thought the person who stole the car was normal...

Simon 1: You're not a great judge of character?

Simon 2: Right.

Simon 1: Do you have any other stories about the shop?

Simon 2: Yes, at the very same time I saw a person with a tattoo on each leg. I recognised one tattoo as being that of a surfer, the other one was less clear. Either it was a bunch of grapes or a grenade, then I realised actually it was (supposed to be) a turtle.

Simon 1: An action packed day...

Simon 2: Yes, nice chicken too!

Simon 1: What's on your mind now?

Simon 2: Oh no.

Simon 1: What?

Simon 2: I've just checked and I haven't reviewed an album beginning with 'Z' either....

Simon 1: And do you own any such albums?

Simon 2: I'm not sure, I'll have to think...

Simon 1: ...

Simon 2: Nope, I have no idea. I've just checked and I've reviewed a band name starting with every letter of the alphabet for Metal Rules, apart from 'Z'. Hopefully I'll be given a ZZ Top album to review, but they're not metal...

Simon 1: Simon 2, there are some things in life that don't matter.

Simon 2: It matters to me.

Simon 1: Why?

Simon 2: It would just be nice, that's all.

Simon 1: So you're going to review the Quantum Leap album, then?

Simon 2: Oh definitely.

Simon 1: And have you listened to it?

Simon 2: Yip.

Simon 1: Oh good. And you're not going to change your mind as to what rating you'll give it?

Simon 2: Actually I have two scores in mind, either 9.25 or 9.5... Could go either way, much like Vitalogy...

Simon 1: I noticed you're posting this interview earlier than you usually would do, you must have got your MR reviews done quickly?

Simon 2: I just wrote this interview quickly, that's all. I'm not sure if I'll be posting anything tomorrow, especially as I'll be going to the vet's with my dad to check on my dog. I would usually blog about that, but it won't be funny. I think the dog is fine anyway.

Simon 1: Oh good. Good luck to your dog, then.

Simon 2: Yes, good luck Snow.

Simon 1: And bye?

Simon 2: Bye!