



# ICY DEMONS

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Icy Demons are an excellent new band led by bass player **Griffin Rodriguez**. They perform highly sophisticated pop songs with beautifully pure falsetto vocals and exquisite orchestrations featuring the rich warm tones of a bowed upright bass, along with chord organs and woodwinds, or rocking within the complex percussion patterns of **Chris Powell**.

Icy Demons started as a recording project based on the spirit of collaboration between creative individuals. It is now a live band comprised of members from three cities: Chicago, Philadelphia & Athens. The group stated three years ago after Griffin Rodriguez (bass, vocals) decided to record some songs with some of his favorite musicians. Griffin is currently the bass player in **HIM** and **Bablicon** and has been in Orso and many other Chicago groups. Griffin had wanted to record with Chris Powell (drums) for some time. Chris is currently in a Philadelphia band called **Need New Body**, whom Griffin has recorded two records for. After the first of these recording sessions it was decided that Chris would come out for a week to record with Griffin, and Icy Demons was what they called it when he left. Over subsequent one week sessions with Chris and his friend Dave Moyland (guitar), Griffin fleshed out songs along with his band mate from Bablicon, Dave McDonnell (keyboards, reed instruments) and Matt Schneider (guitar) who was playing with Griffin in HIM at the time. The recordings were augmented by many players from the local Chicago rock and jazz circles. The group is now working on a new record and has grown to include cellist Heather McIntosh, and percussionist / vibraphonist Dylan Ryan to fill out the Icy Demons live band.

## SELLING POINTS:

1. Icy Demons will be doing comprehensive touring in April
2. CLD005 will be serviced to over 300 radio stations
3. Extensive media coverage, with a feature already scheduled to appear on **Pitchforkmedia**.
4. Ads will run in many music magazines as well as online outlets

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