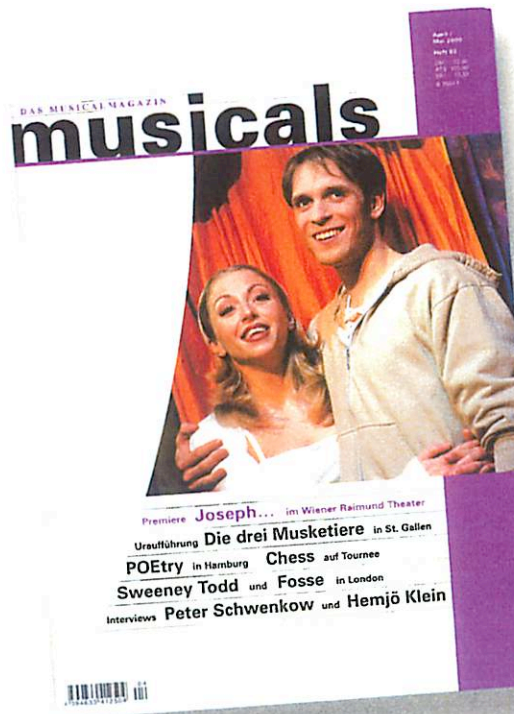




GRAIL - The Rock Musical of the Future  
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From the US comes "Grail - The Rock Musical of The Future", music by Bob Christianson and text/lyrics by Cappy Capossela. Fans of bombastic Pop and Rock Music will listen up as soon as they start hearing the first sounds on the 2 CD production. Spheric organ and huge synthesizer sounds paired with classical instruments tell the story of the myths of the legendary Grail. This science fiction story deals with the war between the people of Citiworld and Outerworld and the journey of the hero Lance in search of his past and his love to the enemy soldier Justine. Accompanying an interesting story, Grail presents an unbelievably engaging and idea-rich composition, which sometimes reminds us of productions like Starmania. In spite of 36 tracks and 150 minutes in length there are hardly "filler" pieces to be found. Therefore, Grail is wonderfully one of those musicals that one wants to listen to in its entirety. This is also supported by the excellent voices: among others Jason Paige (Lance), Sophia Ramos (Justine), Bill Nolte (Klingsor), Vanece Thomas (Kundree) and Florence Warner (Maya Castleman). Extraordinarily well produced and interspersed with small dialogues (very believably performed), one can follow the story easily (which is printed in the booklet). A promising new musical that already at first listening creates many visions that get stuck in your head!

Our choice for CD of the month.