Subject: The new Beatles song & video Posted by noodle on Fri, 10 Nov 2023 21:33:36 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Opxhh9Oh3rg

It's pleasant, but the song sounds unfinished, and I also don't know what to think of the AI in both music and video. One of the reasons I loved The Beatles: Get Back series is watching and hearing the group trying to shape bits of songs, on the spot, even when things got repetitive.

What do you think?

Subject: Re: The new Beatles song & video Posted by Rusty on Fri, 10 Nov 2023 22:36:22 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Not one of their hit singles. I think it's more a nostalgic sentiment to the way they were. Good for anyone who really is a big fan.

Subject: Re: The new Beatles song & video Posted by The Noise on Sat, 11 Nov 2023 21:01:48 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

I think it's great. I'm not a huge Beatles fan, but I do enjoy their music and play it from time to time. This one is going into my YouTube favorites.

Subject: Re: The new Beatles song & video Posted by Madison on Mon, 13 Nov 2023 03:15:47 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

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Subject: Re: The new Beatles song & video Posted by The Noise on Mon, 20 Nov 2023 18:08:00 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

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Ironic, isn't it? Because of touring being out of the question for them, they turned to studio electronics to experiment with different sounds and ways of producing music. One of the first bands to ever do that.

Now 60 years later, they're doing it again in the form of AI.

Now and Then, indeed.

Subject: Re: The new Beatles song & video Posted by Joyce on Wed, 07 Feb 2024 15:50:50 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Rusty wrote on Fri, 10 November 2023 16:36Not one of their hit singles. I think it's more a nostalgic sentiment to the way they were. Good for anyone who really is a big fan. It's far from their highest high. I can see why the song stayed hidden for such a long time.

As I grow older, though, the nostalgia hit harder as I listened a few more times. I also see a bunch of people just loving music even after all these years. At least the song brings a little smile and warmth with it.

Subject: Re: The new Beatles song & video Posted by gofar99 on Thu, 08 Feb 2024 02:06:54 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Hi, Not the best of their work. I actually think it detracts from their legacy. They were special...this work isn't. YMMV. I remember the early days. I saw the Ed S show (I was a senior in HS). My parents couldn't understand why Ed let them ruin a perfectly good program. So much for generational differences.

Subject: Re: The new Beatles song & video Posted by Rusty on Sat, 10 Feb 2024 17:53:11 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

I've long had a personal comical fantasy thought of the late great actor Gary Cooper singing the Beatles song, Love Me Do. Or Clark Gable doing Twist and Shout. I'd pay a dollar for that.

Subject: Re: The new Beatles song & video Posted by Mulcahy on Tue, 13 Feb 2024 20:46:50 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Not bad. Don't like it enough to download, but I wouldn't switch to another radio station if it came

It's cool that The Beatles still get so much attention.

Subject: Re: The new Beatles song & video Posted by AcousticJack on Fri, 05 Apr 2024 14:42:35 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

I used to be a big fan of The Beatles when I was a teenager, but not anymore. I enjoy listening to other types of music nowadays. However, this song reminded me of those days. I enjoyed it.

Subject: Re: The new Beatles song & video Posted by gofar99 on Fri, 05 Apr 2024 14:47:13 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

"It's cool that The Beatles still get so much attention." I sort of think that there is not enough new stuff of merit that would last that long. I may have a rose colored view, but it seems that the 60-70s and some 80s were the mayday of recorded music. Vintage classical music and show tunes excepted.

Subject: Re: The new Beatles song & video Posted by Concorde on Wed, 04 Jun 2025 18:08:58 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Al should be kept as a niche product for niche purposes, but I'm afraid it's already a runaway train.

I never was a huge Beatles fan and this song isn't going to change my mind.

Subject: Re: The new Beatles song & video Posted by Rusty on Wed, 04 Jun 2025 23:02:52 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

I watched this last night on PBS. Deconstructing The Beatles. A Trip Through Strawberry Fields. Very nice small documentary. https://www.pbs.org/video/a-trip-through-strawberry-fields-i3bgel/

All the takes they did, the instruments used, like the Mellotron and the final splicing of two versions with different tempos that John wanted for the final cut. That George Martin exclaimed was impossible but John said he had faith he could. And he and his engineer partner did. Today would be easily done with digital recording but then it was literally cutting audio tape and matching the point in the song seamlessly.

Nothing to get hung about mate. Strawberry Fields Forever.

Preview: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mvZ4a4PKqTU

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