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PC3 REUNITES FOR FIRST AUSTRALASIAN TOUR IN FIVE YEARS

Ten years after the Paul Colman Trio released its first CD *Serious Fun*, and five years after it disbanded, 'pc3' will reunite for a tour of Australia and New Zealand this October.

The group that changed the face of Christian music in this country with its engaging and entertaining performances recorded four studio and two live albums, garnered a Grammy nomination, a GMA Dove Award, TRAA Awards for song and artist of the year, plus a slew of hit singles in the USA, Australia and NZ.

The 13-city Australian leg of the tour starts in Perth on October 2 with performances set for Melbourne, Geelong, Adelaide, Brisbane, Sunshine Coast, Gold Coast, Toowoomba, Townsville, Albury/Wodonga, Canberra, Taree, plus Sydney's legendary Blackstump Festival.

Lead singer and guitarist Paul Colman says the trio decided to reunite for the tour following its highly acclaimed "one-off" reunion performances at Easterfest 09.

"We had something very special as a band," Colman admits. "And that was obvious when the creative juices began flowing again at Easterfest 09. Now we're looking forward to touring together, playing your favorite pc3 songs, singing some new ones, plus recreating that seriously fun onstage experience again so more people can enjoy it."

DATE	CITY	VENUE	TICKETS
Oct-02	Perth	Riverview Church	Koorong
Oct-03	Adelaide	Edge Church South Campus	Koorong
Oct-04	Sydney	Blackstump Festival	Blackstump
Oct-06	Taree	Manning Entertainment Centre	Rhema FM (Manning Great Lakes)
Oct-07	Gold Coast	SURFCiTY Centre	Koorong
Oct-08	Toowoomba	Toowoomba City Church	Koorong
Oct-09	Sunshine Coast	Goodlife Community Centre	Koorong
Oct-10	Brisbane	Citipointe Church	Koorong
Oct-12	Townsville	Sun City Christian Church	Live FM
Oct-14	Canberra	Parkway	Koorong
Oct-15	Albury/Wodonga	Faith City Church	Destiny Books
Oct-16	Geelong	Kardinia Heights Centre	96Three (Rhema) FM
Oct-17	Melbourne	C3 Centre Whitehorse	Koorong

More details: www.pc3tour.com/

"AMAZING HONOR" FOR PARACHUTE BAND

Casting Crowns has recorded a version of the Parachute Band's song *Mercy* for its forthcoming album, *Until The Whole World Hears*.

The Grammy-winning American band heard the song earlier in the year when they were in New Zealand for Parachute 09.

Parachute Band frontman Omega Levine says that having Casting Crowns record the song is "an amazing honor".

Omega says the song is his testimony...his cry for help, when he was feeling alone and depressed.

Casting Crowns will release *Until The Whole World Hears* on November 17.