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Who are the Marzaks?

The Marzaks are an in-your-face kind of experience – not for the faint of heart. They play edgy acoustic sillypop – catchy original songs with Beach Boys-style vocal harmonies, punk influence, and a touch of jazz sensibility. The Marzaks are on a mission to have fun and to spread that fun as far and wide as possible.

Marzaks performances are a feast for the eyes and ears, featuring superhero stage names, outrageous costumes, and wild stage antics. This zany bunch took first place in the Non-Traditional Band Contest at the 11th annual Appalachian String Band Music Festival in Clifftop, West Virginia in 2000.

The Marzaks feature explosive co-lead vocals and cello by force-of-nature Mark Rock; co-lead vocals and guitar by the young and restless Ben; fiddle, cello and vocals by the lovely and mysterious Shootin' Moon; lightning mandolin licks and vocals from the dark overlord Mando Man; and percussion and vocals from the vegan beatnik Soy Boy.

Reviewer Cripsy Duck describes the Marzaks debut CD *Superhuman* as “a monument to silliness” and “utterly gratifying,” revealing “considerable musical proficiency” (*C-Ville*, May 28, 2002). He raves, “From the first spin of the title track and it's glorious refrain, ‘Now that I'm superhuman, I can do anything/but I can't make you fall in love with me,’ to refreshing little ditties like ‘She Likes To Bite,’ it is clear that *Superhuman* is destined for cult classic status.”

For more information, photos, music, and an online promotional package, see the Marzaks website, www.marzaks.com. For booking or to schedule interviews, contact Mark Rock, (434) 244-0213 or markrock@marzaks.com.