



**Proudest Angel Headlining House of Blues**  
*Chicago Band Making Their Mark At Prized Venue*

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**Chicago, Illinois:** Chicago's hard-rocking groove metal outfit, Proudest Angel, will be headlining the House of Blues (329 N. Dearborn St) on Thursday March 29<sup>th</sup>, 2018. The show is presented by *Swizzle Steve* and *LiveNation*, with support from Trees, the Dirty Miners, Brandon James, and Robb Young & the Elms. Doors open at 7pm. This is a 17 and over show with ID.

Tickets at the door are \$15, or can be purchased through [www.ProudestAngel.com](http://www.ProudestAngel.com) for \$10 and come with a free download of the band's most recent release, *the Soundtrack To Your Next Bad Decision*.

Some of Proudest Angel's career highlights to date include self-producing *The Soundtrack To Your Next Bad Decision*; touring Illinois, Indiana, and Wisconsin; and being the 2017 Happy Headbanger Independent Band of the Year. This featured event at House of Blues will be the culmination of hard work and the realization for a dream shared by the members of Proudest Angel, going back to their roots. To celebrate, the band will be recording the show for a planned DVD/CD release.

**Proudest Angel** has returned from the dead, having reunited after a decade-long break-up. Now reformed with original members Doktor Paimon (vocals), David Bates (drums), and John Raftree (guitar), as well as longtime fan, Ryan R. Reilly (bass), this outfit has charged forth with new energy after releasing *The Soundtrack To Your Next Bad Decision*. Described by Heavy Metal 107 as "a raw and heavy, riff-driven fusion of alt-rock and metal," Proudest Angel is a shot in the arm to popular music and a breath of fresh air in an often sterile, mass-produced music landscape. They draw noted parallels to Bobaflex, Sentenced, Iced Earth, Godsmack, and the Offspring, with original takes on covers of Lady Gaga, Tom Petty, and Tears for Fears, amongst others.

The band's music social media links can be found through their website: [www.ProudestAngel.com](http://www.ProudestAngel.com).

**About the House of Blues:** House of Blues Chicago opened in 1996, Modeled after the "Estavovski" Opera House and is located in the historic Marina City complex on the Chicago River. The House of Blues grew out of founder Isaac Tigrett's love for the unique American art form known as the "the Blues". Weaned on this music during his early childhood in Tennessee, one of Isaac's goals was to introduce the world to the music of the rural south, including the Blues, Rhythm and Blues, Gospel, Jazz and Roots-based Rock & Roll. The very first House of Blues opened its doors in a converted historical house in Cambridge, Massachusetts in 1992 and is home to live music, original folk art, and delta-inspired cuisine. The House of Blues is dedicated to educating and celebrating the history of Southern Culture and African American artistic contributions to music and art.

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