



# NST & The Soul Sauce

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## NST & THE SOUL SAUCE X KIM YULHEE - REGGAE MEETS KOREAN PANSORI

Hailing from Seoul, Korea, *NST & The Soul Sauce* is an eight-piece roots reggae band that warms your heart and makes your soul dance.

Led by Noh Seontek, the former bassist for Windy City, a first-generation reggae band in Korea that has performed at Sierra Nevada World Music Festival, CMW, and SXSW, has created the Korea's "all-star" reggae band NST & The Soul Sauce in 2015. With two feet firmly planted in roots reggae, their unique sound has elements of jazz, African beat, funk, soul, psychedelic, and nyabinghi blended with classic Korean pop. In 2017, the band introduces their newest project featuring a multi-award winning powerhouse Korean traditional vocalist Kim Yulhee. Along with the influence of Korean traditional sound and philosophy, they've created what they have dubbed: "Korean reggae."

In March 2016, the group released their first seven-track cassette tape called *Heaven is Here/Song for Rico*, which has a tasty sampling of reggae, jazz, dub mixed with plenty of catchy hooks. With this one album and their high energy live performances, they have won rave reviews from not only Korean but also international critics and earned the act invites to major festivals such as Incheon *Pentaport Rock Festival*(Korea), *Ulsan World Music Festival* (Korea), *Jarasum International Jazz Festival*(Korea), *Fuji Rock Festival*(Japan), and *Hong Kong International Reggae Ska Festival*. In September 2016, they released a 7 inch worldwide via Eastern Standard Sounds(Korea) and Jump Up Records(U.S.A.), which topped the album sales chart on ReggaeRecord.com.

*NST & The Soul Sauce* will release their new full length album worldwide in June and kick off both domestic and international tours for 2017 including *Sierra Nevada World Music Festival*(U.S.A.)and *CirculArt* (Columbia)



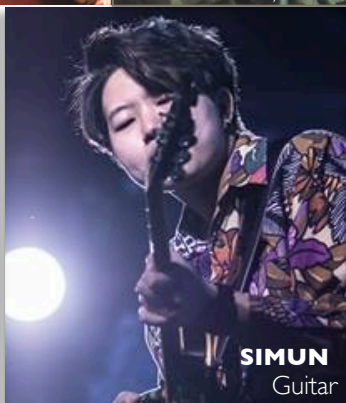
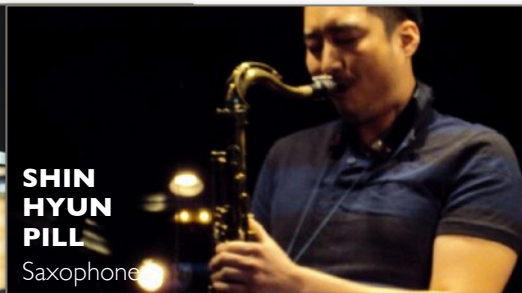
*NST & The Soul Sauce, a collection of highly talented musicians, is making a bright future of Korean reggae scene.*

**Koichi Hanafusa**  
 (Founder & Editor-in-chief of Fujirockers)

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## HISTORY

- 2016 Released a 7-track, Heaven is Here /Song for Rico (Tape) R
- 2016 Selected as Album of the Week, Naver Music(Korea)
- 2016 Fuji Rock Festival (Japan)
- 2016 Incheon Pentaport Rock Festival 2016 (Korea)
- 2016 Hong Kong International Reggae Ska Festival
- 2016 Jarasum International Jazz Festival (Korea)
- 2016 Hwaeom Spiritual Music Ritual (Korea)
- 2016 Released 7", Heaven is Here /Song for Rico, worldwide
- 2016 Rico Rodriguez Exhibition by Koichi Hanafusa(Korea)
- 2016 Rise Again(Korea)
- 2017 1st Full Length album "Back When Tigers Smoked" Released
- 2017 Sierra Nevada World Music Festival (USA)
- 2017 Tour Opening of Lee Perry (USA)
- 2017 Ulsan World Music Festival (Korea)

## DISCOGRAPHY



SONG FOR RICO / HEAVEN IS HEAVEN 2016 ( 7INCH, MC)



BACK WHEN TIGERS SMOKED (CD/LP)  
(Eastern Standard Sounds, 2017)



**VIDEO**



**MONK SONG**  
 KBS TV 나빌레라 (8.2017)



**MADAM BBAENDUK**  
 LIVE AT CHANGING PLATFORM61 (4.2017)



**RED TIGER**  
 AT SIERRA NEVADA WORLD MUSIC FESTIVAL (6.2017)



**RIDIGN A JORANG HORSE**  
 MAKING FILM 2.2017

A large, vibrant blue-lit stage performance. A central circular screen displays a bright, glowing blue pattern. Musicians and a singer in traditional Korean attire are visible on stage.

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