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TITLE: TONY NEWTON's MARS QUEST
An Immersive Music & Cinematic Space Adventure

LOGLINE: "Is Mars The Future of Humankind?"

SYNOPSIS:

This is a story about human challenges to get to the Planet Mars. The focus is on how Mars has gone from being a symbol of war and evil to now being humankind's new frontier for human life in the future. Additionally, how humanity has worked together from different races, gender, and nationalities from around the world which have worked together towards a harmonious and victorious vision and quest! The story is told through immersive music with images and dramatic narration set to the music of multi-award-winning producer/composer/songwriter/music legend Tony Newton. Mars Quest is a truly immersive music and visual experience! Think of it as an innovative, artistic contemporary yet authentic, next level docu-musical!

ABOUT THE FILM:

The mission of the "MARS QUEST" indie film is to carry the viewer from the beginning of human's interest in space via Galileo, through to the beginning of the space age and humankind's quest and venture into the far realms of outer-space. The Moon landing as well as knowledge regarding the international space station are covered, then on to the red planet Mars. Elon Musk says "*We should be a two planet species because it only being a matter of time before a cosmic extinction event occurs*" which by the way the Earth was destroyed the first time by an asteroid which collided with Earth and obliterated the dinosaur population according to science. Global warming is also an impending threat to us earth humans as we have let things get out of hand, due to our greed and uncaring for the environment and Mother Nature!



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The primary focus of "MARS QUEST" is to present the story and music in a new, exciting and innovative way through the use of laying historic and contemporary images to music, instead of the traditional soundtrack to images. This innovative soundscape approach allows the viewer-listener to have a fully immersive experience as the music tells the story. Mars Quest, features the theme music of Gustav Holst, acclaimed composer of the Planets Suite and Multi-Award-Winning composer-songwriter-producer and multi-instrumentalist music artist and Motown-Fusion legend, Tony Newton. The music in the film also features live performances by Newton and his TNT Xtreme orchestra as well as the innovative sound of Newton's "Novaphonic Q Harmony" discovery. The music soundscape is produced for 360.2 binaural surround sound listening via headphones for a total immersive experience as well as for stereo speakers.

The "MARS QUEST" adventure film highlights the many obstacles, challenges, successes and failures as humans from all races and nationalities working together from around the world in a spirit of total harmony and progress come together as a "No Fear" team of individuals! Over 50 humans and animals have given their lives for the cause of space exploration and the good of humanity. End-credits honors and dedicates the film to them and all who have participated in the Mars NASA/JPL, SpaceX missions.

GENRE: Docu-Musical

PRODUCTION YEAR: 2022

FILM RUNNING TIME: 1hr. 38 mins. 07 sec.

SHOOTING FORMAT: 1080-4K

PRODUCER: EstreamVision – Quantum Media Arts – Venice, CA.

COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: USA

LANGUAGE: English

SCREEN RATIO: 16:9

SOUND FORMAT: Ambisonic Immersive Stereo and 3D binaural Sound (Using Headphones) and Novaphonic Q' Sound musical harmonies and melodies, (Newton's Scientific Discovery)

COMPLETION DATE: August 1, 2022

PRODUCER-DIRECTOR: Tony Newton

WRITER-EDITOR: Tony Newton

MUSIC: Tony Newton

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DIRECTOR BIO:



Mars Quest by Tony Newton multi-award-winning music visionary, legendary composer-bassist -keyboardist-vocalist-producer, Tony Newton, is a musician's hall of fame member who has performed on over 100 gold and platinum hit recordings. He can lay claim to playing on hits by Michael Jackson, Diana Ross & The Supremes and Stevie Wonder, Little Richard, Aretha Franklin, The Mamas and Papas amongst many others. Two of Tony's Gold records were for his first renowned group, The Eighth Day, for She's Not Just Another Woman and Crawl Before You Walk. Tony played on several Motown number One hits: Where Did Our Love Go, Baby Love and Stop in the Name of Love by The Supremes, as well as Nowhere To Run by Martha and the Vandellas. He studied piano with teachers of Debussy and Donanyi

and had the same composition & theory teacher of Frank Zappa, Dr. Matt Doran. Newton also solidified himself as one of the original creators and masters of Jazz-Rock-Fusion with his time in the Tony Williams Lifetime, penning the classics "Red Alert" and "Snake Oil" instrumentals for the acclaimed group with the former Miles Davis drummer.

Tony Newton is also a producer-director of several award-winning music videos as well as two music related feature films, "GrooveMonster, the adventures of a Motown Bassman Documentary", and "Soul of Light" his first visual and immersive music film/video using music from his "Summit Symphony". "Mars Quest" is his third venture into the world of movies with his innovative approach to setting image to music to create a soundscape instead of the traditional soundtrack technique of music to image. "Mars Quest" is his first production into the film world with space and the planet Mars as the main theme.

DIRECTORS STATEMENT:

My purpose with Mars Quest is to gain more human support and interest regarding humans living on planet Mars, through sharing benefits, advances, future use, vision. Also, to educate in an entertaining way using immersive visual-audio-music and the innovative harmonic scientific discovery, the Novaphonic Q' Sound!

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REVIEWS: WHAT OTHERS ARE SAYING ABOUT “MARS QUEST”

- *Tony Newton 2022 Outstanding Legacy Award Winner - Music Akademia, Hollywood, CA.*
- *Tony Newton, super genius, will go down in history as one of the most vital path-forgers of our era.” - Music critic Randali of Mean Street Magazine*
- *This is by far one of the most magnificent Film and Musical creations by the great legend, Tony Newton, - Eddy Senay, Music Artist*
- *I enjoyed the way Tony related the music to the history of Astronomy! - T. Murphy, Physics Professor*
- *The combination of arts, music and science make the movie unique and special. I really love your music and way of thinking! - Michelle, Bavaria*
- *The main message to me was “Hope,” and to keep thinking positive. I also really love this kind of music! - Ralph, Germany*
- *Tony is aiming for a Pulitzer Prize with this humanitarian docu-musical. A first in music and film history! - Quantum Media Arts*

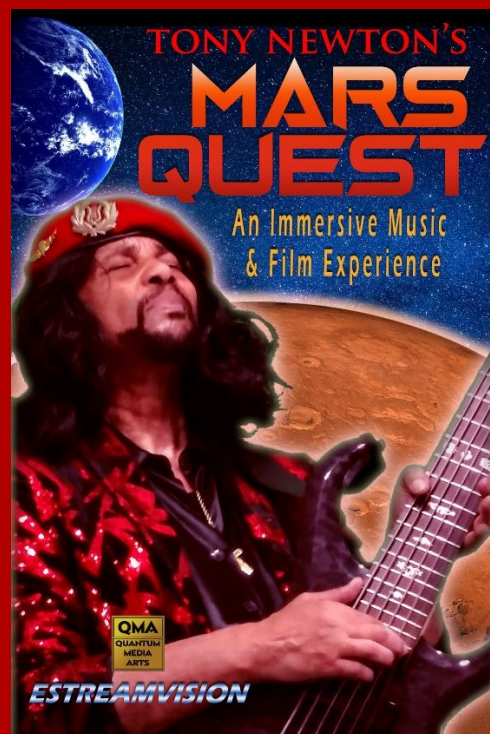


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