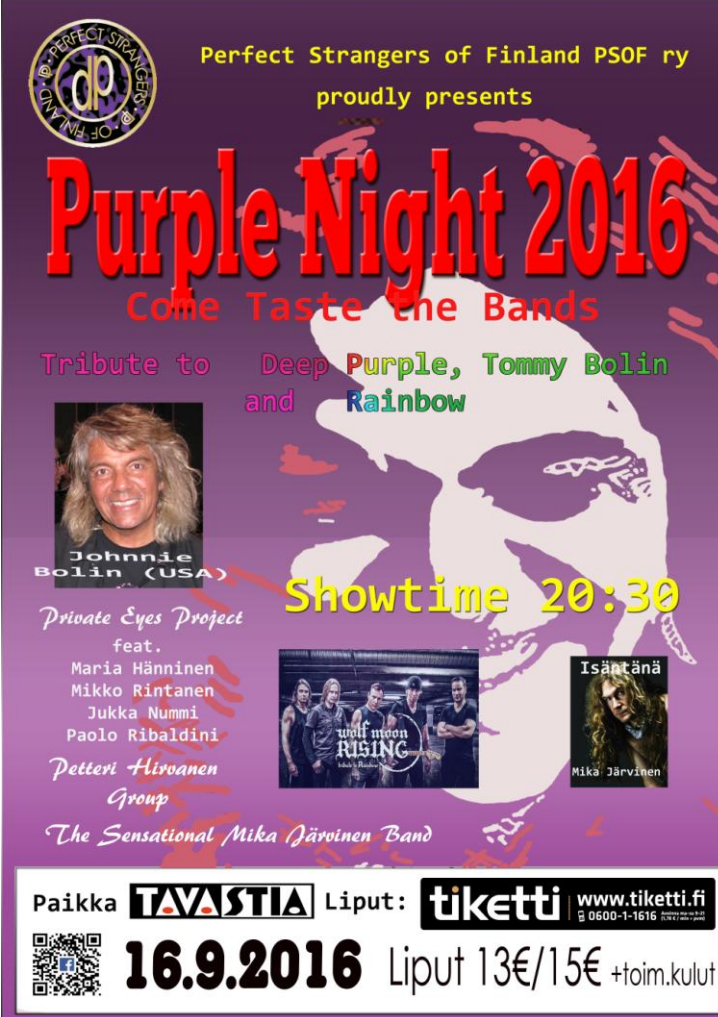


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## Purple Night 2016 - Come Taste the Bands

Tribute to Deep Purple, Tommy Bolin and Rainbow



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**Johnnie Bolin (USA)**

Private Eyes Project  
feat.  
Maria Hänninen  
Mikko Rintanen  
Jukka Nummi  
Paolo Ribaldini

Petteri Hirvonen  
Group

The Sensational Mika Järvinen Band

Wolf Moon Rising

Isäntänä  
Mika Järvinen

Showtime 20:30

Paikka **TAVASTIA** Liput: **tiketti** [www.tiketti.fi](http://www.tiketti.fi)  
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**16.9.2016** Liput 13€/15€ +toim.kulut

Friday, September 16, from 8:00 pm to 4:00 am

Showtime 08:30 pm, doors open from 8:00 pm

Age limit 18

*On Friday, September 16, PSOF will present the 8<sup>th</sup> Purple Night-event: Come and Taste the Bands, tribute to Deep Purple, Tommy Bolin and Rainbow.*

*PSOF was established in 1998 to promote and pay tribute to Deep Purple and related music. PSOF is approved by Thames Talent Ltd as the official Deep Purple Society in Finland.*

*The first Purple Night was at 2008 when PSOF had 10th anniversary. Tavastia Club was sold out and there was over 50 well-known Finnish musicians. This event has been in Tavastia Club in 2008, 2009, 2011, 2012 and Virgin Oil Club in 2013 and 2014.*

*During all these years, we've celebrating music of Deep Purple with various themes in these events such as 10 Perfect Women, In Rock, Who Do We Think We Are. Theme for 2015 was tribute to Ritchie Blackmore 70 Years and we had former Rainbow vocalist Doogie White as a guest of honor.*

*PSOF- society has given opportunities to perform to hundreds of musicians, professionals and amateurs, such well known names as Doogie White, Nikolo Kotzev, Anssi Kela, Timo Kotipelto, Jari Tiura, Jukka Nummi, Tom Oh, Maria Hänninen, Peter James Goodman and in addition to the members of PSOF. We have noticed how important this music has been to many musicians.*

Theme for this year's event, **Purple Night 2016 - Come Taste the Bands**, is from **Deep Purple**-album, **Come Taste the Band**. After Ritchie Blackmore left the band, **Tommy Bolin** came to replace Ritchie. **Come Taste The band**- album was released 1975, over 40 years ago. **Tommy Bolin's Private Eye**- album was released 1976, so this year is 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of that album. **Rainbow Rising**- album has also its 40th anniversary this year. These three themes do include the **Purple Night 2016**.

Member of PSOF- society, Jake Leppälä has been visiting and performing few times at the **Annual Tommy Bolin- festival** in Sioux city, Iowa, USA. Tommy Bolin's brother, **Johnnie Bolin** is a founder of **Tommy Bolin festival** and during the years there has been many musicians, who played with **Tommy Bolin** such as **Alphonse Mouzon, Tracy Keane and Glenn Hughes**. He has worked hard to get Tommy's music known, bring re-mastered unreleased material to release. Newest Tommy Bolin material will be released at fall 2016. Tommy Bolin Archives website: <http://www.tbolin.com> **Johnnie Bolin** plays drums in **Black Oak Arkansas** and **Tommy Bolin Tribute Band**, but he also plays guitar. Jake has invited Johnnie Bolin to Purple Night 2016. Early of August this year Jake Leppälä was performing in Tommy Bolin- festival with members of **Private Eyes Project**. Private Eyes Project is specialized to former Deep Purple members such as Jon Lord's and Tommy Bolin's music. Purple Night performing vocalists are: **Maria Hänninen, Mika Järvinen, Jukka Nummi, Daizy Pinehill, Paolo Ribaldini and Mikko Rintanen**. Line-up for the **Private Eyes Project** is: **Johnnie Bolin** on drums and guitar, **Jake Leppälä** on drums, **Make Tolvanen** and **Arto Teppo** on keyboards, **Mikko Rintanen, Timo Tynkkynen, More Karvonen, Martin Törnudd** on guitars, **Rude Rothsten** and **Kari Martikainen** on bass, **Seppo Heikkonen** on saxofon and lovely **Maria Hänninen** on violin.

Purple Night- host is **Mika Järvinen**, singer, songwriter and writer. His bands are **Five Fifteen, Crazy Purple and The Sensational Mika Järvinen Band**. He wrote a book of Uriah Heep and it released in 2013. Now he is writing a book about Deep Purple. **Mika and his band The Sensational Mika Järvinen Band** will start the evening with Deep Purple-classic songs. Line-up: **Mikko Kosunen** on guitar, **Eeva Koivusalo** on bass, **Juha Kuoppala** on keyboards and **Santeri Saksala** on drums.

**Petteri Hirvanen Group** will perform some Tommy Bolin's Bolin/Cobham solo material. Tommy Bolin played in many different kind of music groups, from rock to jazz fusion. Maybe the best known of Bolin's guitar pieces is from Billy Cobham's solo album Spectrum called Stratus. The line-up of **Petteri Hirvanen Group** is: amazing **Petteri Hirvanen** on guitar, **Santeri Kallio** on keyboards, **Niclas Etelävuori** on bass and **Pekka Kasari** on drums. Petteri Hirvanen is well known guitarist and **Santeri Kallio** and **Niclas Etelävuori** play in Finnish world-famous heavy metal band called **Amorphis**. Pekka Kasari is a former **Amorphis**- drummer. As guest guitarist we see **Juhani Nisula**.

**Wolf Moon Rising** will perform the whole Rainbow's "On stage" –album. **Wolf Moon Rising**-line up: **Tuomas Heikkinen** on guitar, **Sami Norrbacka** on bass, **Marko Niskala** on keyboards, **Valtteri Revonkorpi** on drums and amazing **Kimmo Blom** on vocals (Urban Tale, Queen music theater Show Must Go On, Voice of Finland, UMK 2015 and 2016). The band has few gigs during the summer of 2016, and you can enjoy a trip of nostalgias to the eternal world of music.

***Perfect Strangers of Finland 20 years Anniversary will be celebrating 2018. These events are organized by voluntaries and it takes lots of job and hours, and choice of successful themes and artists, to get the best for the audience. And of course we like the audience to come to the next events as well. Come and enjoy good music and nice people, who all have the same taste of music.***

***With your participation you will support our function and journey to our 20-year anniversary.***

*Tickets: Tiketti Presale 13 € with service fee, at the door 15 €.*

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