

NINE TREASURES (China)

Wacken Metal Battle 2013 runners-up



The five young musicians, hailing from the remote **Hulunbuir** in Inner Mongolia, where heavy metal is untraceable, started playing together in Beijing in the end of 2010. Their original Mongolian folk metal caught the attention of two small indoor festivals in Beijing in autumn 2011, Anda and Asia Metal Festival. These performances built a solid foundation for the band's progression. After that, they threw themselves into the lively underground scene in Beijing.

Nine Treasures released their debut album ***Arvan Ald Guulin Honshoor*** in May 2012. The first press of 1000 copies were sold out in 6 months.

In 2013, Nine Treasures competed and won Metal Battle China, and eventually reached the second place out of 28 countries on the **Metal Battle** Finals on **Wacken Open Air**, and were featured in **Wacken 3D** the film.

After Wacken, the second album ***Nine Treasures*** and the first headlining tour in China happened in the end of 2013. And the band were honoured Best New Artists at Midi Awards 2013.

2014 and 2015 see Nine Treasures on the road for the best part of the year. The headlining tours reached south to Hong Kong, west to remote parts in Xinjiang. Festival appearances made north to Ulaanbaatar **Mongolia** and Vladivostok **Russia**, and east to Taiwan. In the mean time, a mini album was released in January 2015, named ***Galloping White Horse***. In autumn 2015, the boys completed an 11-date European tour, including showcase festival WOMEX in Budapest.

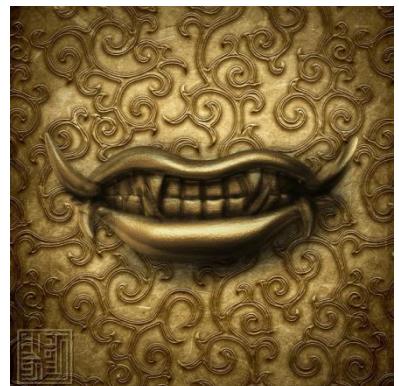
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Origin: China
Style: Folk Metal

Line-up: (l to r)
Ding Kai – Drums
Tsog – Morin Khuur
Saina – Balalaika
Askhan – Vocals / Guitars
Aoger – Bass / Vocals

"The spirit transmits truly international feelings that are incarnated by an unbowed lust for life."
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Arvan Ald Guulin Honshoor (2012)



Nine Treasures (2013)