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# TILES

## **...the Bittersweet 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Show...**

**WHAT:** Two years after releasing their crowning achievement, the star-studded and internationally acclaimed double album “*Pretending 2 Run*,” **Tiles** commemorate their 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary while bidding a fond farewell to vocalist Paul Rarick Saturday, April 28<sup>th</sup> at the “Loving Touch” in Ferndale, MI.

**WHO:** **Tiles** with Special Guest: Matthew Parmenter (solo)

**WHERE:** [The Loving Touch](#)  
22634 Woodward Avenue  
Ferndale, MI 48220  
(248) 820-5596

**WHEN:** Saturday, April 28th  
Doors open at 8:00pm  
All Ages  
Tickets: \$15 advance  
VIP packages available soon at [www.tiles-music.com/live/](http://www.tiles-music.com/live/)

**DETAILS:** It was way back in 1993 when vocalist Paul Rarick and bassist Jeff Whittle joined drummer Mark Evans and guitarist Chris Herin during the in-progress recording sessions for what would become the first Tiles album. Twenty-five years, six studio albums, and two live albums later – the band marks the occasion with a special performance, especially poignant since it will also serve as Paul Rarick’s swan song as he retires from singing [yes, the remaining members do plan to carry on...].

*Join the original line up of Tiles one last time April 28<sup>th</sup> as they dig deep into their catalog for seldom-played songs, plenty of fan favorites, and selections from their most recent album – the mesmerizing 2-CD magnum opus “Pretending 2 Run.”*

Produced by Terry Brown (Rush), “*Pretending 2 Run*” is an ambitious and richly crafted 96-minute song cycle that spins a dark tale of betrayal and redemption in the cinematic tradition of ‘70’s progressive rock. Hailed worldwide as one of the best Prog albums of 2016, *PROG Magazine* calls “*Pretending 2 Run*” “...more imaginative, expansive, colorful, diverse and satisfying than ever!”

Lending their talents to “*Pretending 2 Run*” is an extraordinary collection of special guest musicians: Ian Anderson (Jethro Tull), Mike Portnoy (Dream Theater, Neal Morse), Adam Holzman (Steven Wilson), Mike Stern (Miles Davis), Kim Mitchell (Max Webster), and many other notable guests...

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