

THE GREAT LIES OF ROCK 'N' ROLL

*The following list was found rolled up in an empty Heineken bottle
backstage at CBGB's in New York.*

1. The booking is definite.
2. Your check is in the mail.
3. We can fix it in the mix.
4. This is the best dope you've ever had.
5. The show starts at eight.
6. My agent will take care of it.
7. I'm sure it will work out.
8. Your tickets are at the door
9. It sounds in tune to me.
10. Sure, it sounds fine at the back of the hall.
11. I know your mic is on.
12. I checked it myself.
13. The roadie took care of it.
14. She'll be backstage after the show.
15. Yes, the spotlights will be on you during your solos.
16. The stage mix sounds just like the program mix.
17. It's the hottest pickup I could get.
18. The club will provide the PA and the lights.
19. I really love the band.
20. We'll have lunch sometime.
21. We'll have it ready before tonight.
22. If it breaks, we'll fix it free.
23. We'll let you know.
24. I had nothing to do with your marriage breaking up. Your marriage was on the rocks long before I ever met you.
25. The place was packed.
26. We'll have you back next week.
27. Don't worry, you'll remember the headliner.
28. It's on the truck.
29. This coke hasn't been cut.
30. My last band had a record deal, but we broke up before recording the album.
31. Someone will be there early to let you in.
32. I've only been playing for a year.
33. I've been playing for twenty years.
34. We'll have the flyers printed tomorrow.
35. I'm with the band.
36. The band drinks free.
37. You'll get your cut tonight - no problem.
38. He'll work the door for us tonight.
39. You'll have no problem fitting that speaker cabinet in trunk of your car.
40. There'll be lots roadies when you get there.
41. I know we'll get some applause after the next tune.
42. We'll have plenty of time for a sound check.
43. This is one of Jimi's old Strats.
44. We'll definitely come see you play tonight.
45. You can depend on me.
46. You won't have to play any requests.
47. We have this great gig in Vegas next month.
48. The other band will be glad to let you use their PA.
49. I am singing on key - the PA's screwing up.
50. Sounds good to me.
51. You won't have any trouble finding the place.
52. I've played there before.
53. We can turn down the volume if it's too loud.
54. I just use this little amp for small gigs - I've got a Marshall stack at home.