

Deutsche Delegation 2006



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ドイツ団

Every one of us has chosen a personal German song especially for you, our friends in Japan. Here we explain why we like and selected each song. We hope you enjoy our collection!

ドイツ団員が選んだドイツ音楽集

01 Sportfreunde Stiller – Ein Kompliment

Chosen by Alexander PRAHL.

It is a summer song about love. I have many beautiful memories related to this song. I heard it many times on sessions of the European youth parliament with my friends from Europe and we had a very good time. It is perfect to make new friends in Japan and to get new impressions and experiences in this extraordinary country.

02 Die Toten Hosen – Bonnie & Clyde

Chosen by Theresa OVERBERG.

This is a song about the beauty of the extraordinary freedom when being young, it is about friendship and love.

03 Virgina Jetzt! – Ein ganzer Sommer

Chosen by Mareke HEIER.

It is a love song. I chose it, because it makes me happy and perfectly describes how it feels to be in love. The refrain goes like this: „There are songs named after you and pictures with your face on it. But nothing is as real and exhilarating as your skin on my skin.“

04 Tomte – Ich sang die ganze Zeit von Dir

Chosen by Sebastian SCHMALZ.

A powerful and dramatic song about a lost love. The refrain says: „There is a place in my heart, where your name is written on the wall and I want you to know it. I will always believe in you, no matter what happens.“

05 Fettes Brot – Jein

Chosen by Lars BEHRENDT.

The title „Jein“ is a play with the German words for „Yes“ (Ja) and „No“ (Nein). The band „Fettes Brot“, from my hometown Hamburg, used this word in their song as an idiom for indecisiveness and I can relate to that – life has just so many options to choose from!

06 Juli – Die Perfekte Welle

Chosen by Carina CRAVAACK.

The song is about waiting for the “perfect wave”. It tells us to never give up hope, because it is for sure that one day will bring what you always hoped for.

07 Die Prinzen – Deutschland

Chosen by Stephanie QUAISER.

The song is called „Germany“ and is performed by a popular German a-cappella group. The text is full of irony about our country and makes fun of how we estimate ourselves. A part of the lyrics: „We’re the friendliest customers in this world. We’re modest – we have money. The very best in any sport. The taxes here set a world record.“

08 Fettes Brot – Nordish by Nature

Chosen by Oliver WIRTH.

This is another song from the very popular band „Fettes Brot“, telling about how it feels to be from Northern Germany. Besides, it is a fun party song and reminds me of many great nights out.

09 Kettcar – 48 Stunden

This song was chosen by Thomas WEIGELT.

„Two lovers have just 48 hours each weekend, living far away from each other – a sad situation, a sad song, but Hamburg’s youth music at its best! A great city – a great band!“

10 Bela B. – Tag mit Schutzumschlag

Chosen by Maria RIEDEN.

Bela B. is a member of a popular German punk band and recently started a solo career. This song represents the way how I feel about life at the moment. It is about „a day with a protective cover“, a day where nobody has to suffer and nobody dies, where nobody complains and nobody argues.

11 Alphaville – Big in Japan

Chosen by Christoph GÄRTNER.

I guess the song is one of the very few evergreens ever made in Germany. It is always a pleasure to listen to it – even more so since now I myself have been big in Japan...

12 Klarinettenensemble Black and White – Kaleidoskop

This song was chosen by Uta SCHWENKE.

The song was composed by my clarinet teacher Ralf Thomas Lorenz on behalf of the music school clarinet ensemble, which consists of four clarinets in B and a bass clarinet. It always reminds me of how much I learned from him and what a great time I had with my

13 Kreisjugendblasorchester Bad Kissingen – Coburger Marsch

Chosen by Ralf GAYER.

This is a traditional German march by Johann Michael Haydn dedicated to the city of Coburg (Bavaria). It is a record of the county's youth concert band in which I play the altohorn.

14 Werder Bremen – Lebenslang Grün-Weiß

This song was chosen by Sarah OETKEN.

The song is about my local football club. I connect it with a lot of memories to my hometown Bremen in the north of Germany, because me and my friends often watch football matches together.

15 Nina Hagen – Du hast den Farbfilm vergessen

Chosen by Sascha KUMMER.

This song reminds me of holidays with friends and family at the Baltic Sea. In the summer we often used to go camping, make barbecues, sit at the campfire and sing together.

16 Söhne Mannheims - Wenn du schläfst

Chosen by Alina PIWEN.

This song is a lullaby for children in poor countries whose parents died because of poverty, political conflicts and AIDS. A part of the sales from the single are used by World Visions, a Christian development Organization helping children worldwide.

17 Stereo Total - Sweet Charlotte

Chosen by Heidi SCHULZE.

Berlin is an intercultural city where a lot of crazy musicians from all over the world come together. The singer of this song, Françoise Cactus, is one of them. She is from rural France and sings in German about both the beauty and lack of appeal of a girl called "Charlotte".

Please remember us, just as we will
always remember our stay in Japan.