



## THE ROCKETS

The Rockets success story is one of determination, hard work, and dedication!

The Rockets have always had a definite and precise attitude to their career right from its having survived both the feverishness and fluctuations of the music business.

They now spend more than 6 months of the year performing outside of South Africa. International trips have included numerous performances in Australia, the Middle East, Seychelles and other parts of Africa.

The Rockets have supported many international acts in South Africa. These include Ronan Keating, Usher, Alicia Keys, P. Diddy, Shayne Ward, Patrizio Buanne, Will Young, Marcos Hernandez, Luther Vandross, The Spice Girls, Wet Wet Wet, Billy Ocean, The O'Jays and many others.

They have also performed at many prestigious events in South Africa, including amongst others: The Staying Alive Aids concert at Greenpoint stadium filmed by MTV and watched by an estimated audience of 2 billion, Unite of The Stars, the massive "Concerts in the Park", "Olympic Announcement Event", "National Freedom Day Celebrations", President Thabo Mbeki's acceptance of the "Freedom of Vredendal Celebration", KKNK, "Rand Show", "10 years of Democracy" celebration and many others.

They also have 2 SAMA nominations under their belt, namely "Best Pop Performance" and "Best Contemporary Dance Performance" categories.

They have had numerous record successes in South Africa and have topped many radio station and official charts with hits like "Gimme A Break", "Surrender", "Pappa Please Come Back Home", "Thank You Thank You", "Back II The Hits" and "African People". They have always backed up their accomplishments before hundred of thousands of fans throughout the world.

The Rockets are an extremely versatile band and it is none more apparent on their latest CD release, "Still Standing". They spent nearly 12 months recording and producing their latest offering, which has resulted in 19 superb tracks (18 of them original tunes). This album has a superb variety of beautiful ballads, mid-tempo melodies and fantastic dance tunes. The album was engineered, produced and mixed in both the USA (by Pius Adomako at Digisonic Studios in Atlanta) and South Africa (by Jerry Watt, with assistance from Le Roi Kroneberg, at WattzUp Recording Studio, Cape Town). The CD was mastered in Atlanta, USA by Rodney Mills Masterhouse (who boast amongst their clients, Pearl Jam, Sheryl Crow, 38 Special, Rage Against The Machine and many others).

The Rockets have a stunning visual appeal, their playing is top notch and their songs are fresh and fulfilling. They continue to set local and international stages alight with their colorful, uncompromising and energetic performances.

# THE ROCKETS    Repertoire List

## POP/R&B/DANCE

SUPERSTAR – JAMELIA  
HEY YA – OUTKAST  
WHAT'S LOVE – BLACK EYED PEAS  
SHUP UP – BLACK EYED PEAS  
AMAZING – GEORGE MICHAEL  
SOMETHING BEAUTIFUL – ROBBIE WILLIAMS  
ROCK YOUR BODY – JUSTIN TIMBERLAKE  
EVERYTHING I DO – BRYAN ADAMS AND BRANDY  
SNAKE – R.KELLY  
WHITE FLAG – DIDO  
ABBA MEDLEY  
SUMMERTIME – SHAGGY  
SUNRISE – SIMPLY RED  
YEAH – USHER  
BURN – USHER  
COME TO MY HOTEL – R.KELLY AND THE  
CHOCOLATE FACTORY  
BABY BOY – BEYONCE  
SCANDALOUS - BEYONCE  
SWEETLADY – THE ROCKETS  
SHAKE YA TAILFEATHER – P.DIDDY  
GET BUSY – SEAN PAUL  
BREATHE – SEAN PAUL  
ANYONE OF US – GARETH GATES  
LONG TRAIN RUNNING – DOOBIE BROTHERS  
ONE LOVE - BLUE  
TOO CLOSE - BLUE  
LOVE DON'T LOVE ME – ERIC BENET  
ALL RISE – BLUE  
SUNRISE – SIMPLY RED  
SO FAR - BLUE  
USHER MEDLEY  
FLY BY – BLUE  
BADABOOM – B2K  
BUMP BUMP BUMP – B2K  
FEEL – ROBBIE WILLIAMS  
BRAND NEW JONES – THICKE  
OH OH – LUMIDEE  
FRONTIN BEAUTIFUL – PHARRELL & N.E.R.D.  
IN DA CLUB – 50 CENT  
RISE AND FALL – CRAIG DAVID AND STING  
JAH RULE MEDLEY – I'M REAL, MS CALIFORNIA, DO  
I DO  
USHER - YOU REMIND ME  
HAPPY – LIGHTHOUSE FAMILY  
KEEP IT ON THE LOW – MARIO WINNANS  
FUNNY - WESTLIFE  
I KNOW WHAT YOU WANT – BUSTA RHYMES  
PROUD MARY – CREEDANCE CLEARWATER  
REVIVAL  
LOVE IS ALL AROUND – WET WET WET  
SHAPE OF MY HEART – BACKSTREET BOYS  
QUANDO – TOM JONES  
SEX BOMB – TOM JONES  
I'LL BE MISSING YOU – PUFF DADDY  
HEY BABY – DJ UZZI  
LONG TRAIN RUNNING – DOOBIE BROTHERS  
LADY – MOJO  
SEPTEMBER – EARTH, WIND AND FIRE  
CARELESS WHISPER – WHAM  
IT WASN'T ME – SHAGGY  
YOU'RE MY ANGEL – SHAGGY  
TIME OF MY LIFE

SHACKLES – MARY MARY  
LESSONS IN LOVE – LEVEL 42  
SOMETHING ABOUT YOU – LEVEL 42  
WHY – GARTH TAYLOR  
VENGABOYS MEDLEY  
THONG SONG – SISQO  
LEAN ON ME – VARIOUS  
YOU ROCK MY WORLD – MICHAEL JACKSON  
KOOL AND THE GANG MEDLEY  
FANTASY – EARTH, WIND AND FIRE  
LIFE – DESIRE  
I TRY – MACY GRAY  
7 DAYS – CRAIG DAVID  
WHY YOU FOLLOW ME – ERIC BENET  
MUSIC SOUNDS BETTER WITH YOU  
STILL OF THE NIGHT – BOYZ II MEN  
VARIOUS BOYZ II MEN  
AS LONG AS YOU LOVE ME – BACKSTREET BOYS  
KING OF MY CASTLE

## MOTOWN

ONLY YOU – THE PLATTERS  
MY GIRL – THE TEMPTATIONS  
THREE TIMES A LADY – COMMODORES  
I JUST CALLED TO DAY I LOVE YOU – STEVIE  
WONDER  
I HEARD IT THROUGH THE GRAPEVINE – MARVIN  
GAYE

## BALLADS

DANCING WITH MY FATHER – LUTHER VANDROSS  
SORRY SEEMS TO BE THE HARDEST WORD – BLUE  
AND ELTON JOHN  
TO LOVE A WOMAN – LIONEL RITCHIE & ENRIQUE  
CINDERELLA – LIONEL RITCHIE  
ANGEL – LIONEL RITCHIE  
BEAUTIFUL – CHRISTINA AGUILERA  
VOICE WITHIN – CHRISTINA AGUILERA  
HOLD US DOWN – CHRISTINA AGUILERA  
ALWAYS AND FOREVER – HEATWAVE  
UNCHAINED MELODY - VARIOUS  
MY WAY – FRANK SINATRA  
NEW YORK – FRANK SINATRA  
TEARS IN HEAVEN – ERIC CLAPTON  
DONNA – VARIOUS  
SUDDENLY – BILLY OCEAN  
TURN BACK THE HANDS OF TIME – R.KELLY  
I BELIEVE I CAN FLY – R.KELLY  
AS LONG AS YOU LOVE ME – BACKSTREET BOYS  
HELLO – LIONEL RITCHIE  
SAY YOU SAY ME – LIONEL RITCHIE  
PAINT MY LOVE – MICHAEL LEARNS TO ROCK  
I SWEAR – ALL FOR ONE  
SHE'S OUT OF MY LIFE – MICHAEL JACKSON  
YOU ARE NOT ALONE – MICHAEL JACKSON  
LOVE IS ALL AROUND – WET WET WET  
FEELINGS – THE O'JAYS  
ME AND MRS JONES  
END OF THE ROAD – BOYS II MEN  
DREAMING OF YOU – THE ROCKETS  
UNDERNEATH YOUR CLOTHES – SHAKIRA



## ROCK

### QUEEN MEDLEY:-

ANOTHER ONE BITES THE DUST  
CRAZY LITTLE THING CALLED LOVE  
BOHEMIAN RHAPSODY  
IT'S A KIND OF MAGIC  
I WANT TO BREAK FREE  
WE WILL ROCK YOU  
FRIENDS WILL BE FRIENDS  
WE ARE THE CHAMPIONS  
IT'S MY LIFE – BON JOVI  
WITH OR WITHOUT YOU – U2  
I STILL HAVEN'T FOUND WHAT I'VE BEEN LOOKING  
FOR– U2  
HOTEL CALIFORNIA – EAGLES  
MISUNDERSTOOD – BON JOVI

## LATINO

NOTHING AT ALL - SANTANA  
EVIL WAYS – SANTANA  
SAMBA PA TI – SANTANA  
SMOOTH/OYE COME VA/BLACK MAGIC WOMAN  
MEDLEY - SANTANA  
MARIA MARIA- CARLOS SANTANA  
EUROPA – SANTANA  
BAILAMOS – ENRIQUE IGLESAS  
BE WITH YOU – ENRIQUE IGLESAS  
ESCAPE – ENRIQUE IGLESAS  
MAYBE – ENRIQUE IGLESAS  
MAMBO NO. 5 – LOU BEGA  
LA BAMBA – LOS LOBOS  
HOT HOT HOT – VARIOUS  
I AM NOT IN LOVE – ENRIQUE IGLESAS

## ROCK 'N ROLL

### SWING THE MOOD MEDLEY:

IN THE MOOD  
ROCK AROUND THE CLOCK  
ROCK A BEAT IN BOOGIE  
TUTTI FRUITI  
WAKE UP LITTLE SUZIE  
C'MON EVERYBODY  
HOUND DOG  
SHAKE, RATTLE AND ROLL  
ALL SHOOK UP  
JAIL HOUSE ROCK  
AT THE HOP  
GREASE MEDLEY  
THE HOLLIES – THE AIR THAT I BREATHE  
THE TWIST – CHUBBY CHECKER  
LET'S TWIST AGAIN – CHUBBY CHECKER  
BUILD ME UP BUTTERCUP – THE FOUNDATIONS  
MUSTANG SALLY – WILSON PICKETT  
SATISFACTION – THE ROLLING STONES

## ROCK 'N ROLL..... continued

### BEATLES MEDLEY:

NO REPLY  
YOU KNOW  
BABY YOU CAN DRIVE MY CAR  
DO YOU WANT TO KNOW A SECRET  
WE CAN WORK IT OUT  
I SHOULD'VE KNOWN BETTER  
NOWHERE MAN  
YOU GONNA LOSE THAT GIRL  
TICKET TO RIDE  
ELEANOR RIGBY  
EVERY LITTLE THING SHE DOES  
JOJO  
EIGHT DAYS A WEEK  
IT WONT BE LONG  
DAY TRIPPER

## JAZZ

SO AMAZING  
VARIOUS KOINONIA  
FRIENDS AND STRANGERS  
AUTUMN LEAVES  
VARIOUS KENNY G

## REGGAE

NO WOMAN NO CRY – BOB MARLEY  
KINGSTON TOWN – UB 40  
RED RED WINE – UB 40  
CAN'T HELP FALLING IN LOVE– UB 40  
SWEAT - INNERCIRCLE  
BRIDGE OVER TROUBLED WATER – SIMON &  
GARFUNKEL/THE ROCKETS  
COULD YOU BE LOVE – BOB MARLEY  
I SHOT THE SHERIFF – BOB MARLEY  
ONE LOVE – BOB MARLEY  
BABY I LOVE YOUR WAYS –ASWAT  
GIMME HOPE JOANNA – EDDY GRANT  
BUFFALO SOLDIER – PETER TOSH  
BOB MARLEY MEDLEY

## **AFRICAN and WORLD MUSIC**

PATA PATA – MIRIAM MAKEBA  
CLICK SONG – MIRIAM MAKEBA  
KONGO KWELA - JERICO  
AFRICAN PEOPLE – THE ROCKETS  
DIAMONDS ON THE SOLES OF MY SHOES – PAUL  
SIMON  
CALL ME AL – PAUL SIMON  
SHOSHOLLOZA – TRADITIONAL  
THE LION SLEEPS TONIGHT  
WE ARE GROWING – MARGARET SINGANA