

Dan Deacon

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I really do like seeing other people perform my music. It's one of the most rewarding things for me, so it's worth the extra work.

~Dan Deacon

You can have a table full of gourmet food, but the minute you put a box of Entenmann's doughnuts out, that's all people are gonna talk about.

~Dan Deacon

Live performances make music important. Recording is cool and fun, and it's nice to document the thing you made, but the goal in my mind is to perform.

~Dan Deacon

The main thing I want to do is make people feel more connected and more active.

~Dan Deacon

I need to start honing in on projects that I want to devote my time to and not put my energies into the unattainable ones.

~Dan Deacon

It's weird how people hate getting older.

~Dan Deacon

For the last three years, I've been working on 'Bromst,' and that's all that encompassed my brain. And now that it's out, it will change the way that I think musically.

~Dan Deacon

I've since become really good at overwhelming myself.

~Dan Deacon

It was never the goal to be a solo performer. It was just something that made the most sense at the time.

~Dan Deacon

You know, most people called rap stupid when it started, and it was one of the most innovative music forms of its time.

~Dan Deacon

I wanted to start working on something that had a lasting effect.

~Dan Deacon

If you've become a huge act and you're still doing the same music you wrote with your friends when you were making zero dollars, you're lazy.

~Dan Deacon

I throw ideas out into the open when I really should just be writing them down in a journal.

~Dan Deacon

I just wanted to make a record that wasn't escapism. Like, I didn't want to write another record that was devoid of meaningful content.

~Dan Deacon

Going back to the paradigm we live in, the only way to do music is if I can sustain living off of it. If I can't live off of it, I'm not going to be able to make as much music.

~Dan Deacon

When music becomes a job, you all of a sudden have other jobs and you become like a manager of time. If you have no ability to do that, your job gets very hard very quickly.

~Dan Deacon

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