

# Pick of the week



**The Musical**  
Kwality Wall's Live & Legendary  
August 3rd at 10 PM on Channel V  
Each month throughout 1997, Channel [V] airs a classic live concert featuring rock and pop legends. This month's showcase features Bob Dylan's 30th Anniversary Concert where the leaders in the music industry paid homage to one of the greatest singer-songwriters in history. The massive all-star tribute in New York features such highly esteemed artists as Neil Young, George Harrison, Eric Clapton and Stevie Wonder.



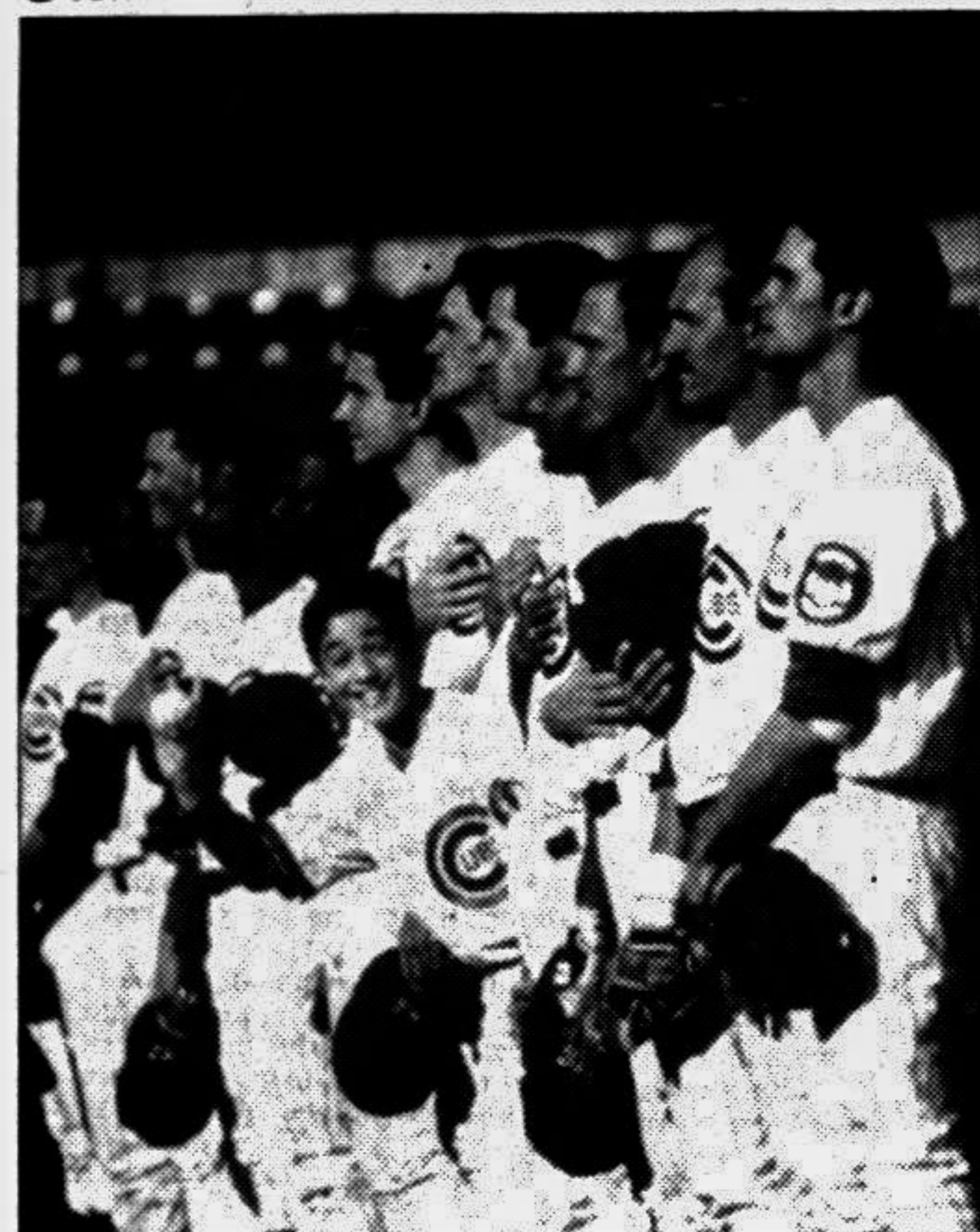
**The Movie**  
Die Hard with a Vengeance  
August 1st at 10:00 pm on Star Movies  
The third in this spectacularly successful action series sees Bruce Willis reprising his role as detective John McClane, this time in the heart of New York City. A malevolent genius named Simon is seeking a personal and mysterious revenge against McClane. He forces the tough cop to play an extremely deadly game. The stakes: New York City itself. Willis' co-stars include Samuel L. Jackson and Jeremy Irons.



**The Drama**  
Buddhu  
August 4th at Mahila Samity at 7 pm  
Moller's classic comedy  
The play is a Dhaka Nattaym production, translated by Abdul Halim Aziz

## Satellite TV MUST WATCH

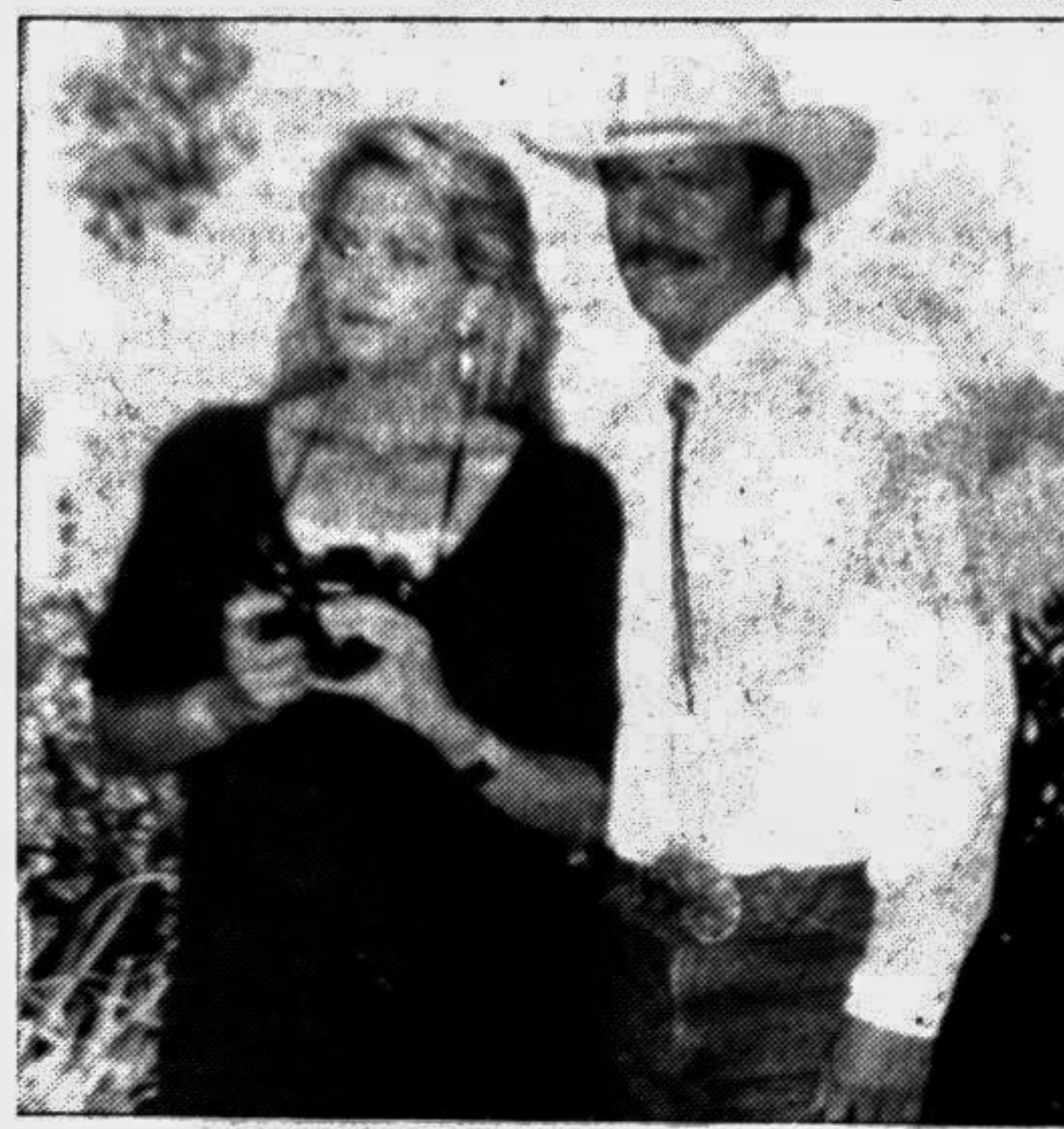
### Star Movies



Rookie of the Year, 3 August at 10:00 pm



Home Alone 2: Lost in New York, 4 August at 10:00 pm



Danielle Steel's Padomino, 7 August at 10:00 pm

### Star Plus



Mystery Movies: Kavanagh Q C-Ancient History, 2 August at 12:30 pm

**Chicago Hope**  
August 4, 10:30 on Star Plus  
In Sexual Perversity in Chicago Hope, a woman accuses a doctor of raping her.  
Dr Kyle Mitchell enters the emergency room with a knife protruding from his back. Walters rushes to his aid. Moments later, Megan Stanard walks inside the hospital in a state of shock. She claims Mitchell raped her. Detective Coleman questions Megan about the incident. Megan describes how she let Mitchell, a stranger, drive her home from a bar. When they were alone in the apartment, Megan claims the doctor forced himself on her. But a rape kit analysis turns up inconclusive.

**Shack's Above and Beyond**  
August 5, 10:30 on Star Plus  
In "Tell Our Moms We Done Our Best", when a ceasefire unravels, the 58th is assigned to protect a ship filled with prisoners of war.

Aboard the Saratoga, Earth's leaders prepare peace talk negotiations with a Chig envoy part of the enemy. Part of the enemy's list of demands include the CEO of Aerotech, E. Alan Wayne, attend the meetings. But Rabwin, Admiral Stenner, and Ross are pleased to learn that the aliens will turn over a group of Earth prisoners of war once the talks begin...

**Allo Allo**  
August 6, 10:00 AM on Star Plus  
Rene is still harbouring the German Enigma Coding Machine as well as the four bars of gold he has stolen; the two British airmen; the painting of the Fallen Madonna by Von Clomp; and the painting of the Cracked Vase with the Big Daisies by Van Gogh. So the cafe is rather full, and as the story progresses it becomes positively crowded...

**Are You Being Served?**  
August 7, 10:00 AM on Star Plus  
In It Pays To Advertise, young Mr Grace decides that an advertising film should be made for showing at local cinemas.

### Channel V



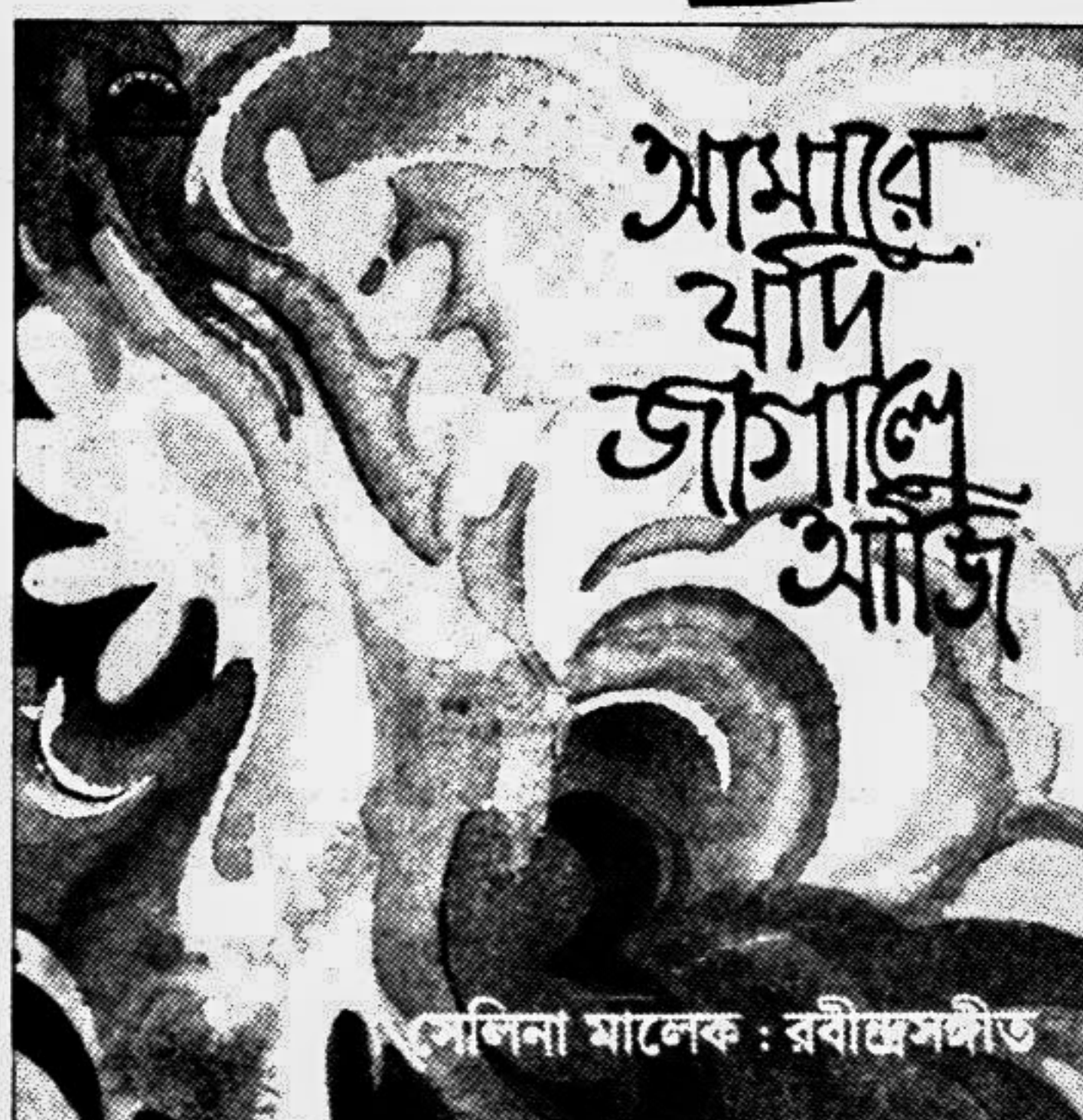
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**[V] HS Featuring the Rolling Stones**  
Saturday at 4:30 on Channel V  
Channel [V] takes viewers through a video chronology of some of the biggest artists in the industry today. This week VJ Alessandra takes an in-depth look into the musical career one of the longest surviving rock 'n' roll bands in music history, The Rolling Stones. Travel back in time to their earliest hits like Angie, Start Me Up to their more recent hits such as Wild Horses.

**[V] HS Michael Jackson**  
Sunday at 4:30 on Channel V  
Channel [V] dedicates Sunday's [V] HS to the King of Pop: Michael Jackson. [V] HS takes a retrospective look at Jackson's innovative videos that changed the industry from Thriller to Smooth Criminal from the short film Moon Walker. Also featured will be the big budget video: Scream with his sister Janet and You Are Not Alone with his ex-wife Lisa Marie Presley, which became the first single in the history of Billboard that a single debuted at number 1.

**[V] Mainstage: Radiohead**  
Sunday 3rd at 10:00 on Channel V  
Join Radiohead band members Thom Yorke, Jon Greenwood, Ed O'Brien, Phil Selway and Colin Greenwood on stage this week for [V] Mainstage. Catch the English band for a stunning rendition of their cult classic from early nineties — the unforgettable Creep.

## Cassettes & CDs



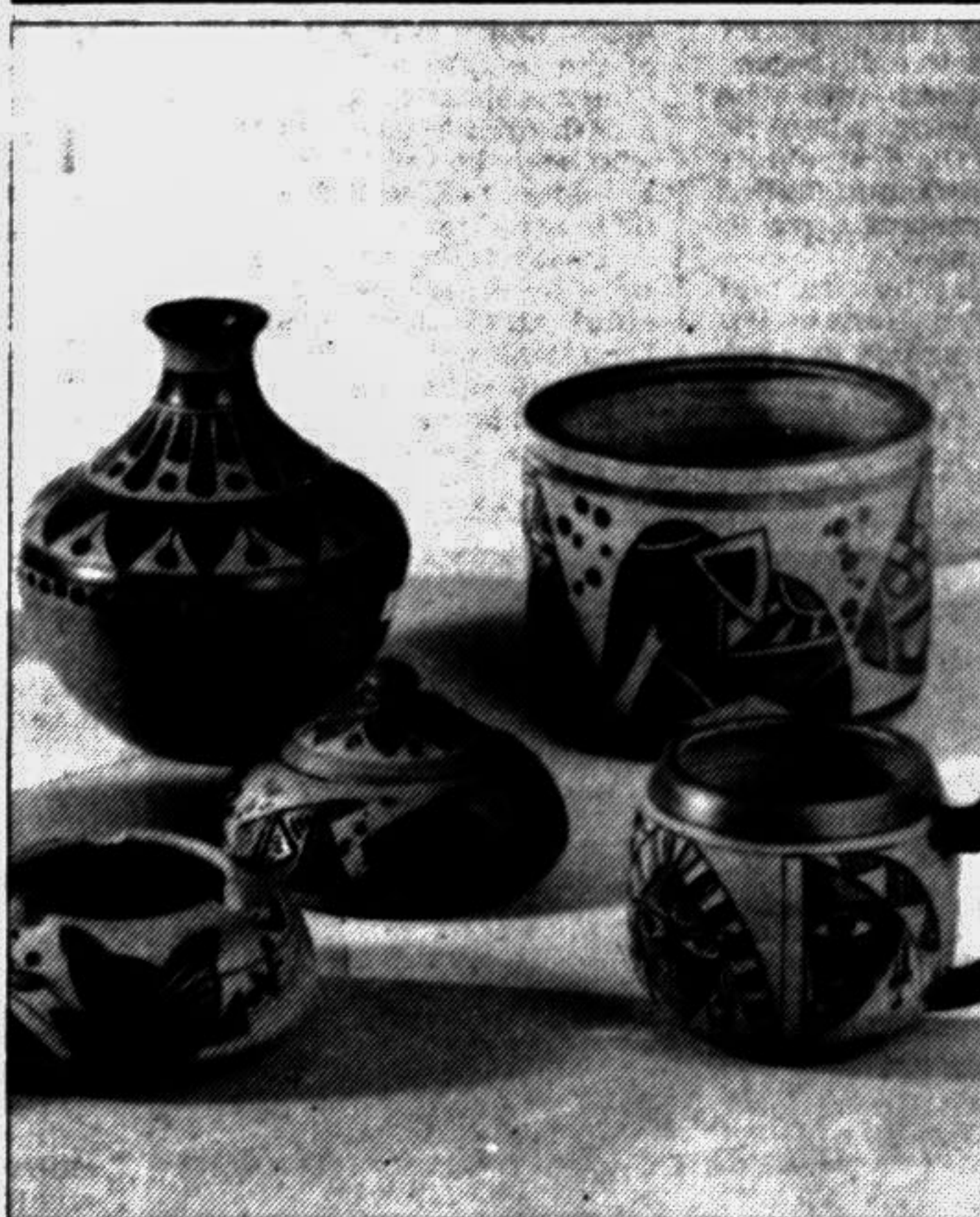
**Amare Jodi Jagale Aji**  
A collection of Tagore Songs Singer: Selina Malek An Anandadhara Production  
Price: Tk 350  
Courtesy: Pathak Shamabesh



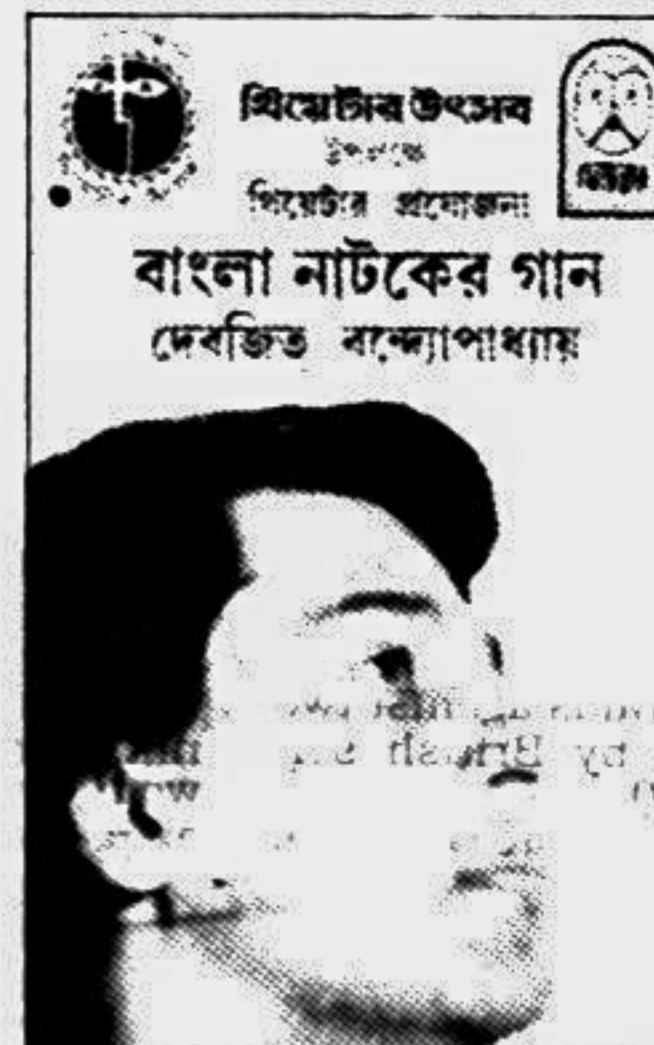
**Shunoo Tomar Amrito Bani**  
Singer: Nilufar Yasmin  
A collection of compositions by Atul Prasad, Rajnikant and Dwijendralal.  
Price: Tk 60

**Biraher Dingulo**  
A Bengali Foundation Production  
Modern Songs  
Singers: Selim Khan, Jewel, Biplob, Moni, Mehedi, Mitak, Pyal, Altat Babu, Tojo, Raja, Anis.  
A Commitment Production  
Price: Tk 35

## Shopping



**Ideas' idea**  
"Ideas" — a gift shop, a small treasure mine for exquisite handicrafts. This shop specializes particularly on ceramic pottery and terra-cotta jewelries. The pots are wonderfully embellished with intricate motifs from the traditional rural arts. Bags (made of jute, coarse fabric) in smart and attractive shapes, handmade paper items, lamp shades are also on display along with an attractive array of odd little articles (straw hat, pen holder, etc) studded with eye-catching arrangements of dried-flower. Terra-cotta murals are also available on order.  
Nipa Khaleel, one of the owners, runs the shop herself. Beaming with a friendly smile, she is always at the customer's service with an commendable efficiency.  
Address: Ideas, 60 Aziz Co-op Market, Ground Floor, Shahbag, Dhaka-1000.



**Songs from Bengali Drama**  
Singer: Devajit Banerji  
A Theater Production  
Price: Tk 60  
Courtesy of Pathak Samabesh

**Yuddha**  
Prometheus  
A Soundtech Production  
Price: Tk 350  
Courtesy: Shurer Meia Aziz Co-operative Super Market Shahbag, Dhaka-1000

## New Books



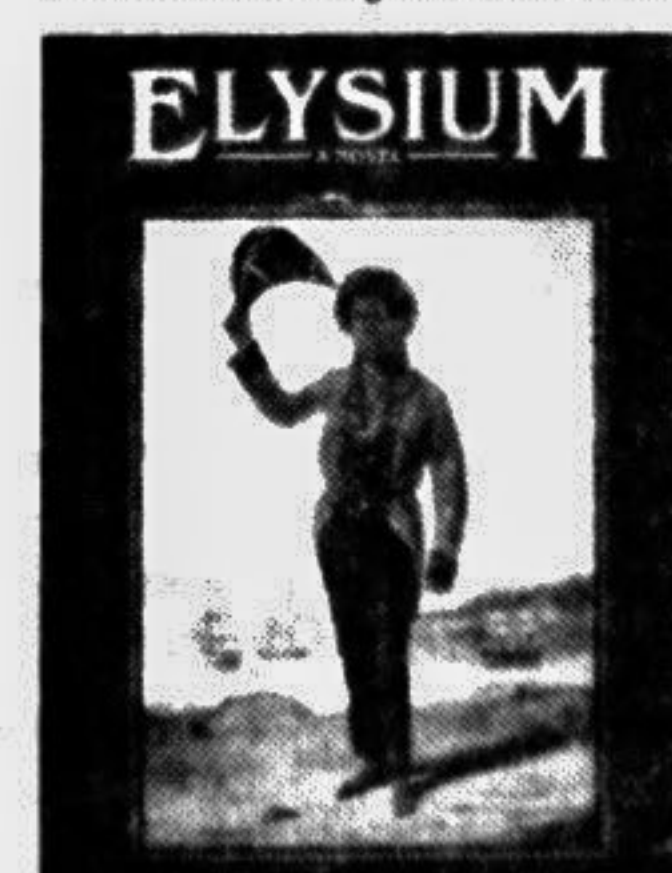
**Hanif Kureishi The Black Album**  
By the author of The Buddha of Suburbia  
Author: Hanif Kureishi  
Publisher: Indiana  
Price: Tk 365

Following his own tradition Kureishi once again lends a vivid insight into urbane British society and the denegerating pop culture. Sparkling with extraordinary characters this book is a must read for those given to serious reading.



**Whats Up God?**  
A Romance of the Apocalypse  
Author: Simon Louvish  
Price: Tk 665

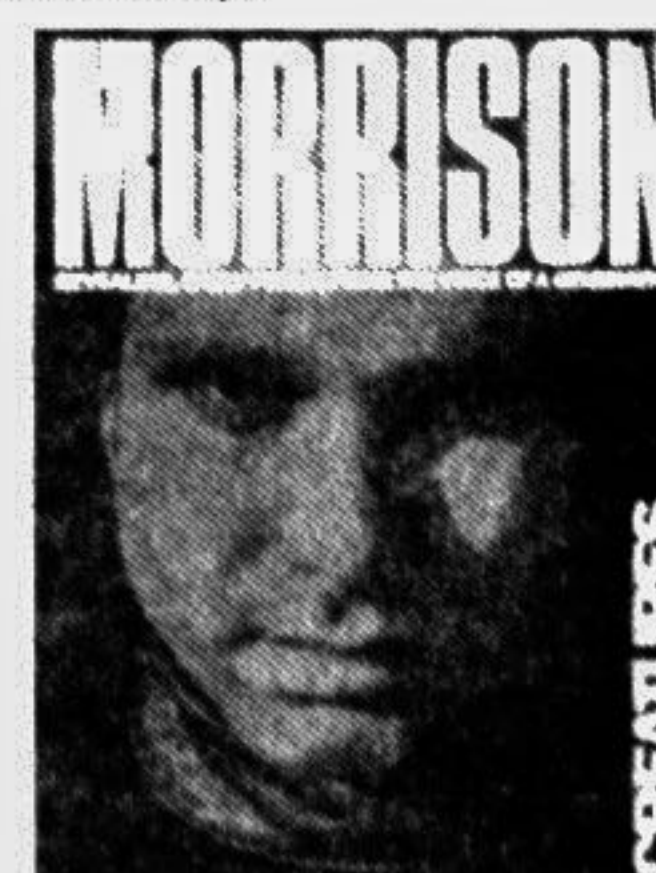
Simon at his acerbic best as he draws upon biblical allusions viciously and effectively in writing his latest satire on modern-day living. New York Times states "Mr. Louvish has enough combustible talent to earn the comparisons with Joseph Heller, Kurt Vonnegut and Swift that have come his way..."



**Elysium**  
A Novel  
Author: Robert Edric  
Publisher: Duckworth  
Price: Tk 665

The theme of clash of cultures or rather the conflict between savage and civilized customs is painstakingly evoked in this novel through the encounter of a Tasmanian aborigine and an English scientist. What follows is a touching tale of disillusionment, turmoil, disaster and eventually the destruction of the protagonists.

The books are available at Pathak Samabesh, Aziz Super Market, Shahbag



**The Lords and the New Creatures**  
Author: Jim Morrison (The Legendary Singer/Composer)  
Publisher: Simon & Schuster  
Price: Tk 520

"Morrison's first published volume of poetry, is an unbridled exploration of society's dark side — drugs, sex, fame, and death — captured in sensual, seething images..."

## Spotlight



**Mamu's Second**  
Another art exhibition is coming your way featuring a wonderful ensemble of paintings by artist Mohammed Fokhrul Islam. Fokhrul is lovingly called Mamu in the artists circle. This is Mamu's second appearance in artform. The show launches on August 1st and remains open from 5 pm to 8 pm daily till the 10th of August.  
Venue: Alliance Francaise de Dhaka, Dhanmondi 3, Mirpur Road, Dhaka.

## Exhibitions

### Images from the past

The dominant impression the paintings of Sunil Rorjan Howlader give is a sense of place. This is the place to which one belongs. In real terms, the place is a village with living people, houses and a quiet and unassuming life-style; or may be this is a village with all the images frozen in the past. Sunil's 2nd solo opens at Gallery Tone on 7 August. Inauguration performed at 6 pm on Thursday, the 10-day long show will remain open from 10 am-8 pm everyday until 16 August.



### Touch of the gentle hand

Whatever you dump thinking of it fit for trash can, can be a piece of art by the gentle touch of Ferdousy Priyabhashini's hand. Give her a woodpiece; and she with a minimum of effort would bring out an embracing couple hidden in nature. Priyabhashini's 5th solo show of drift-wood works opens today at the gallery of Dhaka Art Centre 964/2, Lake Circus (Dolphin Golf), at 5:00 pm. The exposition runs till 9th of this month, everyday from 3-8 pm.