

PEARL JAM ADDICTION

The day before we ran up this interview, we had a schedule clash as Amanda was on her way out to see Pearl Jam - the day after I was curious (or jealous perhaps) as to what she made of it. I haven't seen Pearl Jam for years.

"I adore Eddie Vedder's voice. It's manly but beautiful and the songs are so well written. So many of their tracks have good memories for me, or relevance to mine and many people's lives. I guess I just grew up, enjoying their music among other bands of that era and to get to see them in the UK was the opportunity of a lifetime. I haven't really wanted to go to a gig for a long time. I've been immersed in work. I'd really like to see Primus and I'm a total idiot, for not having seen the Foo Fighters yet. Alice in Chains and Faith No More are also on the to do list, but kids and tattooing are my priority right now. The Pearl Jam gig in Manchester was absolutely perfect though..."