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Craig Goldy will be best known to most people as the guitarist in Giuffria and Dio. Most recently he has been part of Dio Disciples and the band Resurrection Kings who released their self titled debut album through Frontiers on 29th January. I chatted to Craig at his home in California via Skype on 21st January and talked about the new album, Dio Disciples, another of his bands called Endangered Species, his memories of Lemmy, being part of Budgie and more! We recorded this just a few days before the sad news about the death of his former Dio colleague Jimmy Bain.

The interview was part of the Friday NI Rocks Show that was broadcast on Friday 29th January and which also included an interview with Mat Sinner from Primal Fear. This Show is now available via our MixCloud site- <https://www.mixcloud.com/NIrocks/ni-rocks-interviews-with-craig-goldy-mat-sinner-on-the-friday-ni-rocks-show-29th-jan-2016/>

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The album 'Resurrection Kings' by Dio is a concept album that tells the story of a man who is resurrected after being killed. The album features a mix of heavy metal and hard rock sounds, with Dio's signature raspy vocals. The artwork is a classic example of Dio's dark, gothic style. The album was released in 1986 and has since become a cult classic among heavy metal fans.

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NI ROCKS - You're also a member of a band called Endangered Species. I'd noticed that the band's Facebook page had been a little quiet recently but I also noticed a post from drummer Chris Moore saying that we might hear more this year. Anything you can tell us?
CRAIG GOLDY - I've been busy with Dio and Resurrection Kings. I haven't had much time to spend on Endangered Species. I've been playing live with them for a while now and it's been a great experience. I've also been working on some new material for the band. I think we might have something to announce in the near future. I'll be sure to let you know as soon as I can.

