## The final countdown begins: SLAYER announces The Final Campaign The last leg of its Farewell World Tour

## with Primus, Ministry, and Philip H. Anselmo & The Illegals

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COLORADO SPRINGS (July 9, 2019) — On Saturday, November 2, Slayer - Tom Araya/bass and vocals, Kerry King/guitars, Gary Holt/guitars, and Paul Bostaph/ drums - will set off on *The Final Campaign*, the seventh and final leg of its farewell world tour. This last hurrah will start at the Explore Asheville Arena in Asheville, North Carolina, and see the band taking its goodbye bow at the Los Angeles Forum on Saturday, November 30. **The tour will stop in Colorado Springs at The Broadmoor World Arena on Wednesday, November 20.** 

Accompanying Slayer for this last ride are Primus, Ministry and Philip H. Anselmo & The Illegals performing a vulgar display of Pantera.

Tickets go on sale this **Friday**, **July 12 at 10 a.m. local**; limited VIP packages will be available. All tickets can be purchased at The Broadmoor World Arena box office, <u>BroadmoorWorldArena.com</u>, <u>AXS.com</u> or via phone at (719) 520-SHOW.

Slayer's Final World Tour began on May 10, 2018, with the band's intention to play as many places as possible to make it easy for the fans to see one last Slayer show and say goodbye. By the time the 18-month trek wraps on November 30, the band will have completed seven tour legs plus a series of one-off major summer festivals, performing more than 140 shows in 30 countries and 40 U.S. states.

Slayer's Final World Tour has been a wild ride. Three bus drivers, four truck drivers, and a crew of 32 have traveled all over the world to set the stage for this farewell. At most shows, Slayer's pyro expert set off 160 pounds of propane and 10 liters of 99% isopropyl alcohol, prompting the *Phoenix New Times* reviewer to comment on the "eyebrow-singeing pyrotechnics that could be felt even 10 rows behind the pit."

Guy D'Astolfo with the Youngstown *Vindicator* ended his review with this: "After the final note, Tom Araya stood alone, scanning the crowd...forging a mental imprint of the moment. After a minute or two, he went to the microphone and said, 'I'm going to miss you guys.' Then he exited and the lights went up."

For more information about The Final Campaign tour and its stop at The Broadmoor World Arena on November 20, please visit <u>Slayer.net</u> or <u>BroadmoorWorldArena.com</u>.

"If Slayer does retire, there will never be a replacement, and there will never be anyone like them ever again."

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