



MC Hammer and Tone Loc

The Table Mountain Concert Series Presented by Bud Light, Toyota & Comcast

The Big Fresno Fair is proud to welcome pop rap icon, **MC Hammer** and **Tone Loc** on **Monday, October 12th** to the Paul Paul Theater. MC Hammer is noted as one of the founders of pop rap, best known for his 1980's dance moves, infamous Hammer pants and his catchy, feel-good beats. With MC Hammer is Tone Loc; a chart topping 80's rapper best known for his platinum hits "Wild Thing" and "Funky Cold Medina." This former Grammy award nominee has used his signature, gravelly voice to generate successful careers in both rapping and acting. MC Hammer and Tone Loc on one stage for this year's Fair; its definitely a performance you don't want to miss!

Hammer's illustrious career has been filled with numerous accomplishments including being named as the number seven dancer of all time, a platinum album, two double platinum albums, one triple platinum album and one diamond platinum album. Hammer's first album, *Feel My Power*, was independently released in 1987 and drew record labels attention for his unique sound and exceptional dance abilities. Hammer signed with Capital Records in 1988, releasing *Let's Get It Started*, a triple platinum album, making him a performing sensation. Among Hammer's greatest hits are "U Can't Touch This," "Too Legit 2 Quit" and "Turn this Mutha Out." Soon, there were MC Hammer dolls, lunch boxes and even a cartoon show, *Hammerman*, which mimicked the superstar.

Some could say that dancing has always been a part of Hammer's life. Growing up, Stanley Kirk Burrell, better known by his stage names MC Hammer or Hammer, had big aspirations of being a professional baseball player and could often be found outside the stadium dancing to earn enough money to attend games. It was his stint as the Oakland A's batboy where he received the nickname Hammer. It was Hammer's service in the Navy where he earned the title "MC" for Master of Ceremonies.

Don't miss your chance to see the legendary **MC Hammer** and **Tone Loc** in concert at The Big Fresno Fair on **Monday, October 12th**.



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