

## Quotes on Larry Coryell

"Probably the most adventurous, daring and exciting guitarist playing rock or jazz is Larry Coryell." -- **East Village Other (1969)**

"...without question the most inventive and original guitarist to appear since Charlie Christian." -- **New Yorker / Whitney Balliet (1969)**

"It is super rock, and may be one of the most important things to happen to rock this year." -- **New York Times / Mike Kahn (1969)**

"He is now a guitar player's guitar player" -- **Bob Palmer (1971)**

"Coryell is perhaps the most original guitarist around... Lord, the wonderfully fresh things he plays!" -- **Down Beat (1978)**

"the stormmaker" -- **Gary Giddins (1978)**

"...high volume and fast fingerwork..." -- **The Rolling Stone Encyclopedia of Rock & Roll (1983)**

"Though Larry Coryell is one of the most creative and accomplished modern electric guitarists, he has never been as popular as many less capable but better promoted musicians." -- **The Rolling Stone Jazz Record Guide (1985)**

"...high velocity runs with heavy-metal chord patterns." -- **The Rolling Stone Jazz Record Guide (1985)**

"...beautiful, intelligent music with guts and urgency." -- **The Rolling Stone Jazz Record Guide (1985)**

"Coryell has marvelous skills; he can play entrancing melodies, lightning fast phrases, spectacular solos or soothing statements. He's equally masterful on electric or acoustic, and has creatively used wah-wah pedals, attachments, distortion, dissonance and feedback." -- **All-Music Guide / Ron Wynn**

"A major player on the scene for the past 30 years, he has earned critical accolades and the respect of his contemporaries while influencing a generation of guitar players with his combination of blazing speed, unerring sense of swing, taste, finesse and a brilliant, blues-inspired style." -- **Shanachi Records (1996)**

