

# LACHRYMATOR

A lachrymator is a tear inducer. Lachrymal gland = tear gland. Lachrymose - weeping or inclined to weep; tearful. The chemical that is released while cutting onions is a lachrymator. Pepper spray is a lachrymator. A metal band that plays devastating riffs that tear through your eardrums and make you cry like a baby is called LACHRYMATOR.

So he quoth, "...and so the heavens parted, and a great voice rang from above. It was the voice of the almighty god Lachrŷmator; divine ruler of the land west of Instru-Mætel and east of the Mountains of Riffäge. And the Lachrŷmator imparted upon all the Hessians to headbang that we may live, and the people screamed at the Lachrŷmator's power to play complicated guitar riffs, and some of the women among us fainted. And the drums began, and our land was never the same again..." Alas, I thought, is the omniscient god Lachrŷmator a mere myth of mortals, or does he walk among us? If it is true, you shall suffer great folly, would that you miss the Lachrŷmator's divine appearance.

- Julianne Shepherd