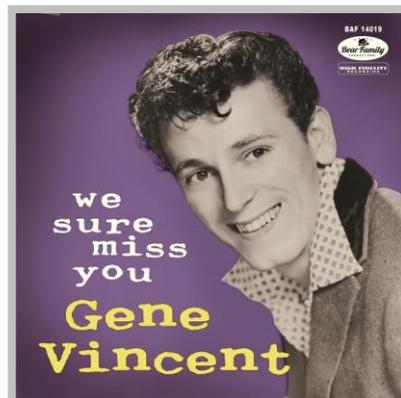


# BEAR FAMILY RECORDS



PRODUCTINFO (Vinyl) September 3, 2021

Artist **Gene Vincent**  
Title **We Sure Miss You**  
Label Bear Family Productions  
Catalog no. BAF14019 Price code: BAFX  
EAN-Code 5397102140198  
Format 10" vinyl LP (25 cm), 45 rpm, with 12-page booklet and bonus CD  
Genre Rock 'n' Roll  
No. of tracks 12 (LP) / 34 (CD) approx. 28:00 min. (LP) / 79:00 min. (CD)  
Release date September 3, 2021



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## INFO:

- Bear Family Records® releases an LP/CD combination in commemoration of the 50th anniversary of the passing of the great Gene Vincent, 'The Cat Man'!
- In his time, he influenced the international, and especially the British, music scene like no other.
- Between 1956 and 1961, eight of his songs entered the British Top 40!
- For the Teddy Boy movement he was and remains an idol!
- For this 10inch LP, Bear Family has compiled eleven of his timeless rockers plus the ballad *I Sure Miss You*.
- The bonus CD delivers 22 more highlights from 1956 - 1958, including rare recordings.
- Detailed liner notes by Marc Mittelacher in the large format illustrated booklet.

With *Be-Bop-A-Lula*, recorded on May 4, 1956, the artist - born in Virginia in 1935 - has become an immortal rockabilly idol on both sides of the Atlantic. Gene Vincent belongs to the elite circle of the greatest and most influential musicians of his era. His appearance in the film 'The Girl Can't Help It' made him known beyond the hard core of rockabilly fans to a wider audience.

When, after several successes, his star began to wane in the U.S., he toured Europe several times starting in 1959, delighting audiences in Great Britain in particular. He became a revered idol for the Teddy Boy movement that emerged in the early 1950s in the UK!

Gene Vincent died on October 12, 1971 at the young age of 36, apparently as a result of years of alcohol consumption and drug abuse. Posthumously, he was inducted into the Rock 'n' Roll Hall of Fame and the Rockabilly Hall of Fame. With his death, the music world lost one of the great stars of his era.

Half a century has passed since his death, but his fans still worship him like an ambassador from the Olympus of Rock & Roll. Bear Family Records® would like to commemorate a pioneering rockabilly musician with this LP/CD combination. Stefan Kohne and Nico Feuerbach have selected eleven of his best rockers plus the sensitive ballad *I Sure Miss You* - which was also the foundation for the album title - for the vinyl album. The jam-packed CD contains 22 further highlights, including rare live recordings from the fifties and songs by Blue Caps members Cliff Gallup, Dickie Harrell and Johnny Meeks, among others. The large-format and illustrated booklet contains extensive liner notes by Marc Mittelacher.

## TRACKLISTING:

### Side A:

Well, I Knocked Bim Bam Be-Bop-A-Lula Teenage Partner (version 1) Pretty, Pretty Baby  
Who Slapped John Flea Brain

### Side B:

Bluejean Bop B-I-Bickey-Bi Bo Bo Go Rollin' Danny Crazy Legs Dance To The Bop I Sure Miss You

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## CD:

Well, I Knocked Bim Bam      Be-Bop-A-Lula      Teenage Partner (version 1)      Pretty, Pretty Baby      Who Slapped John  
Flea Brain      Bluejean Bop      B-I-Bickey-Bi Bo Bo Go      Rollin' Danny      Crazy Legs      Dance To The Bop      I Sure Miss You  
Cat Man      Race With The Devil      You Better Believe      Important Words      **Radio Station Wkbh:** Gene Giving Station Ident For Radio  
Station, Wkbh, Milwaukee, Wisconsin      Lotta Lovin'      Bop Street      Pink Thunderbird      Wedding Bells (Are Breaking Up That Old Gang  
Of Mine)      You Told A Fib      Blues Stay Away From Me      Gonna Back Up Baby      You'll Never Walk Alone      **Scotty McKay:** Midnight  
Cryin' Time      **Paul Peek:** The Rock-A-Round      **The Four Dots feat. Johnny Meeks:** Don't Wake Up The Kids      **Dickie Harrell:** Goon Bat  
**Tommy Facenda:** Little Baby      **The Phelps Brothers feat. Cliff Gallup:** Hot Time In Nashville      Be-Bop-A-Lula (Alan Freed Show - live)  
Hound Dog (Alan Freed Show - live)      For Your Precious Love (Town Hall Party 1958 - live)

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**The Cat Called Domino**

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**Draggin' With Curtis Gordon**

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**Taylor Made**

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**The Mystery Of Dennis Herrold**

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