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ARTIST
TITLE

Billy Riley
The Mojo Albums, plus

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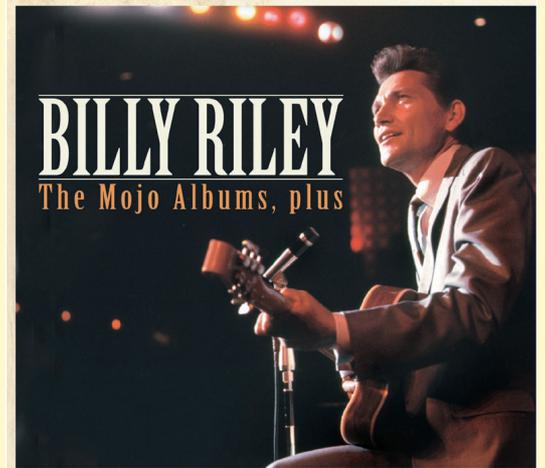
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1 CD digipac with 32-page booklet
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- Both of Riley's rare and sought-after Mojo albums available now for the first time in 30 years.
- The 'Vintage' rock'n'roll album features rockabilly legend Larry Donn whose red-hot rockin' piano helps Riley rip through ten rock'n'roll classics in half an hour. Way to go!
- 'Southern Soul At The Brave-Falcon' serves up another 12 hypnotic tracks in a visceral, bluesy set of shuffling, rocking rhythms. You can practically smell the magnolia.
- Also includes the rare Mojo single as by Skip Wiley and a clutch of unissued tracks including a longer version of the *Chuck Berry Medley*.

INFORMATION

The late Billy Lee Riley was one of the titanic but unsung pioneers of rock'n'roll. He was better looking than Carl Perkins, his multi-instrumental ability surpassed Elvis's, his confidence equalled Jerry Lee Lewis's. And he was important to SUN RECORDS in ways other were not. Riley's musicians, co-opted as studio session-men, plotted the course of rock'n'roll as much as many a more celebrated band.

Like the household names, Riley had a life after SUN and this 29-track CD contains two diverse but equally versatile albums made some 14 years apart. 'Vintage', from 1980, is a solid, renascent set of immortal rock'n'roll classics inspired by the renewed European interest in rockabilly and Sun Records. Then there's 'Southern Soul At The Brave-Falcon' which features R&B standards, Top 40 tunes and Riley's own songs in a live nightclub recording which captures the best sounds of the era. It's sexy, blues 'n' boogie based soulful music and when Riley hollers "*Do the Temptation Walk*" it's the mid-60s all over again.

As BEAR FAMILY always goes that extra, obsessional mile, we've included a longer undubbed version of the *Chuck Berry Medley*, several other previously unissued performances and a rare Mojo single issued under the pseudonym of Skip Wiley.



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TRACK LISTING

Good Rockin' Tonight • Great Balls Of Fire • Be Bop A Lula • Go Go Go • Rock And Roll Music • Shake, Rattle And Roll • Mean Woman Blues • I'm In Love Again • You're My Baby • Sweet Little Sixteen • Twist And Shout • Poor Side Of Town • In The Midnight Hour • Michael • Speed Lovers • Chuck Berry Medley (Johnny B. Goode/Thirty Days/Roll Over Beethoven) • Long Time Man • Susie Q • Nowhere Man • Barefootin' • I Washed My Hand In Muddy Waters • Southern Soul (That Soul Song?) • Barefootin' (f/s undubbed alternative) • Barefootin' (undubbed alternative) • Long Time Man • Medley: Twist And Shout/Annie Had A Baby • Chuck Berry Medley (Johnny B. Goode/Thirty Days/Roll Over Beethoven) (complete version) • Fast Livin' (as Skip Wiley) • Hill Country Music (as Skip Wiley)

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CD 2: She's My Baby [Red Hot] (alt-1) • She's My Baby [Red Hot] (alt-2) • Red Hot (alt-3) • Red Hot (alt-4) • Red Hot (alt-5) • Red Hot (alt-6) • Red Hot (alt-7) • Red Hot (alt-8) • Red Hot (alt-9) • Wouldn't You Know (alt-1) • Baby Please Don't Go (incomplete alt-1) • No Name Girl (alt-1) • No Name Girl (alt-2) • No Name Girl (alt-3) • No Name Girl (fs-1) • No Name Girl (fs-2, alt-4) • No Name Girl (fs-3, 4, 5, alt-5) • Down By The Riverside (alt-1) • Down By The Riverside (chatter+ alt-2) • Down By The Riverside (fs-1) • Down By The Riverside (chatter+ alt-3) • Down By The Riverside (fs-2) • Down By The Riverside (fs-3,4, alt-4) • Down By The Riverside (fs-5, alt-5) • One More Time (alt-1) • One More Time (alt-2) • One More Time (alt-3) • Got The Water Boiling (chatter + alt-1) • Got The Water Boiling (fs-1) • Got The Water Boiling (chatter + fs-2 + alt-2) • Got The Water Boiling (alt-3) • Got The Water Boiling (chatter + fs-3) • Got The Water Boiling (fs-4) • Got The Water Boiling (chatter+ alt-4) • Got The Water Boiling (alt-5) • Got The Water Boiling (alt-6)