

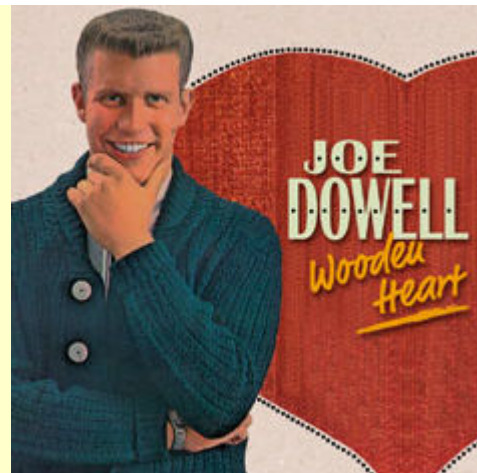


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| ARTIST | Joe Dowell |
| TITLE | Wooden Heart |
| LABEL | Bear Family Records |
| CATALOG # | BCD 16647 |
| PRICE-CODE | AH |
| ISBN-CODE | 3-89916-037-1 |
| EAN-CODE | 4000127166470 |
| FORMAT | CD |
| GENRE | Rock 'n' Roll |
| TRACKS | 34 |
| PLAYING TIME | 78:27 |



SALES NOTES

"If you enjoyed 'Wooden Heart,' Joe Dowell's #1 hit record from the '60s, you'll really like his other, nostalgic-era songs now featured on Bear Family Records." (Pat Boone)

This is absolutely quintessential early Sixties pop. Pop before the loss of innocence. Joe came to Nashville during a school break, and was signed by Mercury Records. He was whisked into the studio, and offered a chance to record a song that Elvis had out on an album ... but not a single. That song was *Wooden Heart*, and it topped the US charts in 1961. His only hit has been anthologized plenty of times, but this is the first CD ever devoted to the Joe Dowell story...and it's an interesting one. Thousands of people who bought Bear Family's '1000 Nadelstiche' series will find that this is an intriguing footnote to that series, and others who simply love early Sixties pop will finally get a chance to hear what else Joe Dowell could do (hint: there are many other German-themed songs). As a bonus, there are two answer songs: Linda Hall's *You Don't Have A Wooden Heart* and Rhea Renee's *I Too Have No Wooden Heart*.

TRACK LISTING

Wooden Heart (English version) - The One I Left For You - Little Bo Beep - Our School Days - The Bridge Of Love - Just Love Me - The Thorn And The Rose - The Sound Of Sadness - Bobby Blue Loves A Linda Lou - My Darling Wears White Today - Absent With A Broken Heart - Bringa-Branga Brought - No Secret - Poor Little Cupid - When You Fall In Love - Dancing Doll - The One I Left For You - Little Red Rented Rowboat - Lilli Marlene (Lady Of The Lamplight) - Auf Wiederseh'n, Sweetheart - Underneath A Linden Tree - Nur einmal (Only Once) - Morgen - Wooden Heart (German version) - The Happy Wanderer - Wonderland By Night - Oh! My Papa (O mein Papa) - Gift Of Love - Little Dolly - Fraulein - A Kiss For Christmas (O Tannenbaum) - (I Wonder) Who's Spending Christmas With You BONUS: Rhea Renee: I, Too Have No Wooden Heart - Linda Hall: You Don't Have A Wooden Heart