




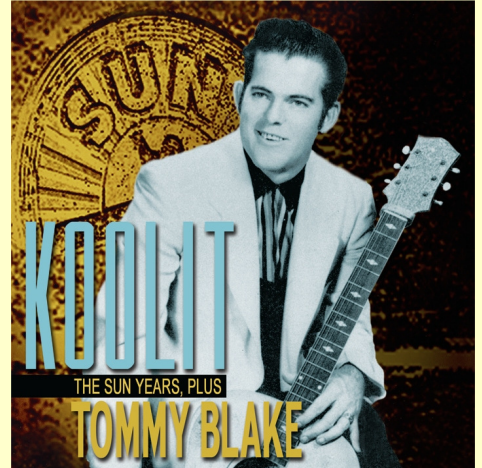
# BEAR FAMILY RECORDS

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SHIPPING DATE: MARCH 19, 2007 (estimated)

STREET DATE: APRIL 02, 2007

ARTIST	TOMMY BLAKE
TITLE	Koolit – The Sun Years, plus
LABEL	Bear Family Records
CATALOG #	BCD 16797
PRICE-CODE	AH
EAN-CODE	 4 000127 167972
ISBN-CODE	978-3-89916-284-4
FORMAT	CD with 36-page booklet
GENRE	Rockabilly / Country
TRACKS	29
PLAYING TIME	64:44



## KEY SELLING POINTS

- Unbelievably rare rockabilly recordings from the golden era...1950s!
- The original demo of *The Story Of A Broken Heart* for Johnny Cash.
- Classics include *\$F-Olding Money* (later recorded by The Fall), *Flat Foot Sam*, *Honky Tonk Mind (The Woman I Need)*, *Koolit*, and many more!
- Another outstanding release from Bear Family.

## SALES NOTES

### Tommy Blake stood where Elvis stood!

- On the stage of the Louisiana Hayride!
- At the legendary Sun Records studio!
- At RCA's Nashville studio!

But, when his recording career ended, too few knew the name Tommy Blake...or any of the other names he recorded under.

This set comprises all of Tommy Blake's rockin'est recordings: his ultra-rare Buddy Records single from 1956; his RCA single and all unissued cuts; his Sun singles and demos that he recorded for Johnny Cash; and his ultra-rare demos of *\$F-Olding Money* and *Cool Gator Shoes* (Britrock fans will remember The Fall's version of *\$F-Olding Money*). This is the first time the story of Tommy Blake's recording career has been told alongside the tragic story of his life, which ended when his second wife shot him in front of the Christmas tree on Christmas Eve 1985!

## TRACK LISTING

1. Flat Foot Sam

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2. Honky Tonk Mind (The Woman I Need)
3. Koolit
4. Freedom
5. All Night Long
6. Shake Around
7. I Dig You Baby
8. Ballad Of A Broken Heart
9. You Better Believe It
10. Mister Hoody
11. Sweetie Pie
12. Diesel Truck
13. Shake Around
14. I Dig You Baby
15. \$ F--olding Money \$
16. Window Of My Heart
17. You Better Believe It
18. Shake Around
19. Chuckie
20. If I'm A Fool
21. Lordy Hoody
22. You Better Believe It
23. Little Lovelight
24. Cool Alligator
25. I Still Love You
26. My Alice Faye
27. I'll Be Free
28. You Better Believe It
29. The Hanging Judge