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ARTIST JOHNNY BOND
TITLE Put Me To Bed

Gonna Shake This Shack Tonight

LABEL Bear Family Records

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FORMAT CD with 28-page booklet
GENRE Country Boogie / Rockabilly

TRACKS 30
PLAYING TIME 71:16



KEY SELLING POINTS

- 1957's rousing The Little Rock Roll
- 4 previous unissued masters
- Swinging performances of Louisiana Swing and I'm Pounding The Rails Again
- Accompaniment by Hollywood's studio aces: Joe Maphis, Wesley Tuttle, Noel Boggs, Jimmy Bryant and Speedy West and by Nashville A-team: Harold Bradley, Grady Martin, Farris Coursey, Bob Moore, and others
- An essay by Packy Smith

SALES NOTES

Laconic, humorous, self-deprecating, and surprisingly hard rockin' Johnny Bond was a west coast country music pioneer, a successful music publisher, and even Tex Ritter's official biographer. Originally from Oklahoma, Johnny had a hard-driving style rooted in western swing. To date, he has been very poorly served by the reissue business. If at all then as a cowboy singer, but Bear Family now remedies that with his first 'Rockin' compilation!

We figured that most fans (especially fans of our 'Gonna Shake This Shack Tonight' series) should hear his 'Rockin' songs, so we've carefully chosen 30 of the best from across Johnny's barnstorming years with Columbia Records in the 1950s! In fact, we've even included some unissued recordings for the diehard collectors who thought they had everything. Johnny's 'Town Hall Party' DVD was an eye-opener, but this puts everything else in the shade.

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TRACK LISTING

- 1. The Little Rock Roll
- 2. Alabama Boogie Boy (1)
- 3. The Son Of Old Casey
- 4. Put A Little Sweetnin' În Your Love
- 5. I'll Be Here (After You're Gone)
- 6. Honky-Tonk Fever
- 7. Fast Women And Sloe Gin
- 8. Livin' It Up
- 9. Keep Your Cotton Pickin' Hands Off My Gal
- 10. Lay It On The Line
- 11. Somebody's Pushin'
- 12. Sale Of Broken Hearts
- 13. That's Just What I'll Do
- 14. Wild Cat Baby
- 15. Don't Take It Away
- 16. Wildcat Boogie
- 17. Broken Doll
- 18. Louisiana Swing
- 19. Number Nine Blues
- 20. All I Can Do Is Cry
- 21. Lonesome Train
- 22. Put Me To Bed
- 23. It Ain't A Gonna Happen To Me
- 24. Tennessee, Kentucky And Alabam'
- 25. Barrel House Bessie
- 26. Bartender's Blues
- 27. Women Make A Fool Out Of Me
- 28. Tennessee Walking Horse
- 29. Put Me To Bed #2
- 30. I'm Pounding The Rails Again