



# BEAR FAMILY RECORDS

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## ARTIST TITLE

**Big Bopper**  
**Hello Baby - You Know What I Like!**  
A wiggle in her walk and a giggle in  
her talk

## LABEL

Bear Family Records

## CATALOG #

BCD 17109

## PRICE-CODE

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978-3-89916-521-0

## FORMAT

1 CD digipac with 52-page booklet

## GENRE

Rock'n'Roll

## TRACKS

31

## PLAYING TIME

73:26



- The ultimate tribute to the artist who died alongside Buddy Holly and Ritchie Valens on 'The Day The Music Died'!
- Includes the all-time smash hit *Chantilly Lace!* Plus the Big Bopper's original version of the hit he wrote for George Jones, *White Lightning*
- Also includes ultra-rare recordings by the Big Bopper – as well as tribute records and sequels by Eddie Cochran, rockabilly legend Ray Campi, and Jayne Mansfield (yes, THAT Jayne Mansfield)

## INFORMATION

When the Big Bopper died in the plane crash that took the lives of Buddy Holly and Ritchie Valens, he'd scored just two hits, but his tragic death on 'The Day The Music Died' ensured his immortality. And it turns out he had a far more interesting career than most one or two hit wonders. For one thing, he wrote several other hits. His original version of George Jones' #1 country hit *White Lightning* is included here (he also wrote but never recorded Johnny Preston's #1 pop hit *Running Bear*). Sadly, he never saw either song top the charts. But this generously full CD includes a lot of Bopper, starting with all known recordings: his unissued-at-the-time first recording from 1954, his fabulously rare early rock 'n' roll singles for Mercury, his original recording of *Chantilly Lace* and the follow-up, and his original LP. But there's more: Big Bopper sequels and tributes include Eddie Cochran's *Three Stars*, Ray Campi's *The Man I Met (A Tribute To The Big Bopper)*, Donna Dameron's sequel, *Bopper 486009*, and even Jayne Mansfield's *Chantilly Lace* spin-off, *That Makes It*. Add to that, rare and unpublished photos from the Big Bopper's family as well as the first comprehensive biography by Johnette Duff.

## TRACK LISTING

Chantilly Lace • Little Red Riding Hood • Big Bopper's Wedding • Pink Petticoats • Strange Kisses • Preacher And The Bear • It's The Truth Ruth (version 2) • Walking Through My Dreams (version 2) • Purple People Eater Meets The Witch Doctor • White Lightning • The Clock • Old Maid • One More Chance • It's The Truth Ruth (version 1) • Walking Through My Dreams (version 1) • That's What I'm Talking About • Someone Watching Over You (version 2) • Monkey Song (You Made A Monkey Out Of Me) • A Teen-Age Moon • Beggar To A King • Crazy Blues • Someone Watching Over You (version 1) • Bopper's Boogie Woogie • GORDON RITTER: Purple People Eater Meets The Witch Doctor • DONNA DAMERON: Bopper 486009 • RAY CAMPI: The Man I Met (A Tribute To The Big Bopper) • EDDIE COCHRAN: Three Stars • JAYNE MANSFIELD: That Makes It • DON TERRY: She Giggles • BILL KIM-BROUGH: Chantilly Lace Cha Cha • GORDON RITTER: Sweet Lips

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