BEAR FAMILY RECORDS



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Artist Ed Bruce

Title See The Big Man Cry

The complete SUN and Wand recordings from 1957 - 65, plus...

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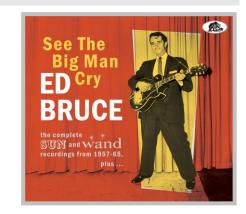
Format 1-CD (Digipak) with 32-page booklet Genre Rockabilly, Country, Country Soul

No. of tracks 30 approx. 79:00 min.

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INFO:

- Bear Family presents 'See The Big Man Cry The complete SUN and Wand recordings from 1957 65, plus...', the first complete CD collection of Ed Bruce's outstanding early recordings from 1956 to 1965.
- During that time he recorded for Sun Records, RCA Victor, TransSonic, Wand and Apt Records, among others.
- All titles have not been re-released on CD until now!
- Including several recordings initially left forgotten in the Sun archives.
- In the U.S. Ed Bruce was best known for TV shows and movies and as a country singer in later years in Europe he is recognized for his great mix of rockabilly, country and country soul.
- Extensive liner notes in the richly illustrated booklet.
- Wherever possible, like in the case of RCA and Wand, we have dubbed from digital copies of the original masters!

While American audiences know him best as a craggy, calm presence in countless TV shows and films (with an emphasis on Westerns) from the 1980s on, dedicated rockabilly fans are more liable to be aware of Ed Bruce's recorded legacy. He debuted in 1957 as a fresh-faced teenaged rocker at Sun Records billed as Edwin Bruce with the classic *Rock Boppin' Baby*, and proceeded to cut for RCA Victor, Wand, and a couple of smaller concerns before finally notching his first country chart entry a full decade later. 'See The Big Man Cry' contains everything Edwin released during his first burst of studio activity, including obscure one-off singles for TransSonic and Apt. There are also 10 sides that Sun didn't see fit to release at the time, including *Eight Wheel Driver*, *Baby That's Good* and *Doll Baby*. Bruce died January 6, 2021, and 'See The Big Man Cry' stands as a fitting 30-song tribute to the late singer/actor's fascinating early years on record.

TRACKLISTING:

CD:

Rock Boppin' Baby King Of Fools - 1 More Than Yesterday Eight Wheel Driver Ballad Of Ringo Just Being With You Alone With A Broken Heart You Come To Me Sweet Woman Baby That's Good Part Of My Life Sweet Woman **Doll Baby** King Of Fools - 2 Flight 303 Spun Gold It's Coming To Me I Won't Cry Anymore The Workingman's Prayer The Greatest Man Don't Let It Happen See The Big Man Cry You Need A New Love (And Then) He Gave Her To Me If I Never Get To Heave I'm Gonna Have A Party Half A Love Ebb Tide Unbreakable Heart Tommy Roe: Save Your Kisses

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