BEAR FAMILY RECORDS

PRODUCTINFO (CD) May 5, 2023

Artist	Ricky Shayne	
Title	One Of The Mods	
	The Complete Recordings from 1966-67 plus	
Label	Bear Family Records	
Catalog no.	BCD17680	Price code: AR
EAN-Code	4000127176806	
Format	1-CD (Digipak) with 36-page booklet	
Genre	Rock 'n' Roll, Beat, Schlager	
No. of tracks	29	approx. 75:00 min.
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- Long overdue: A CD showcase with early, kick-ass rock 'n' roll and Beat music made by Ricky Shayne and his band, The Skylarks, now appears on Bear Family Records[®]!
- The CD album delivers all the Italian recordings from 1966/67 for RCA Italiana and its Arc sub-label, including the complete Arc LP 'Ricky Shayne and The Skylarks'.
- In addition, there are six songs from 1968, released at the time on Miura, including *La Catena*, the Italian version of *Ich sprenge alle Ketten* all on CD for the first time!
- Three German RCA recordings from 1968 as a bonus: Ich sprenge alle Ketten, Du bist zu schön um allein zu sein and Ich kann bei Mädchen keine Tränen seh'n as well as a tribute to Elvis, Chicago (In The Ghetto) from 1969.
- The accompanying book provides trilingual liner notes (English, German, Italian) by 'Jamboree Magazine' editor Maurizio Maiotti.
- Mastered from the best possible original sources.

George Albert Tabett - better known as Ricky Shayne - was born in Cairo in 1944, moved to Paris with his mother in 1959, took singing lessons and eventually moved to Italy, where he scored his first Top 10 hit in 1966 with *Uno dei Mods.*

The CD compilation on Bear Family Records® delivers at its core the complete exciting early Italian recordings from 1966 to '67, gruff, bone-dry beat and rock 'n' roll at its finest! In that early phase of his career, Ricky Shayne & The Skylarks were among the most popular artists in Italy.

Bonus material includes excerpts from the 1968 recordings produced for Italy's Miura label and Germany's RCA. In this country, *Ich sprenge alle Ketten* became his biggest success in the '60s. The single made it to number 20 in the charts, Ricky Shayne became a teenage heartthrob.

Rounding out the retrospective of Ricky Shayne's early career is a tribute to Elvis Presley, *Chicago (In The Ghetto),* released in 1969.

The liner notes in the extensive booklet were written by Italian music journalist and editor of Jamboree magazine, Maurizio Maiotti, and are printed in three languages - German, English and Italian. The quality of the transfers, partly from original master tapes, partly from other sources, is excellent.

TRACKLISTING:

CD:

Introduction to 'My Babe' My Babe Number One Uno Dei Mods When The Girl In Your Arms Is The Girl In Your Heart Apron Strings I Love You So Cosa Pensi Di Me Lonely Blue Boy (Danny) Non Ha Prezzo L'Amore Mean Woman Blues Stanotte (A Thousand Years) We Say Yeah Vi Saluto Amici Mods Di Me Cosa Ne Sai? (Black Is Black) Lesson In Love Hello Josephine Come Moby Dick Dolcemente (Love Me Tender) L'estate Si Spegne Ich sprenge alle Ketten Du bist zu schön um alleine zu sein Ich kann bei Mädchen keine Tränen seh'n Con Una O Dieci Chitarre (Ten Guitars) Nessuna Donna ... Mai! (There's Always Me) Nachtexpress nach Nashville, Tennessee Le Catene **Buona Notte Maria** In Chicago (In The Ghetto)

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