

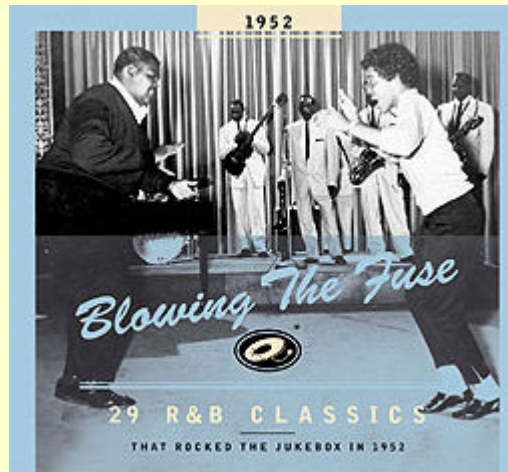


# BEAR FAMILY RECORDS

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SHIPPING DATE : JANUARY 17, 2005

<b>ARTIST</b>	<b>VARIOUS</b>
<b>TITLE</b>	<b>Blowing The Fuse</b>
	<b>29 R&amp;B Classics That Rocked The Jukebox In 1952</b>
<b>LABEL</b>	Bear Family Records
<b>CATALOG #</b>	BCD 16707
<b>PRICE-CODE</b>	AS
<b>ISBN-CODE</b>	3-89916-100-9
<b>EAN-CODE</b>	 4 000127 167071
<b>FORMAT</b>	1-CD DigiPac with 72-page booklet
<b>GENRE</b>	Rhythm & Blues
<b>TRACKS</b>	29
<b>PLAYING TIME</b>	78:57



## SALES NOTES

### A NEW GOLD STANDARD IN R&B REISSUES

Here's why Bear Family's 'Blowing The Fuse' will be the standard for R&B reissues now and forever!

**YEARS! YEARS! YEARS!** Many companies have issued compilations of out-of-copyright recordings (ie. records more than 50 years old). That's why you'll find that their series stop in 1953. Bear Family's 'Blowing The Fuse' starts at the dawn of the Post-War R&B era in 1945, and will continue through until 1960! And, unlike the out-of-copyright labels that won't get to 1960 until 2011, we'll get there in 2005 because Bear Family pays the companies that own the music.

**PACKAGING! PACKAGING! PACKAGING!** Other labels lift photos from old books and magazines, and commission quickie liner notes that tell you little or nothing, and often get it wrong. Bear Family's 'Blowing The Fuse' will have detailed song-by-song notes, stories behind the songs, and incredible never-before-seen photos in huge booklets ... booklets so big they won't even fit inside the standard plastic case. They'll go in specially designed DigiPacs.

**COMPILATIONS! COMPILATIONS! COMPILATIONS!** Most out-of-copyright labels do their compilations from chart books compiled by Joel Whitburn. Compiling from Whitburn is taking the easy way out. We hired Dave 'Daddy Cool' Booth, a guy with one of North America's biggest R&B collections and the dee-jay experience to know how to program music. He went through his incredible collection and then he went through 'Billboard' year-by-year, and picked out more than just the hits. We selected the absolute best music, some of it never reissued on CD until now, as well as the biggest hits, and we have no more than two songs by any artist on any CD. These are true, properly thought-out compilations in the spirit of Guy Stevens, Paul Oliver, Mike Leadbitter, and the others who compiled groundbreaking blues/R&B LPs back in the 1960s and 1970s.

**SOUND! SOUND! SOUND!** We used the absolute best sources from the original labels, then carefully remastered for the absolute best-ever sound.

Beware! These will cost a little more than some of the out-of-copyright reissues, but they'll be worth it.

If you're sick of R&B reissues that look and sound like a proper mess, then the best is on the way. And you won't have to wait until 2011 to get the complete story of R&B's golden years!

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## Man, Blowing The Fuse is the best collection of R&B ever!!!

James Austin  
VP, A&R  
WSM/ Rhino Entertainment

### TRACK LISTING

1. **Big Joe Turner:** The Chill Is On
2. **The Swallows:** It Ain't The Meat
3. **B. B. King:** 3 O'Clock Blues
4. **John Greer:** Got You On My Mind
5. **Roscoe Gordon:** Booted
6. **The Griffin Brothers' Orchestra:** Weepin' And Cryin'
7. **Elmore James:** Dust My Broom
8. **Wynonie Harris:** Lovin' Machine
9. **Charles Brown:** Hard Times
10. **Dinah Washington:** Wheel Of Fortune
11. **The Orioles:** Baby, Please Don't Go
12. **Tiny Bradshaw:** The Train Kept A-Rollin'
13. **Fats Domino:** Goin' Home
14. **The Clovers:** One Mint Julep
15. **Lester Williams:** I Can't Lose With The Stuff I Use
16. **Jimmy Forrest:** Night Train
17. **Marie Adams:** I'm Gonna Play The Honky Tonks
18. **The Dominoes:** Have Mercy Baby
19. **Roy Milton:** So Tired
20. **Lloyd Price:** Lawdy Miss Clawdy
21. **Ruth Brown:** 5-10-15 Hours
22. **The Four Blazes:** Mary Jo
23. **Johnny Ace:** My Song
24. **Smiley Lewis:** The Bells Are Ringing
25. **Varetta Dillard:** Easy, Easy Baby
26. **Little Walter:** Juke
27. **Little Caesar:** Goodbye Baby
28. **Willie Mabon:** I Don't Know
29. **The Ravens:** Rock Me All Night Long

### PREVIOUSLY RELEASED IN THIS SERIES:

TITLE	NUMBER	FORMAT
26 R&B Classics That Rocked The Jukebox In 1945	BCD 16701 As	Digi-Pac
27 R&B Classics That Rocked The Jukebox In 1946	BCD 16702 AS	Digi-Pac
28 R&B Classics That Rocked The Jukebox In 1947	BCD 16703 AS	Digi-Pac
28 R&B Classics That Rocked The Jukebox In 1948	BCD 16704 AS	Digi-Pac
27 R&B Classics That Rocked The Jukebox In 1949	BCD 16705 AS	Digi-Pac
28 R&B Classics That Rocked The Jukebox In 1950	BCD 16706 AS	Digi-Pac

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