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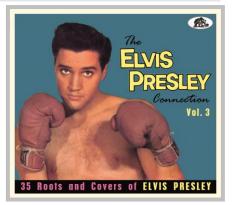
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The Elvis Presley Connection, Vol. 335 Roots and Covers of Elvis PresleyBear Family RecordsBCD17640Price code: AR40001271764001-CD (Digipak) with 36-page bookletRock 'n' Roll35approx. 75:00 min.

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### INFO:

- Third compilation on Bear Family Records<sup>®</sup> offering original recordings that inspired Elvis, plus rare cover versions of famous Elvis tunes - including some from the UK - and quite a few on CD for the first time.
- This edition focuses on songs Elvis recorded between 1962 and '66.
- In addition to commercial releases, the CD album provides several demo recordings by Don Robertson and Otis Blackwell, among others.
- Cover versions or the original version of songs from Elvis movies, like a Spanish version of Guadalajara from 1949 - sung by Elvis in the 1963 movie 'Acapulco'.
- The full color booklet includes rare photos and memorabilia as well as liner notes by German Presley expert Helmut Radermacher!

# The third part of our Elvis story

Where did Elvis Presley take his inspirations from? That's the main question behind the concept for this now third compilation. Elvis' music, his live performances, his Hollywood movies: All of this was unique and influenced generations of musicians. Surprisingly, his influence on the music world of the 1960s hardly diminished, despite the Beatles and Rolling Stones. At the same time, Elvis Presley himself was influenced by other musicians, as this compilation shows! The third edition is dedicated to his creative period from 1962 to 1966, cover versions and originals in chronological order, as Elvis recorded them at the time.

# Rarities, demos, film songs

Some of the often rare recordings appear for the first time on CD! We found rare versions of Elvis songs by Rikki Henderson, Les Carle or Wayne Harris on British and American low budget labels. Famous colleagues from R&B (The Coasters, The Clovers, LaVern Baker and Clyde McPhatter), Country Music (Marty Robbins, The Browns) and Rock 'n' Roll (Jerry Lee Lewis, Terry Stafford, The Chavis Brothers and the Elvis-like vocal wonder Ral Donner) are also featured. In addition to rare cover versions by the likes of Skip Arne and The Dukes, a number of rare demos are included that were recorded exclusively for Elvis at the time and are accordingly revealing. Some of them were written explicitly for the soundtracks of his films and recorded by Don Robertson or Otis Blackwell, a.o. The CD includes a 36-page full color booklet with many rare pictures and illustrations, as well as an accompanying essay for each song, written by German Elvis Presley expert Helmut Radermacher.

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### TRACKLISTING:

### <u>CD:</u>

Rikki Henderson: Kiss Me Quick Skip Arne & The Dukes: Angel Johnny Holiday: Follow That Dream Don Robertson: I Met Her Les Carle: King Of The Whole Wide World Les Carle: Riding The Rainbow Todav Les Carle: Home Is Where The Heart Is The Coasters: Girls! Girls! Girls! -part II Terry Stafford: Suspicion Otis Blackwell: One Broken Heart For Sale Tippie & The Clovers: Bossa Nova Baby P.J. Proby: Fun In Acapulco (Demo) Irma Vila Y Su Mariachi: Guadalajara Wayne Harris: (You're The) Devil In 
 Roger Douglass: Never Ending tson: Love Me Tonight (Demo)
 Don Robertson: What Now, What Next, Where To (Demo)
 The Spiders: Witchcraft

 The Chavis Brothers: Memphis, Tennessee
 Mort Shuman: Viva Las Vegas (Demo)
 Jerry Lee
Disguise Don Robertson: Love Me Tonight (Demo) Lewis: What'd I Say La Vern Baker & Jimmy Ricks: You're The Boss Ray Pilgrim & The Beatmen: Kissin' Cousins The Coasters: Little Egypt (Ying-Yang) Ral Donner: Poison Ivy League Kenny Karen: My Desert Serenade (Demo) The Browns: How Great Thou The Clovers: Down In The Alley Ketty Lester: Love Letters Marty Robbins: Where Could I Go But To The Lord Clyde McPhatter: The Browns: How Great Thou Art Come What May The Drifters: Fools Fall In Love Kui Lee: I'll Remember You Patti Gerald Nelson: The Love Machine (Demo) Page: You Don't Know Me

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Various Artists: The Elvis Presley Connection, Vol.2

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