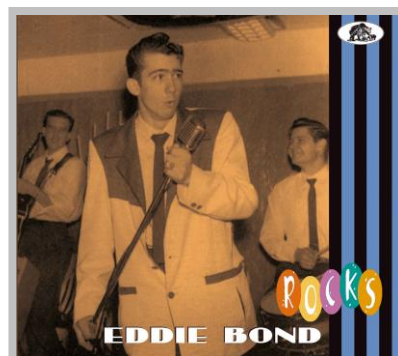


BEAR FAMILY RECORDS



PRODUCTINFO (CD) February 02, 2024

Artist **Eddie Bond**
Title **Rocks**
Label Bear Family Records
Catalog no. BCD17726 Price code: AR
EAN-Code 4000127177261
Format 1-CD (Digipak) with 36-page booklet
Genre Rock 'n' Roll, Rockabilly
No. of tracks 35 approx. 70:00 min.
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INFO:

- **Eddie Bond Rocks! 35-track CD on Bear Family Records® contains the very essence of Memphis rockabilly.**
- **14 recordings from Bond's '50s career (recorded for Ekko, Mercury and Sun/PI), 15 tracks recorded for Millionaire, Stomper Time etc. in the '60s, and six songs from his rockabilly revival years of the 1970s.**
- **The booklet contains a detailed biography by Martin Hawkins based on interviews with Eddie Bond a.o., full session details and phenomenal period photos.**
- **Carefully re-mastered from original master copies and reliable sources.**

Very few singers had a better rocking pedigree than Eddie Bond. He was born in Memphis, so when he made his first discs in 1955 and 1956 he was at the epicenter of the new rockabilly sounds. He became identified as the 'rockin' daddy from ding dong Tennessee' described in his best-selling disc. Through 1956 to 1959, Bond was hot stuff, playing shows with Elvis Presley, Carl Perkins, Johnny Cash and all the other singers from Memphis whose music spoke to a whole new generation.

Eddie Bond (1933-2013) started and ended as a country singer, but his bands always contained musicians who could play rockabilly with the best of them. From his first sessions to his last Eddie always chose to record some rocking songs. His Mercury discs with Reggie Young on guitar were classics of the rockabilly style. Later, Eddie became a Memphis disc jockey, night club owner, record label owner, and more.

This rocking 35-track CD contains the very essence of Memphis rockabilly. Here are 14 recordings from Eddie Bond's 1950s career (recorded by Ekko, Mercury and Sun/PI), 15 tracks recorded for his own and other local labels (Millionaire, Stomper Time etc.) in the 1960s, and 6 recordings from his rockabilly revival years of the 1970s when he became a favorite visitor to Europe. These are all high-quality rocking performances.

The booklet contains a detailed biography by Martin Hawkins based on interviews with Eddie Bond and others, full session details and some phenomenal period photos.

His obituary in the 'Memphis Commercial Appeal' said: *'Mr. Bond was many things: a sharp wheeler-dealer with a silver tongue; a canny trend-watcher with a keen eye for talent, a slicked-back rockabilly cat with a country heart.'*

So, in other words, Eddie Bond rocks!

TRACKLISTING:

CD:

Rockin' Daddy	Blue Suede Shoes	Juke Joint Johnnie	Boppin' Bonnie	Here Comes The Train	Monkey Business	
Broke My Guitar	Fool About You	Look Like A Monkey	Flip Flop Mama	One Way Ticket	Big Boss Man	Candy Kisses
No. 9 Train	Running Drunk	The Monkey And The Baboon	Tore Up Over You	Slip, Slip, Slippin' In	Talking Off The Wall	
I've Got A Woman	Love Makes A Fool (Every Day)	Hey Joe	Love, Love, Love	Baby, Baby, Baby (What Am I Gonna Do)		
This Old Heart Of Mine	Long Tall Sally	Memphis, Tennessee (feat. Cousin Bo-Jack)	Gonna Rock My Baby Tonight			
Show Me (without sax)	Satisfied	When The Juke Box Plays (alt. Take)	Boo Bop Da Caa Caa	I Can't Quit		
Let The Good Times Roll (feat. Cousin Bo-Jack)	Rockin' Daddy					

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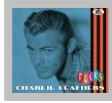
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