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TOM PETTY & THE
HEARTBREAKERS
Let Me Up (I've Had Enough)
Tom and the band take the helm
producing their rockingest album for
yonks. Great rock'n'roll from the master
— includes 10 new songs by Petty &

Campbell and 'Jammin' Me' written with

Bob Dylan.



THE DOORS
Live at the Hollywood Bowl
This six track mini album features live cuts
from the Doors 1968 'Live at the
Hollywood Bowl' home video. Tracks are
'Light My Fire', 'Wake Up', 'Unknown
Soldier', 'Spanish Caravan', 'A Little
Game' and 'The Hill Dwellers'.



& CRAZY HORSE
Life
Neil is back with his rocking cohorts
Sampedro, Talbot and Molina of Crazy
Horse and producer David Briggs who
has worked on several of Young's classic
albums. This is a massive return to form for

NEIL YOUNG



JODY WATLEY
Jody Watley
With a big hit 'Looking for a New Love',
Ms Watley has launched her solo career,
leaving former group Shalamar behind.
There are plenty more hot dance numbers
with producers Andre Cymone (former
Prince Sideman) and Bernard Edwards
(Chic) getting the best out of the very
talented Jody Watley. Guesting on 'Learn
to Say No' is George Michael.



& THE DUKES
Exit 0
The followup to 'Guitar Town' his mighty debut for MCA is here. They call him the Springsteen of country — he's a great writer and a great guitarist. Very contemporary, hard-living, hard-rocking new country music. Beer drinkers start here!



METALLICA
Kill 'Em All
A hot mutha of a metal album, a classic
from 1983 from the raunchy Metallica,
Tracks include 'No Remorse', 'Seek &
Destroy', '(Anesthesia) Pulling Teeth'.



PERCY SLEDGE
When A Man Loves a Woman —
The Ultimate Collection.
Sixteen classic soul tracks from the sweet
soul voice of Percy Sledge. His unequalled
emotional power is at its pure,
unadulterated best on this compilation.

Features the impressive string of southern soul hits that followed his legendary

When A Man Loves A Woman'



Stand By Me — The Ultimate Collection
The golden 60s track that inspired the movie is joined by 15 more of Ben E. King's gems from his days as lead singer of the Drifters, his solo hits 'Spanish' Harlem' and 'Don't Play That Song' to his 70s hit 'Supernatural Thing'. Try some cool, sophisticated New York soul.



MICHAEL McDONALD
Sweet Freedom — Best of
One of the great voices of our time, the
former lead singer of the Doobie Brothers
is showcased here with his solo work, a
Doobies classic 'What a Fool Believes'
and his acclaimed collaborations — 'On
My Own' with Patti Labelle and club
classic 'Yah Mo Be There' with James
Ingram. A great collection.



& EARL KLUGH
Collaboration
This is one of those "too good to be true" combinations which lives up to all expectations. The tolented studio crew on the album include Greg Phillinganes, Marcus Miller and Paulinho Da Costa. Benson's sweet electric tones mix beautifully with Klugh's silken acoustic sound. A landmark.



Got Any Gum?
Joe is back with an upbeat collection of crunchy rock & roll and humour recorded in Memphis. Once again he explores themes which will resonate for any eternal teenager. Rock'n'roll should always be this much fun.



RANDY TRAVIS
Always and Forever
The modern young country gentleman
Randy Travis follows up his million-selling
debut album with this fine collection of
songs by a great bunch of writers (not the
least of which is Randy Travis himself). First
single is 'Forever and Ever, Amen'. Did
you see him on the Grammys?



WAYLON JENNINGS
Hangin' Tough
The outlaw gets to grips with some great
songs from Gerry Rafferty's 'Baker Street',
Jesse's Winchester's 'Defying Gravity
(Executioner's Song)', to 'I Can't Help the
Way I don't Feel About You'. Waylon at
his best.



EMMYLOU HARRIS
Angel Band
One of ladies of Trio, not Dolly or Linda, but Emmylou. Here this highly regarded singer is teamed with Nashville veteran Emory Gordy Jr., to make an album of spiritual songs. All vocals were recorded live in the studio. A timeless collection of gospel recorded in a timeless manner.



NITTY GRITTY DIRT BAND
20 Years of Dirt, Best Of
This is the band's twentieth year of
performing together. There are eleven
masterful tracks here from 'Mr Bojangles'
in 1969 to 'Stand a Little Rain' from last
year. The Nitty Gritty Dirt Band sure are a
mighty fine tradition.



KID CREOLE
& THE COCONUTS
I, Too, Have Seen the Woods
Yes, they're back together again for a
brand new LP record. Coati Mundi has
finished his film with Madonna, August
Darnell looks as cool as ever and the girls
are back. Such fine ingredients cook a
real fine cake. Taste it.



Just Gets Better With Time
The legendary vocal group from the Solar record label come up with another winning combination. Producers include ace dance producer Leon F. Sylvers and up and coming funkateers the Deele. As the title says — just gets better with time!

THE WHISPERS



LOVE & ROCKETS
Express
An awesome album from UK indie label
Beggars Banquet. This three-piece
delivers the songs of Daniel Ash (vocals,
guitar) David J (bass) with passion. Check
out their version of Motown classic 'Ball of
Confusion'. A significant new British band.



ATLANTIC STARR
All in the Name of Love
One of the world's premier vocal groups
('Secret Lovers') create some hot grooves
— dance numbers and fabulous ballads
such as big hit 'Always'. Tasty, soulful, try it.



SHIRLEY MURDOCK
Shirley Murdock!
A beauty album from Zapp man Roger
Troutman's studio. The album has plenty of
funky numbers but it was sleeper bedroom
bollad 'As We Lay' that stormed up the
USA black music charts. Powerful stuff
from a great soul vocalist.