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ARTIST TITLE

Johnny Burnette
Johnny Burnette And The
Rock 'n' Roll Trio

LABEL

Bear Family Productions

CATALOG

BAF 18012

PRICE-CODE

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EAN-CODE



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FORMAT

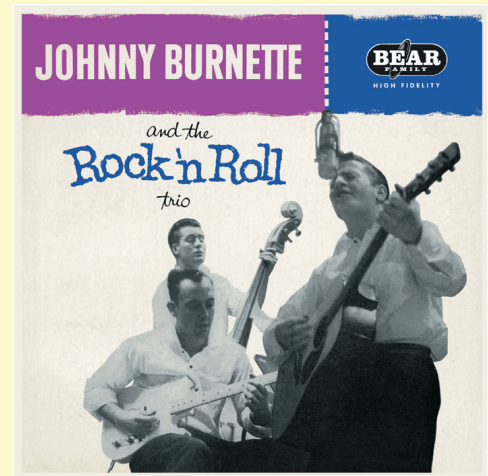
VINYL album

180g Vinyl • Pressed by Pallas

Direct Metal Mastering: H.J. Maucksch at PaulerAcoustics

GENRE

Rock 'n' Roll



- One of the first and maybe the greatest rockabilly albums ever!
- Includes *The Train Kept A'Rollin'* – later recorded by the Yardbirds, Aerosmith and many others!
- Includes many of the greatest guitar solos from the early days of rock 'n' roll!

INFORMATION

Johnny Burnette died in 1964 after scoring several pop hits in the early Sixties, including *Dreamin'*, *You're Sixteen*, and *Little Boy Sad*. If, in the days or weeks before his death, he had been asked how he would be remembered, he would probably have said for those hits or for the songs he'd written for Ricky Nelson. And he would have been wrong. Today, Johnny Burnette is chiefly remembered for some sessions he cut in 1956 that resulted in no hits, but just about defined rockabilly as an art-form – in fact as a new musical life-form. This album, one of the first-ever rockabilly LPs, is still the best-ever rockabilly LP. From the early 1960s, collectors were paying big money for it. When musicologists and musicians deconstruct rockabilly and when revivalists reconstruct it, they're trying to unravel the magic of Johnny Burnette and the Rock 'n' Roll Trio. The guitar solo on *Train Kept A'Rollin'* alone is one of the greatest rock 'n' roll guitar solos EVER!

The afterlife of this music is astonishing. In 1965, the Yardbirds recorded *The Train Kept A'Rollin'*, and in 1966, British DECCA reissued the original Rock 'n' Roll Trio LP. Most of the Trio recordings have been in print since, and the list of covers grows year by year. Aerosmith did *The Train Kept A'Rollin'*, as did Eric Clapton, Led Zeppelin, and many others. Los Lobos revived *Lonesome Tears In My Eyes*. You can hear echoes of this LP in every rockabilly and roots revival band, and you can hear their indirect influence in the most unexpected places (John Lennon's little instrumental coda at the end of *The Ballad Of John And Yoko* is adapted from *Lonesome Tears In My Eyes*).

Now Johnny Burnette And The Rock 'n' Roll Trio is back where it always belonged – on shimmering 180g vinyl, newly remastered and sounding better than ever!

TRACK LISTING:

- Side 1:** Honey Hush • Lonesome Train (On A Lonesome Track) • Sweet Love On My Mind (**Dorsey Burnette**: vocal)
• Rock Billy Boogie • Lonesome Tears In My Eyes • All By Myself
- Side 2:** The Train Kept A-Rollin' • I Just Found Out • Your Baby Blue Eyes • Chains Of Love • I Love You So
• Drinking Wine, Spo-Dee-O-Dee, Drinking Wine



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