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ARTIST JOHN BUCK & THE BLAZERS

TITLE Chi Chi

LABEL Bear Family Records

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FORMAT CD with 28-page booklet

GENRE Pop

TRACKS 19

PLAYING TIME 40:53



KEY SELLING POINTS

- The first set with the complete recordings of Barry DeVorzon (Barry & The Tamerlanes) as John Buck.
- Includes the hit single *Chi Chi*
- Also includes 3 previously unissued titles

SALES NOTES

Recorded, released and then forgotten... in America, *Chi Chi* became a hit single in Germany for John Buck & The Blazers. When the single was re-released on a new label in the States, it was by Kalasandro. And when the German label attempted to issue a follow-up, John Buck was no longer contractually available, so the Germans issued a single by local orchestra leader Horst Wende (as John Buck and The Chi Chi's).

While several more songs were recorded – originals, adaptations of old songs, and covers of international hits – the success of *Chi Chi* was never duplicated, and John Buck became a pop footnote.

It's an interesting story and one that Bear Family reveals in this set. John Buck was really American composer, singer, music publisher, and label owner Barry DeVorzon. He covered a lot of musical territory from Duane Eddy to the Tijuana Brass, and recorded with the best of Hollywood's studio musicians. He also recorded as Barry & The Tamerlanes.

Now, Bear Family gathers everything that DeVorzon recorded as John Buck, plus the bogus German single and two previously unreleased songs. And Barry DeVorzon himself reveals the whole story!

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TRACK LISTING

1. Chi Chi
2. Forbidden City
3. Egal O. K.
4. Last Dance
5. Black Is The Color Of My True Love's Hair
6. Kibaba
7. Nan – Je – Di
8. Cantina
9. Jalisco
10. Lola
11. Copenhagen Carousel
12. La Bamba
13. Spanish Farewell
14. Vaquero
15. Midnight
16. Big Valley
17. Stacy's Theme
18. Letkiss
19. Let's Kiss