



# BEAR FAMILY RECORDS

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ARTIST	SCREAMIN' JAY HAWKINS
TITLE	Rocks
LABEL	Bear Family Records
CATALOG #	BCD 16687
PRICE-CODE	AR
EAN-CODE	 4 000 127 166876
ISBN-CODE	978-3-89916 387-2
FORMAT	CD digipac with 64-page booklet
GENRE	Rock'n'Roll / R&B
TRACKS	31
PLAYING TIME	77:59



## KEY SELLING POINTS

- The godfather of gothic rock!
- The star of Jim Jarmusch's 1989 cult movie 'Mystery Train'!
- 31 classics, featuring the original hit version of *I Put A Spell On You!*
- Comprehensive liner notes from ueber-fan Bill Millar!

## SALES NOTES

Screamin' Jay Hawkins' records didn't go over-the-top; they *started* over-the-top and got more berserk from there. He lived as he sang. A simple question, like how he came up with the nickname 'Screamin'' elicited this response: "*I went to Nitro, West Virginia. This is 1950. There was a big, big, huge fat lady at the bar. Just allow your mind to roam free when I say 'fat'...Glutton! Beast! O-bese! She made the average elephant look like a pencil, that's how fat she was. She was downing Black & White scotch and Jack Daniels at the same time, and whenever she looked up at me she shouted 'Scream, baby, scream!' I said to myself: 'You wanted a name?'"*

Screamin' Jay's influence can be found wherever music has sunk to new depths of depravity. Mixing voodoo rhythms and horror film props, he invented gothic rock, a genre that includes Alice Cooper, Arthur Brown, the antics of Black Sabbath's Ozzy Osbourne, the horror film make-up of Kiss, not to mention 'The Rocky Horror Show'. Hawkins also paved the way for George Clinton and Cameo whose lead singer, Larry Blackmon, emerged... like Jay... from a huge silver coffin.

And, oh yes, he wrote and recorded the original version of *I Put A Spell On You*.

## TRACK LISTING

1. Little Demon
2. Baptize Me In Wine

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3. Not Anymore
4. In My Front Room
5. This Is All
6. What That Is
7. (She Put The) Wamee (On Me)
8. Well I Tried
9. Talk About Me
10. Take Me Back
11. I Is
12. \$ 10,000 Lincoln Continental (take 2)
13. You Ain't Foolin' Me
14. Yellow Coat
15. I Put A Spell On You
16. Frenzy
17. Alligator Wine
18. There's Something Wrong With You
19. Person To Person
20. You Made Me Love You
21. Little Demon (alt. take)
22. Armpit No. 6
23. Just Don't Care
24. Strange
25. Whammy
26. Party Doll
27. All Night
28. Mountain Jive
29. Do You Really Love Me
30. Please Don't Leave Me
31. Knock-Kneed Nana (take 7)

## Also available:

### Screamin' Jay Hawkins

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#### CD 2:

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