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29 Gems For The Indian Summer

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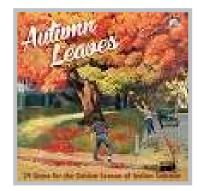
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INFO:

- Here comes the next smash in our 'Seasons' series, with autumn songs from the genres: Country, Rock 'n' Roll, R&B, Jazz and Pop from the years 1930 to 1962!
- A hand-picked compilation of vocal tunes and instrumentals that are not only about falling leaves!
- Rare and interesting recordings at a reasonable price released in Bear Family's Seasons series.
- What was autumn like in earlier decades? This question is answered here nostalgically. Yes, this is about falling leaves, but also about Thanksgiving, the rain, wind and storms and of course the romantic melancholy of the Indian Summer. All this on 29 musical jewels from four decades!
- Among them an early rock 'n' roll instrumental by the recently deceased Dr. John, here still under the name Mac Rebennack! Or Ferrante & Teicher, who are *In The Rain*!
- Famous hits such as Come September, The Wayward Wind and Stormy Weather are included, as well as songs about heavy fieldwork, such as Cotton Picker by Eddie Cochran and Shuckin' The Corn, Lester Flatt & Earl Scruggs!
- Famous female vocalists meet here, Etta James, Dinah Washington, Irma Thomas, up to Memphis Minnie with the oldest recording of this compilation, from 1930!
- A very unique autumnal compilation that doesn't deal with Halloween at this stage!

Celebrating the most melancholic season of the year

The time between summer and winter, the time of transience, lets many different emotions affect us all, then and now. The autumn melancholy and the walks through colorful forests with the warming sunbeams of the Indian Summer. Then again continuous rain and autumn storms. Leaves are falling, the hot tea on the stove and the fire crackles in the fireplace. The farmers reap the harvest and you show your thanksgiving. All these feelings did not go past the music, and exactly this is impressively proven here!

Rustic: The nostalgia of autumn

Not only a great listening pleasure is guaranteed, this compilation takes you on a journey, lets you dream and distance yourself from everyday life, but also connoisseurs of music are not neglected here. Very rare titles and nostalgic hits alternate. Who still knows *Come September* by Bobby Darin from the film of the same name, or Dinah Washington's magnificent version of the standard *September In The Rain!* The title song *Autumn Leaves* is also a famous song, but in the version of The Coasters it is more of a rarity. By the way, speaking of rare titles: A number of recordings have been released here for the first time on CD! Among them Bob Davie's *Corn Poem* and Don Duke's cover of John Leyton's *Wild Wind!* There's a doo-wop number by The Tempos, famous country artists like Chet Atkins and Flatt & Scruggs, rock'n'roll rarities by Paul Ballenger & The Flares and Nino Tempo! Of course the CD includes also liner notes to each single song, as well as many illustrations in the 28-page booklet!

TRACK LISTING:

Bobby Darin & His Orchestra: Theme from 'Come September' • Tab Hunter: Waiting For Fall • The Tempos: See You In September • The Viscounts: September Song • Mac Rebennack (aka Dr. John): Storm Warning • Etta James: Stormy Weather • Dinah Washington: September In The Rain • Ferrante & Teicher: In The Rain • Irma Thomas: It's Raining • The Coasters: Autumn Leaves • Bobby Comstock & The Counts: The Wayward Wind • Harry James & His Orchestra: Melancholy Rhapsody • Chet Atkins: Windy And Warm • Bobby Christian & His Orchestra: Autumn In New York • Don Duke: Wild Wind • Bobby Vinton: Rain, Rain, Go Away • Les Brown & His Orchestra: Apple Valley • Lester Flatt & Earl Scruggs: Shuckin' The Corn • Bob Davie, Planksichord Solo: Corn Poem • Eddie Cochran: Cotton Picker • Memphis Minnie & Kansas Joe McCoy: What's The Matter With The Mill • Milton Brown & His Musical Brownies: Brownie's Stomp • Joe Daniels & His Hot Shots: Whirlwind • Lionel Hampton & His Orchestra & The Hamptones: Turkey Hop (Part 2) • Nino Tempo: Turkey Gobbler • Red Ingle: Moe Zart's Turkey Trot • The Flares (Paul Ballenger vcl.): September Love • Mark Wynter: Kickin' Up The Leaves • Harry James & His Orchestra: Autumn Serenade