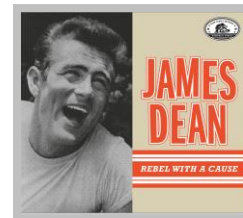


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PRODUCT INFO (CD) February 5, 2021

Artist **Various Artists**
Title **Memorial Series - James Dean: Rebel With A Cause**
Label **Bear Family Productions**
Catalog no. **BCD17571**
EAN-Code **5397102175718** Price code: **AR**
Format **1-CD (Digipak) with 36-page booklet**
Genre **Rock 'n' Roll, Pop**
No. of tracks **28** approx. **79:00 min.**
Release date **February 5, 2021**



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INFO:

- **A tribute to James Byron Dean, who would have turned 90 on February 8, 2021!**
- **A musical journey back in time to Hollywood in the 1950s, when James Dean became a star and rebel with a cause, with only three films.**
- **In addition to selected tunes from the movie soundtracks of the three James Dean films, as well as soundtrack excerpts from 'The James Dean Story' by beatnik jazz icon and Jimmy's friend, Chet Baker with Bob Shank, Dean himself also has his say!**
- **Rare James Dean interviews are heard here as well as the rare private recordings that were released posthumously on single at the time.**
- **A number of contemporary artists pay tribute to James Dean, including rarities by Bobby Poe, German singer Walter Peter, and Dean's longtime girlfriend, Italian Pier Angeli, can also be heard!**
- **That James Dean has become a cult figure beyond his death to this day is evidenced by two tracks from the late 1970s and 90s, respectively, by Bonnie Tyler and the British rockabilly trio The Jets.**
- **Many of the songs are on CD for the first time! The accompanying text in the full-color 36-page booklet is by renowned Chicago music journalist Bill Dahl!**

Rebel With A Cause

'Rebel Without A Cause' was the just too "grown up" sounding title of the second James Dean movie. Of course they knew what they were doing, they were doing it on purpose. And so was James Dean, not only in his movie roles, but in his life. He was a 'Rebel With A Cause'. Now, on the occasion of his 90th birthday, this unique compilation is released within Bear Family's new Memorial Series, designed not only to pay tribute to contemporary icons and events, but to propagate their unforgettable nature.

From 'Jimmy Unknown' to 'Giant'.

This CD compilation tells the story and progression from a 'Jimmy Unknown', as sung by Lita Roza, to a Giant, title of James Dean's third picture, who became a cult icon with only three movies to his credit. Of course, selected tracks from all three film soundtracks are included, as well as tracks from the 1957 documentary film 'The James Dean Story', recorded by Jimmy's friend and jazz musician Chet Baker together with Bud Shank. A rarity comes from Pier Angeli, close friend and confidante of James Dean at the time, with a recording from her native Italy. A number of genre-spanning tribute songs, mostly released posthumously after Dean's death, can be heard, as can Jimmy himself, whose voice can be found in interviews and whose rhythmic talent is striking in the conga playing of rare private recordings that were also immortalized on a single release in 1957. The fact that James Dean's popularity never waned is also evidenced by the recordings of The Jets (1978) and Bonnie Tyler (1993). The CD in the Digipak comes with a color 36-page booklet with accompanying text by renowned Chicago music journalist Bill Dahl.

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TRACKLISTING:

CD:

Bill Hayes: Message From James Dean **Lita Roza:** Jimmy Unknown **Leonard Rosenman:** Theme From 'East Of Eden'
Leonard Rosenman: The Vindication Of Cal - End Theme (from 'East Of Eden') **Pier Angeli:** Souvenir D'Italie
Bobby Poe & The Poekats: Rebel Without A Cause **Leonard Rosenman:** Theme From 'Rebel Without A Cause'
Leonard Rosenman: The Gang And The Chicken Run (From 'Rebel Without A Cause') **James Dean:** James Dean Talking
Chet Baker & Bud Shank with Orchestra dir. by Johnny Mandel & Bill Holman: Rebel At Work (from 'The James Dean Story')
James Dean: Interview **Leonard Rosenman:** Planetarium (from 'Rebel Without A Cause') **Leonard Rosenman:** Plato's Death & Closing Theme (from 'Rebel Without A Cause') **James Dean & Bob Romeo:** Dean's Lament **James Dean, Bob Romeo & Duke Mitchell:** Jungle Rhythm
Dimitri Tiomkin & The Warner Bros. Orchestra: Main Title From 'Giant' **Ray Heindorf & The The Warner Bros. Orchestra:** Fight Scene (The Yellow Rose Of Texas) (from 'Giant') **Dimitri Tiomkin & The Warner Bros. Orchestra:** Jett Rink Theme (from 'Giant')
Ray Heindorf & The The Warner Bros. Orchestra: End Title (The Eyes Of Texas Are Upon You) (From 'Giant') **James Dean & Gig Young:** Safe Driving PSA **The Four Tunes:** The Ballad Of James Dean **Dick Jacobs & His Orchestra:** A Boy Named Jimmy Dean **Barbara Eden:** Rebel
Chet Baker & Bud Shank with Orchestra dir. by Johnny Mandel & Bill Holman: Jimmy's Theme (from 'The James Dean Story')
Chet Baker & Bud Shank with Orchestra dir. by Johnny Mandel & Bill Holman: The Movie Star (from 'The James Dean Story')
Walter Peter: James Dean Blues **Bonnie Tyler:** James Dean **The Jets:** James Dean

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Ray Anthony & His Orchestra:
Rock Around The Rock Pile



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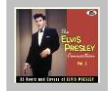
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