

# HEART OF A CLOWN

"Clowns, like minstrels and comics, always deal with the same problem - hunger." Dario Fo

- 1 It Must Be Love (GEORGIA WHITE, LEXY ROBINSON)
- 2 Route 66 (BOB TROUP)
- 3 Rockin', Rollin' Ocean (THE DA RUSH)
- 4 Heart of a Clown (STEVE NELSON, JACK ROLLINS, FRANCES KANE)
- 5 Gingerbread Waltz (STEVE JIRAK)
- 6 One More Ride (BOB NOLAN)
- 7 Pipeliner Blues (MOON MULLIGAN)
- 8 September Song (MAXWELL ANDERSON, KURT WELLS)
- 9 (Now and Then There's) A Fool Such as I (BILL TRADER)
- 10 South (BENNIE MOTE, T. HAYES)
- 11 Pennies from Heaven (JOHNNY BURKE, ARTHUR JOHNSTON)
- 12 Deed I Do (WALTER HIRSCH, FRED ROSE)
- 13 A Thousand Goodnights (WALTER DONALDSON, GUS KAHN)

Moving roughly along old Route 66, these recordings started in the Great Plains of Salina, Kansas and finished near the sea in San Diego, California. Thanks for listening. Hope you find something of spirit and use here.

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Johnny High-Hat Singing, Mandolin, Upright Bass, Tenor Banjo, Mandocello, Saw  
 Steve Jirak Acoustic & Electric Guitars  
 Mark Danisovszky Accordion  
 Parfish Ellis Rhythm Guitar (Tracks 1, 4, 7 & 13)  
 Puddy Webber Steel Guitar (Tracks 1, 4, 7 & 13)  
 Joseph "Joebass" DeJarnette Upright Bass  
 (Tracks 1, 4, 7 & 13)  
 Rob T'horson Upright Bass (Tracks 8, 10 & 11)  
 John Davs Arco Bass (Track 3)  
 Bob Brantl Rhythm Guitar (Track 9)  
 Dean Kranzler Snare Drum & Cymbal  
 Mike Stewart Rhythm Guitar (Track 11)  
 David Page Snare Drum & Cymbal  
 (Tracks 3, 5, 6, 9, 10, 11 & 12)

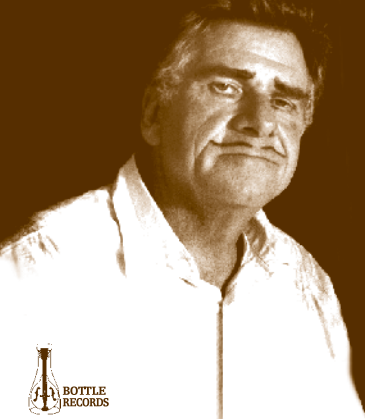


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Songs of hunger, longing and sadness, change and affirmation.

- 1 It Must Be Love 3:07
- 2 Route 66 2:58
- 3 Rockin', Rollin' Ocean 4:15
- 4 Heart of a Clown 2:40
- 5 Gingerbread Waltz 2:11
- 6 One More Ride 2:58
- 7 Pipeliner Blues 2:12
- 8 September Song 5:20
- 9 (Now and Then There's) A Fool Such as I 2:38
- 10 South 2:52
- 11 Pennies from Heaven 3:31
- 12 'Deed I Do 1:53
- 13 A Thousand Goodnights 4:19

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