

SUPERSTARS

OF JAZZ FUSION



Stanley Turrentine

No music category could hold Stanley Turrentine for long. In three decades as a performer the only things that have remained constant are his ear for a tune and the distinctive sound of his tenor sax, once described by a critic as a combination of "leather tone, rhapsodic lyricism, crying edge and aggressive confidence." Turrentine never finished high school. Instead, he went on the road at age 17 with the band of blues singer-guitarist Lowell Fulson, which was directed by pianist Ray Charles. The 60s found him recording on his own and working the ghetto lounge circuit with his then-wife Shirley Scott, while the 70s signaled his emergence as a bandleader in his own right. And, his sax is still the star of the show on his new album *Inflation*, an electric collection of blues, ballads and standards, which includes two rare Turrentine originals.



Bobbi Humphrey

Although only 4'11 tall, Bobbi Humphrey is one of the biggest jazz and pop chartbusters and award winners to burst upon the music scene in recent years. Bobbi's distinctive style as both flutist and vocalist showcased in her Epic debut LP *Tailor Made*, is heard to even greater advantage on *Free Style*, produced by Ralph McDonald and featuring such outstanding sidemen as Eric Gale, Richard Tee, Anthony Jackson, Steve Gadd, and a special appearance by Stevie Wonder. In 1973, Bobbi emerged as the "Surprised hit" of the montreux Jazz Festival, and gave birth to a beautiful baby girl, Ricci Linn, who adorns the cover of the *Satin Doll*, LP.



Lonnie Smith

Lonnie Liston Smith has long been regarded as one of the most potent, creative forces in contemporary music. Listeners from all directions of the popular music spectrum know Lonnie as a master keyboardist, a sensitive composer, and a leader whose band has been consistently stimulating. Over the years, Lonnie's unique style has placed him in that rare class of musicians who appeal transcends categories. Proof of this is the fact that his albums have consistently been hits on the jazz, soul and pop charts.



Roy Ayers

Born in Los Angeles, Roy Ayers was the son of the schoolteacher mother and parking-attendant-turned-scrap-merchant father. Originally a pianist, Ayers started playing vibes as a high school senior. For twenty years, Ayers has played with such jazz artists as Curtis Amy, Jack Wilson Quartet, Leroy Vinegar, Gerald Wilson's Big Band, Phineas Newborn, Teddy Edwards, Hampton Hawes, Chico Hamilton, Wayne Henderson and Herbie Man, with whom he performed before inking with Polydor Records in 1970. After close to two decades in the music business and 40 albums to his credit, Roy Ayers is still not afraid to change direction.



Jean Carn

Not many people know that Jean Carn, that dynamic and totally down-to-earth vocalist who has graced numerous recordings by a wide variety of artist, is an accomplished pianist, clarinetist and vocal arranger. By now, however, everybody connected with the music industry is aware of the fact that she possesses one of the most highly magnificent voices to be heard on wax today.

Jean was born Sara Jean Perkins in Columbus, Georgia on March 15, 1947 and raised in Atlanta, Georgia. As early as age three Jean had already attained an unusually intense interest in musical varieties and specials, often watching those programs instead of the cartoons which which usually fascinate most three year old.

Jean Carn definitely has one of those unique voices that can somehow reach out to stir emotions in even the coldest of hearts. And that ability, coupled with the vast experience of her many musical travels, has resulted in *WHEN I FIND YOU LOVE*, an LP that truly stands out as a singer's guide to excellent singing.

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