Lena Horne: At the Waldorf Astoria - At the Sands (2014)



1.Today I Love Everybody 2.Let Me Love You 5:17 3.Come Runnin' 2:53 4.Cole Porter Medley: How's Your Romance? / After You / Love Of My Life / It's All Right With Me 7:52 5.Duke Ellington Medley: Mood Indigo / I'm Beginning To See The Light 4:34 6.How You Say It 3:32 7.Honeysuckle Rose 2:59 8.Day in, Day out 9.New Fangled Tango 3:09 10.I Love To Love 4:45 11.From This Moment On 1:53 12.Maybe 3:15 13.You Don't Have To Know The Language 2:56 14.Get Rid Of Monday 2:52 Personnel Lena Horne - vocals Nat Brandwynne Orchestra Lennie Hayton – conductor Recorded live at the Waldorf Astoria, New York, New York and the Sands, Las Vegas, Nevada on Feburary 20, 1957 and November 3-5, 1960.

This is one of the Lena Horne recordings that make me wish I WAS Lena Horne. I don't usually enjoy live recordings but this album is perfect. She is very crisp and clear through the whole album. The audience creates a very curious atmosphere on the album- there are a few instances where the audience is laughing at Lena and something she is gesturing... but I think just the audio alone makes the listener outside of the joke.

In this album she is sassy and quirky- and I think these tracks give a little more insight into Lena's personality than the other non live recordings I have. Vocally she is very rich and obviously in her prime- she sings many standards but of course the one and only Lena Makes them her own! This is the number one Lena Album in my collection! --- Oliver, amazon.com

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