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1.Loveless Love 2.Beale Street Blues 3.Someday You'll Be Sorry 4.Canal Street Blues 5.Eccentric Rag 6.St. Louis Blues 7.Basin Street Blues 8.Eh-La-Bas 9.Over In The Glory Land 10.Ballin' The Jack 11.Hindustan 12.Saturday Night Function 13.Perdido Street Blues 14.Savoy Blues 15.Stevedore Stomp Alvin Alcorn - Trumpet Henry "Red" Allen -Trumpet Henry Allen & His Orchestra Andy Anderson - Trumpet Louis Armstrong - Trumpet, Vocals Louis Armstrong & His All-Stars Buster Bailey - Clarinet Louis Barbarin - Drums Chris Barber - Trombone Chris Barber's Jazz Band Danny Barcelona - Drums John Bastable - Banjo Milton Batiste - Trumpet Acker Bilk - Clarinet Dickie Bishop - Banjo, Guitar Colin Bowden - Drums Jim Bray - Bass Teddy Buckner - Trumpet Graham Burbridge - Drums Billy Butterfield - Trumpet Ernie Caceres - Baritone, Clarinet, Sax (Baritone) Dick Cary - Horn (Alto), Piano, Trumpet Al Casamenti - Guitar Ken Colyer - Trumpet Eddie Condon - Guitar Dick Cook - Clarinet Paul Crawford - Trombone Roy Crimmins - Trombone Henry Cuesta - Clarinet Cutty Cutshall - Trombone Barrett Deems - Drums Harold Dejan - Trumpet DeJan's Original Olympia Brass Band Diz Disley - Guitar Alan Elsdon - Trumpet Frank Fields - Bass Ray Foxley - Piano Bud Freeman - Sax (Tenor) Albert French - Banjo, Guitar Leonard Gaskin -Bass Don Goldie - Trumpet Stan Greig - Piano Bob Haggart - Bass Frank Haggerty - Guitar Patrick Halcox - Trumpet Herb Hall - Clarinet Solomon Hall - Drums Bob Hammer - Piano Lennie Hastings - Drums Herb Flemming - Trombone Mort Herbert - Bass Milt Hinton - Bass Peanuts Hucko - Clarinet Fred Hunt - Piano Roy James - Banjo Andrew Jefferson - Drums (Snare) Jo Jones - Drums Waldron "Frog" Joseph - Trombone Max Kaminsky - Trumpet Jeanette Kimball - Piano Billy Kyle - Piano Freddy Legon - Guitar George Lewis - Clarinet Terry Lightfoot - Clarinet Humphrey Lyttelton - Trumpet Rod Mason - Trumpet Ron McKay -Drums John Mortimer - Trombone Frank Naundorf - Trombone Charles Oden - Bass The Original Tuxedo "Jass" Band Kid Ory - Trombone, Vocals Kid Ory's Creole Jazz Band Johnny Parker - Piano Alcide Pavageau - Bass John Picard - Trombone Stan Puls - Bass Bill Reid - Bass Sammy Remington - Clarinet Phillip Rhodes - Trombone Trevor Richards - Drums (Snare) Johnny Richardson - Drums Caughey Roberts - Clarinet Joe Robichaux - Piano Jim Robinson - Trombone Jesse Sailes - Drums Gary Salisbury - Bass, Tuba Gene Schroeder -Piano Archie Semple - Clarinet Colin Smith - Trumpet Dick Smith - Bass Eddie Smith - Bass Geoff Snowden - Trumpet Rex Stewart - Cornet Monty Sunshine - Clarinet Eddie Taylor -Drums Jack Teagarden - Trombone, Vocals Jack Teagarden & His Sextet Joe Thomas -Clarinet Bruce Turner - Sax (Alto) Ron Ward - Bass Joe Watkins - Drums Alex Welsh -Trumpet George Wettling - Drums Ian Wheeler - Sax (Alto) Jack Willis - Trumpet Clive Wilson - Trumpet Trummy Young - Trombone

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The cover art of COMPACT JAZZ * BEST OF DIXIELAND is potentially misleading. Pictured are 78s and cylinders made in the pre-microphone acoustic recording era. Although some of the artists here, such as Louis Armstrong and Kid Ory, were in the studios in those pioneer days, none of their early work is to be found on this set. Rather, we have a collection of full range hi-fi or stereo tracks made for VERVE records in the years spanning 1955 to '61 (the exceptions being one side from 1964 and another made a decade later).

A few of the classic New Orleans "locale" tunes appear ("Basin St. Blues," "Perdido St. Blues," "Canal St. Blues"), as well as perennial favorites ("Ballin' The Jack," "St. Louis Blues," "Hindustan"). For an opportunity to listen to the music being performed all around the Crescent City a half-century ago, VERVE's BEST OF DIXIELAND cannot be beat. ---Annie Van Auken, amazon.com

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