Springsteen 2



uring the long intervals between my record releases, as I was spending more and more time in the studio, when I met a fan on the street I was often asked, "What are you guys doing in there?" I regularly pondered that question myself.

What we were doing in there was making a lot of music, a lot more music than I could use at any one time. As a result, my albums became a series of choices—what to include, what to leave out? I based my decisions on my creative point of view at the moment—the subject I was trying to focus on, something musical or emotional I was trying to express. In certain instances, as on Darkness on the Edge of Town, Nebraska, and The Ghost of Tom Joad, these choices crystallized the album I was making. On some of my other records the reasons I had for choosing one song over another, in hindsight, feel a good deal less significant. One of the results of working like this was that a lot of music, including some of my favorite things, remained unreleased.

This collection contains everything from the first notes I sang in a Columbia recording studio, my early and later work with the E Street Band, through my music in the 90s. It's the alternate route to some of the destinations I travelled to on my records, an invitation into the studio on the many nights we spent making music in search of the records we presented to you. I'm glad to finally be able to share this music; here are some of the ones that got away.

Bruce Springsteen September 1998

1 / growin' up

I stood stonelike at midnight suspended in my masquerade

I combed my hair 'til it was just right and commanded the night brigade

I was open to pain and crossed by the rain and I walked on a crooked crutch

I strode all alone through a fallout zone and came out with my soul untouched

I hid in the clouded wrath of the crowd but when they said "sit down" I stood up

Ooh . . . growin' up

The flag of piracy flew from my mast, my sails were set wing-to-wing

I had a jukebox graduate for first mate, she couldn't sail but she sure could sing

I pushed B-52 and bombed 'em with the blues with my gears set stubborn on standing

We broke all the rules, I strafed my old high school and never once gave thought to landing

I hid in the clouded warmth of the crowd but when they said "come down" I threw up Ooh . . . growin' up

I took month-long vacations in the stratosphere and you know it's really hard to hold your breath

I lost everything I ever loved or feared, I was the cosmic kid in full costume dress

Well my feet they finally took root in the earth but I got me a nice little place in the stars I swear I found the key to the universe in the engine of an old parked car

I hid in the mother breast of the crowd but when they said "pull down" I pulled up

Ooh . . . growin' up Ooh . . . growin' up

2 / seaside bar song

Well Billy bought a Chevy '40 coupe deluxe Chrome wheels, stick shift, give her gas, pop the clutch

Girls on the corner like a diamond they shine Someday Billy I'm gonna make 'em all mine Hey girl, you wanna ride in daddy's Cadillac 'Cause I love the way your long hair falls down your back

Bo Diddley, Bo Diddley's at the Seaside Bar We'll run barefoot in the sand and listen to his guitar

You say your mama's gonna meet you when the morning comes





Yeah, papa's gonna beat you 'cause he knows you're out on the run

I'm gonna live a life of love and tonight you're the one

The highway is alive tonight so baby do not be frightened

There's something about a pretty girl on a sweet summer night

That gets this boy excited

The radio man finally understands and plays you something you can move to

You lay back, cut loose your drive power

Your girl leans over says, "Daddy can you turn that radio up any louder?"

The juke joint's hummin', everybody came down Little Willie and the Soul Brooms layin' all his stuff now

Well don't let that daylight steal your soul Get in your wheels and roll, roll, roll, roll, roll, roll

Oh that's alright now

Oh go on, go on, go on

Oh mama's gonna meet you when the morning comes

And your daddy's gonna beat you 'cause he knows you're out on the run

But I don't care, I wanna live a life of love while the night's still young

3 / rendezvous

I had a dream our love would last forever I had a dream tonight my dream comes true Well if you'll hold me tight We'll be riders, girl, on the night Ooh, I want a rendezvous

Haven't I told you, girl, how much I like you I got a feeling that you like me too Well if you hold me tight We'll be riders, girl, on the night Ooh, I want a rendezvous

You deserve so much more than this, girl
Well I'm ridin' on the power and livin' on the
promise in your last kiss
Because I had a dream our love would last
forever
I had a dream tonight my dream comes true
And if you'll hold me tight
We'll be riders, girl, on the night
Ooh, ooh, rendezvous
I want a rendezvous
I want a rendezvous

4 / hearts of stone

You stare in the mirror at the lines in your face
And you try to see, girl
The way things were when we were at your place
In the days it was just you and me, girl
And you cry because things ain't like before
Well don't you know they can't be that way
anymore
But don't worry baby

CHORUS:

I can't talk now, I'm not alone So put your ear close to the phone 'Cause this is the last dance This is the last chance for hearts of stone

If there was something, baby, that I could do Something that would last, honey, I would But we all know, girl, especially you do How you can't return to your past, no So girl close your eyes and I'll be there Hold me once more and we can go anywhere Ah, we could . . .

(CHORUS)

And you cry because things ain't like before Well don't you know they can't be like that anymore Well I know it, baby

(CHORUS)

5 / where the bands are

I hear the guitars ringin' out
Ringin' out down Union Street
I hear the lead singer shoutin' out, girl
I wanna be a slave to the beat
Yeah, tonight I wanna break my chains
Somebody break my heart
Somebody shake my brains
Downtown there's something that I wanna hear

There's a sound, little girl, keeps ringing in my ear

CHORUS:

I wanna be where the bands are I wanna be where the bands are Where the bands are I wanna be where the bands are

I get off from work and I grab something to eat
I turn the corner and I drive down your street
Little gray houses, darling, looks like nowhere
But hey I know you're hiding in there
Come on out for just a little while
You know that heart of stone, girl, it just ain't
your style
Tonight I wanna feel the beat of the crowd
And when I tell you that I love you
I wanna have to shout it out loud
Shout it out loud

(CHORUS)

I hear the guitars ringin' out again
Ringin' on down Union Street
I hear the lead singer shoutin' out and girl
I wanna be a slave to the beat
And I want something that'll break my chains
Something to break my heart
Something to shake my brains
There's a rocker's special on tonight
So meet me on down
'Neath the neon lights

6 / loose ends

We met out on open streets when we had no place to go

I remember how my heart beat when you said I love you so

Then little by little we choked out all the life that our love could hold

Oh no

CHORUS:

It's like we had a noose and baby without check We pulled until it grew tighter around our necks Each one waiting for the other, darlin', to say when

Well baby you can meet me tonight on the loose end

We didn't count tomorrows, we took what we could and baby we ran

There was no time for sorrow, every place we went I held your hand

And when the night closed in I was sure your kisses told me all I had to know

But oh no

Dut on no

(CHORUS)

Our love has fallen around us like we said it never could

We saw it happen to all the others but to us it never would

Well how could something so bad, darling, come



from something that was so good I don't know

(CHORUS)

7 / i wanna be with you

Let the frozen cities crumble, crumble and fall
That's alright, I don't mind at all
Let 'em all tumble right into the sea
Well that's just fine, that's alright with me
Since you came down the line
I can't sleep at night, I got one thing on my mind
That's every day, every night
I wanna be with you
I wanna be with you, that's what I wanna do
'Cause you're just so out of sight
I wanna be with you, that's what I wanna do
Now I lost my job at the Texaco station

'Cause instead of pumping gas I'd dream of you I got thrown out of my house, I got such a bad reputation

'Cause all I wanna do is be seen with you They gave me my pay and said walk I don't care what they say, go ahead let 'em all talk

'Til the world falls apart
I wanna be with you
I wanna be with you
That's what I wanna do
Until they will rip out my heart
I wanna be with you, I wanna be with you
Well that's all I wanna do

Hold tight, love me just a little bit Alright, a little bit more Tonight, tonight give me just a little kiss No, I don't know, I don't know, I don't



I just can't understand it, you're not pretty at all But I come when you whisper, I run when you call

When I see you on the streets I fall on my face I drop to my knees, I plead my case Oh, oh, I wanna be with you I wanna be with you, that's what I wanna do Oh, oh, I wanna be with you I wanna be with you, that's all I wanna do Oh, oh, I wanna be with you I wanna be with you, darlin', don't you know Oh, oh, I wanna be with you I wanna be with you because I love you so

8 / born in the u.s.a.

Born down in a dead man's town
The first kick I took was when I hit the ground
You end up like a dog that's been beat too much
'Til you spend half your life just covering up

CHORUS:

Born in the U.S.A. Born in the U.S.A. Born in the U.S.A. Born in the U.S.A.

I got in a little hometown jam

And so they put a rifle in my hands Sent me off to Vietnam To go and kill the yellow man

(CHORUS)

Come back home to the refinery Hiring man says "Son if it was up to me" I go down to see the V.A. man He said "Son don't you understand"

(CHORUS)

I had a buddy at Khe Sahn Fighting off the Viet Cong They're still there, he's all gone He had a little girl in Saigon I got a picture of him in her arms

Down in the shadow of the penitentiary
Out by the gas fires of the refinery
I'm ten years down the road
Nowhere to run, ain't got nowhere to go
I'm a long gone daddy in the U.S.A.
Born in the U.S.A.
I'm a cool rocking daddy in the U.S.A.
Born in the U.S.A.

9 / my love will not let you down

At night I go to bed but I just can't sleep I got something running around my head That just won't keep
In the silence I hear my heart beating, time
slippin' away
I got a time bomb ticking deep inside of me
I gotta tell you what I wanna say
I keep searching for you, darling
Searching everywhere I go
And when I find you there's gonna be
Just one thing you gotta know
My love will not let you down
My love will not let you down

At night I walk the streets looking for romance
But I always end up stumbling in a half-trance
I search for connection in some new eyes
But they're hard for protection from too many
dreams passed by
I see you standing across the room watching me
without a sound
Well I'm gonna push my way through that
crowd, I'm gonna tear all your walls down
Tear all your walls down
My love will not let you down
My love will not let you down

Well hold still now darling, hold still for God's sake 'Cause I got me a promise I ain't afraid to make My love will not let you down My love will not let you down

10 / lion's den

You broke my heart, tore it apart Thought it was cute, thought it was smart But now I'm back and I've got the strength of ten So I got a message for you my friend

CHORUS:

I'm Daniel waitin' in the lion's den Daniel waitin' for that lion to come Daniel waitin' in the lion's den Dum dum dee dum dum dee dee dum dum

That old lion's mean and long in the tooth And like you, baby, he's out on the loose Messin' hearts up time and time again Well it's time for that messin' to end

(CHORUS)

At night I hear you out prowling around Tearing guys up, scaring 'em down Now all that growling's gonna come to no end 'Cause I'm just biding my time, my little friend

(CHORUS)

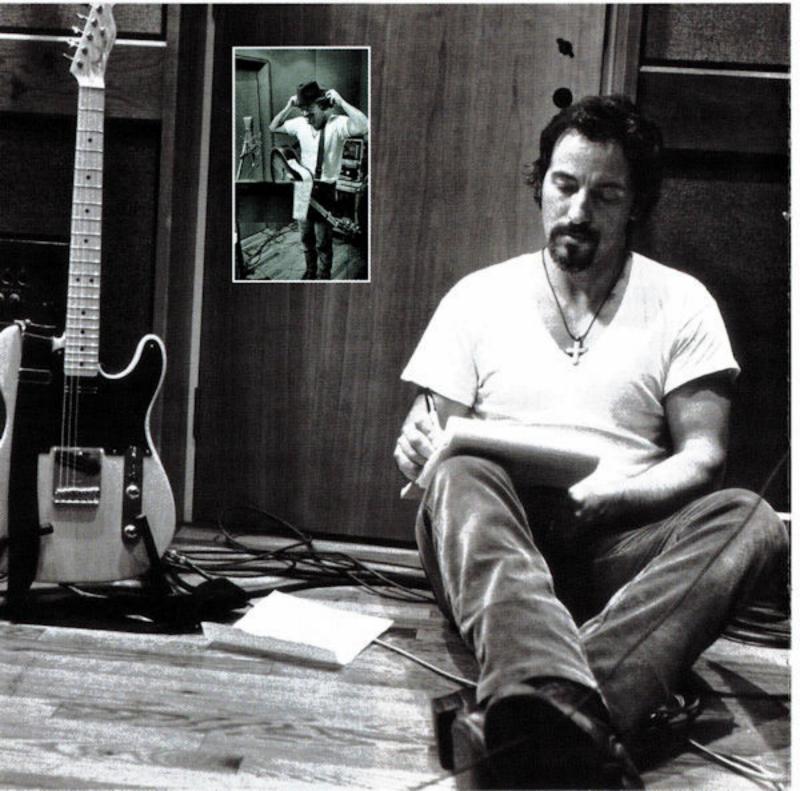
11 / pink cadillac

You may think I'm foolish For the foolish things I do You may wonder how come I love you When you get on my nerves like you do Well baby you know you bug me There ain't no secret 'bout that Well come on over here and hug me Baby I'll spill the facts Well honey it ain't your money 'Cause baby I got plenty of that I love you for your pink Cadillac Crushed velvet seats Riding in the back Oozing down the street Waving to the girls Feeling out of sight Spending all my money On a Saturday night Honey I just wonder what you do there in the back Of your pink Cadillac Pink Cadillac

Well now way back in the Bible Temptations always come along There's always somebody tempting Somebody into doing something they know is wrong

Well they tempt you, man, with silver
And they tempt you with the pleasure
That the flesh does surely hold
They say Eve tempted Adam with an apple
But man I ain't going for that
I know it was her pink Cadillac
Crushed velvet seats
Riding in the back
Oozing down the street
Waving to the girls

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Feeling out of sight
Spending all my money
On a Saturday night
Honey I just wonder what it feels like in the back
Of your pink Cadillac

Now some folks say it's too big
And uses too much gas
Some folks say it's too old
And that it goes too fast
But my love is bigger than a Honda
It's bigger than a Subaru
Hey man there's only one thing
And one car that will do
Anyway we don't have to drive it
Honey we can park it out in back
And have a party in your pink Cadillac

12 / janey don't you lose heart

You got your book with all your fears
Let me, honey, and I'll catch your tears
I'll take your sorrow if you want me to
Come tomorrow that's what I'll do
Listen to me

CHORUS:

Janey don't you lose heart Janey don't you lose heart Janey don't you lose heart Janey don't you lose heart

Well you say you got no new dreams to touch 12. You feel like a stranger who knows too much Well you come home late and get undressed You lie in bed, feel this emptiness Well listen to me

(CHORUS)

'Til every river runs dry
Until the sun honey's torn from the sky
'Til every fear you've felt burst free
And's gone tumblin' down into the sea
Listen to me

(CHORUS)

13 | sad eyes

Every day here you come walking
I hold my tongue, I don't do much talking
You say you're happy and you're doin' fine
Well go ahead, baby, I got plenty of time
Sad eyes never lie
Sad eyes never lie

Well for a while I've been watching you steady
Ain't gonna move 'til you're good and ready
You show up and then you shy away
But I know pretty soon you'll be walkin' this way
Sad eyes never lie
Sad eyes never lie

Baby don't you know I don't care
Don't you know that I've been there
Well if something in the air feels a little unkind
Don't worry darling, it'll slip your mind

I know you think you'd never be mine
Well that's okay, baby, I don't mind
That shy smile's sweet, that's a fact
Go ahead, I don't mind the act
Here you come all dressed up for a date
Well one more step and it'll be too late
Blue blue ribbon in your hair
Like you're so sure I'll be standing here

14 / part man, part monkey

They prosecuted some poor sucker in these United States

For teaching that man descended from the apes
They could settled that case without a fuss or
fight

If they'd seen me chasin' you, sugar, through the jungle last night

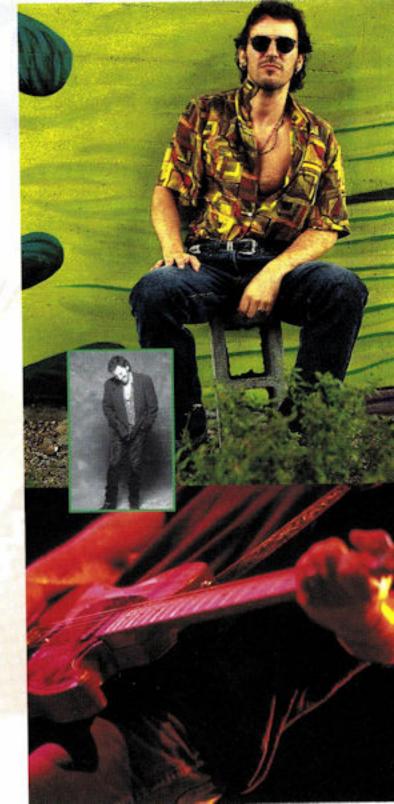
They'da called in that jury and a one two three said

Part man, part monkey, definitely

Well the church bell rings from the corner steeple

Man in a monkey suit swears he'll do no evil
Offers his lover's prayer but his soul lies
Dark and driftin' and unsatisfied
Well hey bartender, tell me whaddaya see
Part man, part monkey, looks like to me

Well the night is dark, the moon is full
The flowers of romance exert their pull
We talk awhile, my fingers slip
I'm hard and crackling like a whip



Well did God make man in a breath of holy fire Or did he crawl on up out of the muck and mire Well the man on the street believes what the Bible tells him so Well you can ask me, mister, because I know

Tell them soul-suckin' preachers to come on down and see

Part man, part monkey, baby that's me

15 / trouble river

There's a river runs through this valley Cold and deep and black Comin' like a tombstone shadow across my back

CHORUS:

Trouble river, six foot high and rising Trouble river, I can't keep from cryin'

I woke up last night shakin' Shakin' from a dream That all I seen was smiling faces staring back at me

(CHORUS)

Snakes crawling in the hi house I'm stuck in muddy ground Tonight I'm gonna shed this skin And I'll be breathin' free air now

(CHORUS)

16 / brothers under the bridge

Saigon, it was all gone
The same Coke machines
As the streets I grew on
Down a mesquite canyon
We come walking along the ridge
Me and the brothers under the bridge

Campsite's an hour's walk from the nearest road to town

Up here there's too much brush and canyon For the CHP choppers to touch down Ain't lookin' for nothin', just wanna live Me and the brothers under the bridge

Come the Santa Ana's, man, that dry brush'll light

Billy Devon got burned up in his own campfire one winter night

We buried his body in the white stone high up along the ridge Me and the brothers under the bridge

Had enough of town and the street life

Over nothing you end up on the wrong end of someone's knife

Now I don't want no trouble

And I ain't got none to give

Me and the brothers under the bridge

I come home in '72 You were just a beautiful light In your mama's dark eyes of blue I stood down on the tarmac, I was just a kid Me and the brothers under the bridge

Come Veteran's Day I sat in the stands in my dress blues
I held your mother's hand
When they passed with the red, white and blue
One minute you're right there . . . then something slips . . .

17 / the fever

When I get home from my job I turn on my T.V.

But I can't keep my mind on the show

When I lay down at night, oh I can't get no sleep

So I turn on my radio

But the only sound I hear is you whisperin' in

my ear

The words that you used to say

Now my days grow longer

'Cause my love grows stronger

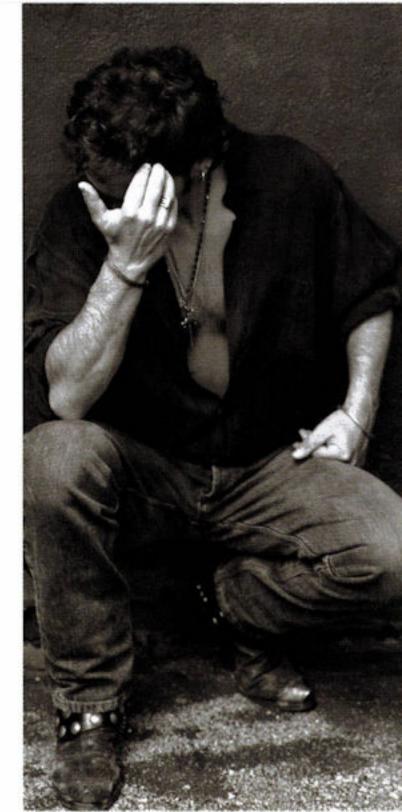
And the fever gets worse

And I've got the fever for this girl

CHORUS:

Got the fever, oh I've got the fever Nothing that a po' boy can do When he's got the fever for this girl Got the fever, oh I've got the fever Left this little boy blue

I can remember comin' home I see you standin' at the stove





With the dishes on the table
Dinner ready to go
We'll maybe go out to a movie show
Something that you like to see
Well, now, you are my sun in the morning
And my moon at night
I think about you baby
I feel all right
Now my days grow longer
'Cause my love grows stronger
And the fever gets worse
And I've got the fever for this girl

(CHORUS)

18 / the promise

Johnny works in a factory and Billy works downtown

Terry works in a rock and roll band Lookin' for that million-dollar sound I got a little job down in Darlington But some nights I don't go Some nights I go to the drive-in, or some nights I stay home

I followed that dream just like those guys do up on the screen

And I drive a Challenger down Route 9 through the dead ends and all the bad scenes

When the promise was broken, I cashed in a few of my dreams

Well now I built that Challenger by myself But I needed money and so I sold it I lived a secret I should'a kept to myself
But I got drunk one night and I told it
All my life I fought this fight
The fight that no man can ever win
Every day it just gets harder to live
This dream I'm believing in
Thunder Road, oh baby you were so right
Thunder Road, there's somethin' dyin' on the
highway tonight

I won big once and I hit the coast
But somehow I paid the big cost
Inside I felt like I was carryin' the broken spirits
Of all the other ones who lost
When the promise is broken you go on living
But it steals something from down in your soul
Like when the truth is spoken and it don't make no
difference

Somethin' in your heart goes cold I followed that dream through the southwestern flats That dead ends in two-bit bars

And when the promise was broken I was far away from home

Sleepin' in the backseat of a borrowed car Thunder Road, for the lost lovers and all the fixed games

Thunder Road, for the tires rushing by in the rain Thunder Road, Billy and me we'd always say Thunder Road, we were gonna take it all and throw it all away

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1 / growin' up

RECORDED AT CBS STUDIOS (NY), 5/3/72 RECORDED AND MIXED BY PHIL GIAMBALVO ASSISTANT: S. TONKEL

BRUCE SPRINGSTEEN—GUITAR, VOCALS

PRODUCED BY JOHN HAMMOND

2 / seaside bar song

RECORDED AT 914 SOUND RECORDING, 6/28/73 RECORDED BY LOUIS LEHAV MIXED BY ED THACKER

BRUCE SPRINGSTEEN—GUITAR, VOCALS
DANNY FEDERICI—ORGAN, GLOCKENSPIEL, ACCORDION
GARRY TALLENT—BASS
VINI LOPEZ—DRUMS
DAVID SANCIOUS—PIANO, ORGAN
CLARENCE CLEMONS—SAXOPHONE

PRODUCED BY MIKE APPEL, JIM CRETECOS

3 / rendezvous

RECORDED AT THE RECORD PLANT
(LA REMOTE) (LIVE)
RECORDED BY TOBY SCOTT
MIXED BY ED THACKER

BRUCE SPRINGSTEEN—LEAD GUITAR, VOCALS DANNY FEDERICI—ORGAN, GLOCKENSPIEL GARRY TALLENT—BASS
CLARENCE CLEMONS—PERCUSSION
STEVIE VAN ZANDT—GUITAR
ROY BITTAN—PIANO
MAX WEINBERG—DRUMS

PRODUCED BY BRUCE SPRINGSTEEN, JON LANDAU, MIKE APPEL

4 / hearts of stone

RECORDED AT THE RECORD PLANT (NY), 10/14/77 RECORDED BY JIMMY IOVINE MIXED BY BOB CLEARMOUNTAIN

BRUCE SPRINGSTEEN—GUITAR, VOCALS
DANNY FEDERICI—ORGAN
GARRY TALLENT—BASS
CLARENCE CLEMONS—SAXOPHONE
STEVIE VAN ZANDT—GUITAR
ROY BITTAN—PIANO
MAX WEINBERG—DRUMS

ADDITIONAL MUSICIANS: JERRY VIVINO (TENOR SAX), ED MANION (BARITONE SAX), MARK "THE LOVE MAN" PENDER (TRUMPET), RICHIE "LA BAMBA" ROSENBERG (TROMBONE), MIKE SPENGLER (TRUMPET)

PRODUCED BY JON LANDAU, BRUCE SPRINGSTEEN

5 / where the bands are

RECORDED AT THE POWER STATION, 10/9/79 RECORDED BY NEIL DORFSMAN MIXED BY ED THACKER BRUCE SPRINGSTEEN—GUITAR, VOCALS STEVIE VAN ZANDT—GUITAR GARRY TALLENT—BASS MAX WEINBERG—DRUMS CLARENCE CLEMONS—SAXOPHONE

PRODUCED BY BRUCE SPRINGSTEEN, JON LANDAU, STEVIE VAN ZANDT

6 / loose ends

RECORDED AT THE POWER STATION, 7/18/79 RECORDED BY NEIL DORFSMAN MIXED BY ED THACKER

BRUCE SPRINGSTEEN—GUITAR, VOCALS
ROY BITTAN—PIANO
DANNY FEDERICI—ORGAN,
GLOCKENSPIEL
GARRY TALLENT—BASS
MAX WEINBERG—DRUMS
CLARENCE CLEMONS—SAXOPHONE

PRODUCED BY BRUCE SPRINGSTEEN, JON LANDAU, STEVIE VAN ZANDT

7 / i wanna be with you

RECORDED AT THE POWER STATION, 5/31/79 RECORDED BY NEIL DORFSMAN MIXED BY ED THACKER

BRUCE SPRINGSTEEN—GUITAR, VOCALS STEVIE VAN ZANDT—GUITAR ROY BITTAN—PIANO DANNY FEDERICI—ORGAN GARRY TALLENT—BASS MAX WEINBERG—DRUMS CLARENCE CLEMONS—SAXOPHONE PRODUCED BY BRUCE SPRINGSTEEN, JON LANDAU, STEVIE VAN ZANDT

8 / born in the u.s.a.

RECORDED AT THRILL HILL RECORDING, 1/82 RECORDED BY MIKE BATLAN BRUCE SPRINGSTEEN—GUITAR, VOCALS PRODUCED BY BRUCE SPRINGSTEEN

9 / my love will not let you down

RECORDED AT THE HIT FACTORY, 5/5/82 RECORDED BY TOBY SCOTT MIXED BY ED THACKER

BRUCE SPRINGSTEEN—GUITAR, VOCALS
GARRY TALLENT—BASS
MAX WEINBERG—DRUMS
ROY BITTAN— KEYBOARDS, PIANO
DANNY FEDERICI— ORGAN,
GLOCKENSPIEL
STEVIE VAN ZANDT—GUITAR

PRODUCED BY BRUCE SPRINGSTEEN, JON LANDAU, CHUCK PLOTKIN, STEVIE VAN ZANDT

10 / lion's den

RECORDED AT THE POWER STATION, 1/25/82 RECORDED BY NEIL DORFSMAN MIXED BY ED THACKER

BRUCE SPRINGSTEEN—GUITAR, VOCALS GARRY TALLENT—BASS MAX WEINBERG—DRUMS ROY BITTAN—PIANO DANNY FEDERICI—ORGAN

ADDITIONAL MUSICIANS: MARIO CRUZ (TENOR SAX), ED MANION (BARITONE SAX), MARK "THE LOVE MAN" PENDER (TRUMPET), RICHIE "LA BAMBA" ROSENBERG (TROMBONE), MIKE SPENGLER (TRUMPET)

PRODUCED BY BRUCE SPRINGSTEEN, JON LANDAU, CHUCK PLOTKIN, STEVIE VAN ZANDT

11 / pink cadillac

RECORDED AT THE HIT FACTORY, 5/31/83 RECORDED BY TOBY SCOTT MIXED BY BOB CLEARMOUNTAIN

BRUCE SPRINGSTEEN—GUITAR, VOCALS GARRY TALLENT—BASS MAX WEINBERG—DRUMS CLARENCE CLEMONS—SAXOPHONE

PRODUCED BY BRUCE SPRINGSTEEN, JON LANDAU, CHUCK PLOTKIN, STEVIE VAN ZANDT

12 / janey don't you lose heart

RECORDED AT THE HIT FACTORY, 6/16/83 RECORDED BY TOBY SCOTT MIXED BY BOB CLEARMOUNTAIN

BRUCE SPRINGSTEEN—GUITAR, VOCALS GARRY TALLENT—BASS MAX WEINBERG—DRUMS STEVIE VAN ZANDT—GUITAR ADDITIONAL MUSICIAN: NILS LOFGREN (VOCALS)

PRODUCED BY BRUCE SPRINGSTEEN, JON LANDAU, CHUCK PLOTKIN, STEVIE VAN ZANDT

13 / sad eyes

RECORDED AT SOUNDWORKS WEST (LA), 1/25/90 RECORDED BY TOBY SCOTT MIXED BY BOB CLEARMOUNTAIN

BRUCE SPRINGSTEEN—GUITAR, VOCALS ROY BITTAN—KEYBOARDS

ADDITIONAL MUSICIANS: DANNY FEDERICI (ORGAN), MICHAEL FISHER (PERCUSSION), RANDY JACKSON (BASS), JEFF PORCARO (DRUMS), DAVID SANCIOUS (KEYBOARDS)

PRODUCED BY BRUCE SPRINGSTEEN, JON LANDAU, CHUCK PLOTKIN, ROY BITTAN

14 / part man, part monkey

RECORDED AT SOUNDWORKS WEST (LA), 1/90 RECORDED BY TOBY SCOTT MIXED BY BOB CLEARMOUNTAIN

BRUCE SPRINGSTEEN—GUITAR, VOCALS ROY BITTAN—KEYBOARDS

ADDITIONAL MUSICIANS: OMAR HAKIM (DRUMS), RANDY JACKSON (BASS), DAVID SANCIOUS (KEYBOARDS) PRODUCED BY BRUCE SPRINGSTEEN, JON LANDAU, CHUCK PLOTKIN, ROY BITTAN

15 / trouble river

RECORDED AT SOUNDWORKS WEST, (LA), 4/6/90 RECORDED BY TOBY SCOTT MIXED BY BOB CLEARMOUNTAIN

BRUCE SPRINGSTEEN—GUITAR, VOCALS ROY BITTAN—KEYBOARDS RANDY JACKSON—BASS JEFF PORCARO—DRUMS

PRODUCED BY BRUCE SPRINGSTEEN, JON LANDAU, CHUCK PLOTKIN

16 / brothers under the bridge

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BRUCE SPRINGSTEEN-GUITAR, VOCALS

ADDITIONAL MUSICIANS: DANNY
FEDERICI (KEYBOARDS), GARY
MALLABER (DRUMS), MARTY RIFKIN
(PEDAL STEEL GUITAR, DOBRO),
GARRY TALLENT (BASS),
SOOZIE TYRELL (VIOLIN)

PRODUCED BY BRUCE SPRINGSTEEN, CHUCK PLOTKIN

17 / the fever

RECORDED AT THE RECORD PLANT (NY), 5/16/73 RECORDED BY JIMMY IOVINE MIXED BY THOM PANUNZIO

BRUCE SPRINGSTEEN—VOCALS,
PIANO
VINI LOPEZ—DRUMS
GARRY TALLENT—BASS
DANNY FEDERICI—ORGAN
CLARENCE CLEMONS—SAXOPHONE,
BACKGROUND VOCALS

PRODUCED BY MIKE APPEL, JIM CRETECOS

18 / the promise

RECORDED AT THRILL HILL RECORDING, 2/12/99 RECORDED AND MIXED BY TOBY SCOTT BRUCE SPRINGSTEEN—PIANO, VOCALS PRODUCED BY BRUCE SPRINGSTEEN

BACKGROUND PHOTO
WITH THE CREW (CLOCKWISE FROM TOP):
THOM PANUNZIO, CHUCK PLOTKIN, TOBY SCOTT,
KOOSTER MCALLISTER, GREG GOLDMAN,
ED THACKER, ROSS PETERSEN



PRODUCED BY

Bruce Springsteen and Chuck Plotkin

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Toby Scott; assisted by Greg Goldman

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Bob Ludwig at Gateway Mastering

MIX ENGINEERS

Ed Thacker at Thrill Hill Recording Assisted by Ross Petersen

Bob Clearmountain at Mix This! Assisted by David Boucher

Thom Panunzio (supplemental recording, mix preparation, and mixing) in The Record Plant Remote Truck; assisted by Kooster McAllister



WITH JON LANDAU

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