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## The Explosives—Three Ring Circus

A CD and DVD set from The Explosives, 1979-1982



**Three Ring Circus** (SB-0029)

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Reissue CD compilation produced by Freddie Steady Krc, DVD produced & edited by Bryan Jaska at Mojo Video Productions

### DISC 1 (CD)

1. Headhunter (Krc, King, Collie) 2:22
  2. I Gotta Move (Davies) 2:20
  3. Never Be Good For You (King) 3:00
  4. Love You Tonight (Krc) 2:37
  5. Come Here and Do It (Collie) 2:23
  6. Lonely Street (Krc) 3:22
  7. I Thought You Were a Man (King) 3:38
  8. Sunsets (Collie) 2:31
  9. A Girl Like You (Krc) 3:03
  10. Headhunter (Krc / King / Collie) 2:26
  11. If I Touch Her (King) 1:56
  12. UFO (Krc) 2:23
  13. Fortress Europe (Collie) 2:03
  14. Cola Brain (King) 2:09
  15. Come Clean (Krc) 2:06
  16. Summertime Come (King) 1:51
  17. I Won't Go Back To Work (Krc) 2:16
  18. I'm an Explosive (Krc / McMahon / Collie) 2:12
- Bonus live tracks*
19. UFO (Krc) 2:21
  20. Monopoly (King) 3:02
- Studio recordings 1979-1981, live tracks 1982*

The Explosives lived up to their name in the late seventies and early eighties, packing more power than their so-called punk rock peers. Jungle wails and monkey calls opened their 1982 album, *Restless Natives*, produced by Creedence bassist Stu Cook, who not only brought some CCR simplicity to the project but just enough Spector Wall of Sound to further differentiate the Texas trio from the rest of the pack. The band's sound was as musically wild as the album name implied, and the original restless natives are back.

The new Explosives album, *Three Ring Circus*, includes the entirety of *Restless Natives*, (first time on CD) along with all other official Explosives studio releases, plus two live bonus tracks and a bonus DVD capturing the band in its garage rock jungle glory. Relive the combustible rock and roll energy of the three friends who weren't just talented, prolific, and fun. They were *explosive*.

--Rush Evans, *SteadyBoy Records*

**"Great guitars, great songs, great records."**—Peter Lewis, *Moby Grape*

**"I want to thank Freddie for being there every time I needed him."**  
—Roky Erickson

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### DISC 2 (DVD)

1. Headhunter (Krc / King / Collie)
  2. Sellin' Out (King)
  3. I Wanna See You Cry (Krc)
  4. Dancin' All Night (Collie)
  5. A Girl Like You (Krc)
  6. Stuck in the Ball Turret (King)
  7. Sunset (Collie)
  8. New Shoes (King)
  9. Come Here and Do It (Collie)
  10. Stop That Girl (King)
  11. Night Ride (King)
  12. Love You Tonight (Krc)
  13. I'm an Explosive (Krc / McMahon / Collie)
  14. Come Clean (Krc / King)
  15. Summertime Come (King)
  16. I Won't Go Back To Work (Krc)
  17. Tommy and Toni (Collie)
  18. If I Touch Her (King)
  19. Fortress Europe (Collie)
  20. UFO (Krc)
- Tracks 1-9 filmed at Rock Island in Houston, TX April 17, 1981*  
*Tracks 10-12 filmed at Hyperspace in Dickinson, TX September 11, 1982*  
*Tracks 13-20 filmed at Steamboat in Austin, TX September 17, 1988*