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THROUGH A FARAWAY WINDOW: A TRIBUTE TO JIMMY SILVA

The three alluring albums cut by San Francisco bay area native Jimmy Silva 20 years ago, full of irresistible folk-rockers and haunting melodies, have never been forgotten by Silva's fellow musicians and his adoring core of fans. Critic's darlings the Young Fresh Fellows and the Smithereens recorded some of Silva's best work.

In turn, YFF's Scott McCaughey contributed songs to Silva's solo recordings before Silva's untimely death at 42 in 1994. McCaughey went on to work with REM and to form the Minus 5, but he never forgot his friend's songs. Neither did SteadyBoy Records owner and Texas power popper, Freddie Steady Krc, and music journalist Jud Cost who gathered Silva's fans and friends for *Through a Faraway Window: A Tribute to Jimmy Silva*. The collection includes Freddie Steady, Scott McCaughey, the Beau Brummels' Sal Valentino, the Posies' Jon Auer, and other Silva admirers. Look through this faraway window, and you'll hear the inspirational songs Jimmy left behind.

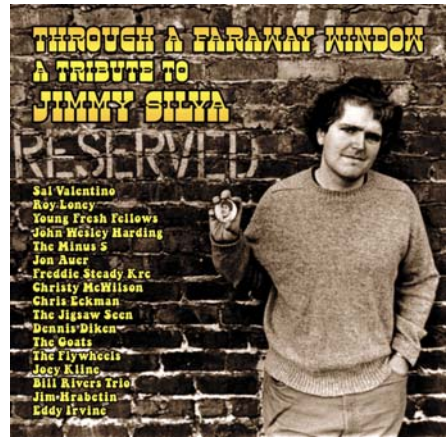
--Rush Evans, SteadyBoy Records



If Jimmy Silva, the brilliant subject of this irresistible tribute album, had been born ten years earlier he might have made a small fortune writing folk-rock smashes for the Byrds. --Professor Jud Cost

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1. Intro/Carnival Barker 0:12
2. Waking Up/Dennis Diken 3:26
3. All the Places/Sal Valentino 2:56
4. Kate of the Human Race/Young Fresh Fellows 1:51
5. I've Got Time/The Flywheels 4:10
6. People Standing In A Line/The Minus 5 3:32
7. Christmas Is Holy/John Wesley Harding 2:54
8. Spontaneous Entertainment/Jimmy Silva 0:15
9. Big House/Roy Loney 2:32
10. Man Of The Cloth/Christy McWilson 3:05
11. Doesn't Matter At All/Chris Eckman 4:02
12. I'll Never Go to Sea Again/Bill Rivers Trio 3:20
13. Love of Land/Jim Hrabetin 2:45
14. City of Sisterly Love/Jon Auer 2:58
15. St. Catherine's Statue/The Minus 5 3:08
16. We Want the Empty Set/Jimmy Silva 0:21
17. Fair Exchange/Young Fresh Fellows 2:38
18. Train Crossing/The Goats 3:55
19. Need I Know/John Wesley Harding 3:06
20. May the 2nd/The Flywheels 2:36
21. Robot Men/Jimmy Silva 0:41
22. Tin Whistle and a Wooden Drum/Freddie Steady Krc 3:30
23. Through A Faraway Window/Chris Eckman 4:27
24. The Branch/The Jigsaw Seen 4:10
25. Tell It to the Raven/Joey Kline 3:14
26. For The Masses/Jimmy Silva 1:10
27. Grease the Wheel/Sal Valentino 2:36
28. A Fine and Private Place/Eddy Irvine 3:06
29. Jim Silva Ad/Jimmy Silva and the Smithereens 2:59