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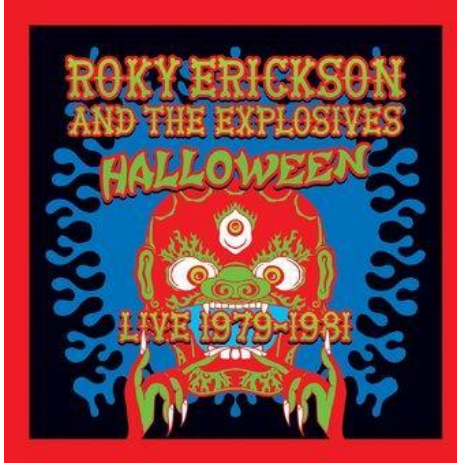
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Presents

Roky Erickson and the Explosives Halloween Live 1979-1981 on vinyl

Nobody had ever heard anything like Roky Erickson when he and his 13th Floor Elevators burst out of Austin, Texas onto the psychedelic scene in 1966 with their scary nugget, "You're Gonna Miss Me." A decade later, the power-popping Explosives re-ignited the Austin flame, infusing tight Beatlesque rhythms with the passionate fury of their Elevator hero. By 1979, it was downright inevitable that they come together as a tight quartet. Since 2005, the Explosives have again powered Erickson's inspiring return to the stage. *Halloween* captures the live experience of Roky and the Explosives from their powerful first cycle, 1979-1981. Explosives drummer Freddie Steady Krc has handpicked the tracks, most unreleased, including the only performance of The Beatles' "I've Just Seen a Face."

Now over forty years after these recordings were made, they are available on vinyl in a special new release which also allows the psychedelic cover art by San Francisco poster artist, Dennis Loren to be seen in grander glory. This two-record set also features disc one on orange vinyl and disc two on bloody hammer red. Here's what Roky sounded like during three amazing years with the mighty Explosives.--*Rush Evans*



Halloween Live 1979-1981

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Produced by Freddie Steady Krc

Songs by Roky Erickson, unless otherwise noted

Disc 1

1. Two Headed Dog (3:57)
2. Don't Shake Me Lucifer (2:59)
3. Bermuda (3:18)
4. The Wind and More (5:22)
5. Starry Eyes (4:27)
6. I Walked with A Zombie (4:24)
7. Stand for the Fire Demon (7:55)
8. Bloody Hammer (5:00)

Disc 2

9. Wait for You (3:47)
10. Wake Up to Rock & Roll (3:12)
11. Bermuda (3:18)
12. You're Gonna Miss Me (4:09)
13. Creature With the Atom Brain (3:53)
14. I Think Up Demons (3:02)
15. The Beast (4:40)
15. I've Just Seen A Face
(Lennon/McCartney; 2:21)
16. The Interpreter (2:31)
17. White Faces (3:01)
18. KLBJ Radio Ad (:29)

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