

Blue James Band

Give Me the Love or Give Me the Fight



Blue James Band's 3rd release on the Chappy Payne Records label (9/25/2012) is a testament to the band's passion for imaginative, fun-filled, soul-soothing songs. *Give Me the Love or Give Me the Fight* sees Blue James Band as vibrant as ever, with their sunny roots/rock n' roll/reggae style fused throughout the album's ten tracks. Inventive musicality and lyrical style underlie the album, allowing each track to take listeners on their own journey, while providing singularity that impresses like a fingerprint.

Track Listing

1. Not Ready For You (4:25)
2. They Come and They Go (3:54)
3. Long Distance Love (3:33)
4. Give Me the Love or Give Me the Fight (4:28)
5. Setting Sun (4:34)
6. Who You Are (4:26)
7. Everyone's Running (5:10)
8. Between Two Lands (4:41)
9. Standing in the Fire (4:15)
10. Eyes in the Dark (4:38)

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*BJB has played with Rusted Root, Tim Reynolds, Victor Wooten, Eric Lindell, Elvin Bishop, and many more.

*Tour of England and East coast booked for Summer/Fall 2012

*Radio campaign beginning 9/12

On *Give Me the Love or Give Me the Fight*, Blue James Band let their souls run free to simmer in creativity, both musically and lyrically, resulting in an album that is transcendent, yet accessible. Highlights include the reggae-infused "Not Ready For You" and the worldly "They Come and They Go."

At the heart of the album is the title track, the lyrics of which embody the often-ineffable complexities of love. Says singer/songwriter Clifton Williams, "I want passion in my relationships and with that comes the highs of love and the lows of fights. Without both, the passion is somehow muted." This type of sensitivity and depth, encapsulated in simple form, is thematic of the band's lyrical signature. Coupled with a rhythmic melody that pulses throughout the track, the song demands that you move your feet and sing along.

Give Me the Love or Give Me the Fight uniquely captures Blue James Band's infectious energy, which fans around the world already enjoy in the band's spirited live shows. With Williams sitting as producer and Scott Riebling (*Weezer*, *We The Kings*) mixing, the Blue James Band is set to release their most dynamic and inventive album to date.

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