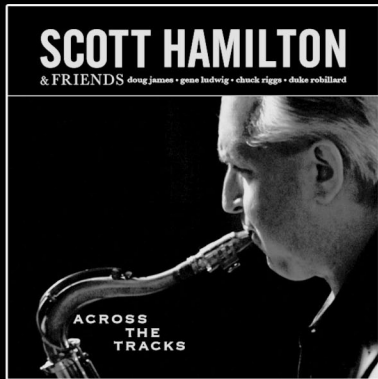


ACROSS THE TRACKS

SCOTT HAMILTON

& FRIENDS doug james • gene ludwig • chuck riggs • duke robillard

Tenor saxophonist Scott Hamilton returns with a cookin' and soulful new album of jazz originals and ballads that was engineered, mixed and mastered by the legendary Rudy Van Gelder. *Across the Tracks*, produced by Bob Porter, is a first on two fronts: It's his first recording tracked at legendary engineer Rudy Van Gelder's New Jersey studio; It's his first album that features, on all nine tracks, blues guitarist Duke Robillard, his longtime friend and collaborator (the two had appeared as guests on each other's albums over the years).



Featuring:

- Scott Hamilton** – tenor saxophone
- Duke Robillard** – guitar
- Gene Ludwig** – organ
- Chuck Riggs** – drums
- Doug James** – baritone saxophone (tracks 2 & 5)

Immediate Sales Points/Artist Career Highlights:

- *Across the Tracks* is the first time Scott Hamilton and legendary jazz engineer **Rudy Van Gelder** have worked together
- Hamilton is the keeper of the flame for swinging tenor saxophone in the tradition of such icons as **Lester Young, Coleman Hawkins, Gene Ammons, Illinois Jacquet, and Eddie "Lockjaw" Davis**
- Features Grammy® nominated (traditional blues) guitarist **Duke Robillard** (known for his work with *Roomful of Blues* and *The Fabulous Thunderbirds*).

National Print Advertising:

Ads will appear in the June issues of *Downbeat* and *Jazz Times*. *Across The Tracks* will also be included in **the RVG remaster series** advertising in May.

New Media:

Online marketing specialists will secure editorial and reviews with music, lifestyle and affinity sites; likely 60-80 sites for initial push and focus, including **AOL** and **Yahoo** to name a few. Additional tasks include **MySpace** and **YouTube** coverage, banner advertisements and special listening parties.

Top Ten Sales Markets (in order):

New York, Los Angeles, Chicago, Washington DC, Seattle, San Francisco, Boston, Philadelphia, Minneapolis, Detroit

Selections:

1. Deuces Wild
2. Parker's Pals
3. Save Your Love For Me
4. Cop Out
5. Intermission Riff
6. Sweet Slumber
7. Something For Red
8. Blue Turning Gray Over You
9. Memories of You

Produced By: Bob Porter

Radio:

Full CD ships to Jazz and College Jazz, on April 21

Additional Artist Titles on CMG:

Nocturnes and Serenades	CCD-30025	C18	Live In London	CCD-2172	C17
Back In New York	CCD-2274	C18	With Strings	CCD-4538	GF
Heavy Juice	CCD-2258	C18	Double Play	CCD2-2123	C17 2 CD set
At Last	CCD-4434	GF	From The Beginning	CCD2-2117	C17 2 CD set
			And more...		



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Artist/Title: **Scott Hamilton/ Across The Tracks**

Street Date: **May 6, 2008**

Order Due Date: **April 16, 2008**

Notes:



Genre: **Jazz**

Label: **Concord Jazz**

Packaging: **Jewel Case – 1 CD**

CD-Selection #

Box Lot: **30**

Price Code: **C18**

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