

On *Keep My Belly Full*, Big Creek Slim Captures the Essence of Vintage American Blues

Danish Music Award - Best Blues Album 2016 - *Keep My Belly Full*

Danish Blues Name Of The Year 2015 - *Big Creek Slim*

Danish Music Award Nominee - Best Blues Album 2015 - *Hope For My Soul*

Danish Blues Challenge Winner 2013 - *Big Creek Slim*

Big Creek Slim plays the old blues and plays it right. You have to hear it to believe it.

On *Keep My Belly Full*, Big Creek Slim offers up seven original tunes, and also performs songs by Tommy Johnson, Son House, J.B. Wright, Luther "Snakeboy" Johnson and Jesse James. Big Creek brings a sometimes raucous, sometimes reverent authority to the proceedings, gracing his renditions with a soulful presence and a natural ease.

Big Creek Slim is a Danish-born musician who has traveled in the United States. *Keep My Belly Full* is his fourth CD release, and his second on Peter Nande's Straight Shooter Records label. Nande met Big Creek in 2007 and was captivated by Big Creek's Delta blues playing. Convinced that Big Creek deserved a wider audience, Nande invited him to record for Straight Shooter. The result was *Hope For My Soul*, released in 2015.

Keep My Belly Full is a more diverse set of tunes than its predecessor *Hope For My Soul*, delivering a hearty dose of pre-WWII country blues, early Chicago blues, seasoned with boogie woogie, funk and gospel. The music has a vintage sound, but the emotional urgency and intensity of Big Creek Slim's performances are timeless. Listen, and believe.

Big Creek Slim - *Keep My Belly Full*

Track Listing:

1. Bye Bye Blues - Tommy Johnson
2. You Don't Love Me - Big Creek Slim
3. Precious Memories - J.B. Wright
4. Keep My Belly Full - Big Creek Slim
5. Woman Don't Lie - Luther Johnson
6. Alright Baby - Big Creek Slim
7. Do Somebody Wrong - Big Creek Slim
8. Tell Me Baby - Big Creek Slim
9. Lonesome Day Blues - Jesse James
10. Cockfight - Big Creek Slim & Band
11. Sink 'Em Low - Traditional
12. Mrs. Headache - Big Creek Slim
13. Dry Spell Blues - Son House



Musicians:

Big Creek Slim - Vocal, guitar

Peter Nande - Harmonica

Paul Allen Jr. - Bass

Jens Kristian Dam - Drums

Nathan James - Guitar

Troels Jensen - Guitar, piano, backing vocal

Miriam Mandipira - Vocal, backing vocal

Ronni Boysen - Guitar

Lea Thorlann - Backing vocal

Kjeld Lauridsen - Organ

Pia Trøjgaard Fredfeldt - Backing vocal