

Ed Love's Highly Recommended New CDs for 2015



Artist	Title	Label
Uptown Vocal Jazz Quartet	Vocal Madness	HouseKat
Allan Harris	Black Bar Jukebox	Love Prod.
Chip White	Family Dedications & More	Dark Colors
Duane Eubanks	Things of that Particular Nature	Sunnyside
Steve Turre	Spiritman	Smoke Sessions
Russell Malone	Love Looks Good On You	High Note
Jeremy Pelt	Tales, Musings & Other Reveries	High Note
Jim Snidero	Main Street	Savant
Eddie Henderson	Collective Portrait	Smoke Sessions
Charles McPherson	The Journey	Capri
Henry Franklin	Two Views	S.P.
Joshua Bruneau	Bright Idea	Cellar Live
Curtis Nowosad	Dialectics	Cellar Live
Dave Stryker	Messin' with Mister T	Strikezone
Cassandra Wilson	Coming Forth by Day	Legacy
Mary Stallings	Feelin' Good	High Note
Doug Webb	Triple Play	Positone
Jose James	Yesterday I Had the Blues	Blue Note

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Harold Mabern	Afro Blue	Smoke Sessions
John Fedchock	Fluidity	Summit
Grant Stewart	Trio	Cellar Live
Dee Dee McNeil	Storyteller	Dee Square
Joey Alexander	My Favorite Things	Motema
Cory Weeds	Condition Blue	Cellar Live
Vincent Herring	Night & Day	Smoke Sessions
Jimmy Heath, John Faddis & The Temple University Big Band	Dear Dizzy	BCM+D
Cyrus Chestnut	A Million Colors in Your Mind	High Note
The Montgomery-Hermann Sextet	Hear, Here	Summit
Benny Green	Live in Santa Cruz	Sunnyside
Ben Haugland	A Million Dreams	Dazzle
Adam Shulman	Here/ There	OA2
Joshua Breakstone	2nd Avenue	Capri
Jeff Hackworth	The Heart of the Matter	Big Bridge
Dan Brubeck	Celebrating the Music and Lyrics of Dave & Lola Brubeck	Blue Forest
Ku-umba Frank Lacy & Mingus Big Band	Mingus Sings	Sunnyside
Steve Davis	Say When	Smoke Sessions

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Brad Myers	Prime Numbers	Colloquy
Steve Kaldestad	New York Afternoon	Cellar Live
Charenee Wade	Offering	Motema
Jacques Lesure	Camaraderie	WJ3
Terell Stafford	BrotherLee Love	Capri
Janice Friedman	Live at Kitano	Cap
The Rodriguez Brothers	Impromptu	Criss Cross
Tim Warfield	Spherical	Criss Cross
Zach Brock	Serendipity	Criss Cross
Dayna Stephens	Reminiscent	Criss Cross
Adam Rogers - David Binney	R&B	Criss Cross
Brecker, Shew & Hasenohrl	Trumpet Summit Prague	Summit
Donal Vega	With Respect to Monty	Resonance
George Cables	In Good Company	High Note
Heads of State	Search for Peace	Smoke Sessions
Walt Weiskopf	Open Road	Positone
Brian Landrus	The Deep Below	BlueLand
Criss Cross	Live at the Red Sea	K2B2

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3 More Sounds	The Happiness of Pursuit	S.P.
Alan Baylock	Primetime	Alan Baylock Jazz Orch.
Mark Winkler	Jazz & Other Four Letter Words	Cafe Pacific
Cecile McLorin Salvant	For One to Love	Mack Avenue
Mark Christian Miller	Crazy Moon	Sliding Door
Mike LeDonne	Awwright	Savant
Giacomo Gates	Everything Is Cool	Savant
Carol Welsman	Alone Together	Welcar
The Jazz at Lincoln Center Orchestra w/ Wynton Marsalis	Live in Cuba	Blue Engine
Arturo O'Farrill Afro Latin Jazz Orchestra	Cuba	Motema
Antonio Hart	Blessings	Jazz Legacy Prod.
Eric Alexander	The Real Thing	High Note
Symphonic Jazz Orchestra	Looking Forward, Looking Back	Mack Avenue
Christian McBride Trio	Live at the Village Vanguard	Mack Avenue
Mark Taylor Big Band	To the Edge	Whitegroove
Royal Bopsters	The Royal Bopsters Project	Motema
Joe Magnarelli	Three on Two	Positone
The Liberation Music Collective	Siglo XXI	Ad Astrum

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Orrin Evans	The Evolution of Oneself	Smoke Sessions
Abbey Lincoln	Sophisticated Abbey	High Note
Gerry Gibbs Thrasher Dream Trio	Live in Studio	Whaling City Sound
Dawan Muhammad	Gatekeepers Blues	Lifeforce
Dan Trudell	Plays the Piano	N/C
Yoron Israel	This Moment	Ronja Music
Alexis Cole & Bucky Pizzarelli	A Beautiful Friendship	Venus
Errol Garner	The Complete Concert by the Sea	Columbia Legacy
Michael Dease	Decisions	Positone
Ben Patterson	For Once in My Life	Origin
Sam Taylor	My Future Just Passed	Cellar Live
John Clayton w/ Hank Jones	John Clayton w/ Hank Jones	ArtistShare
Carlos Henriquez	The Bronx Pyramid	Blue Engine
Don Braden	Luminosity	Creative Perspective
Ann Hampton Callaway	The Hope of Christmas	MCG Jazz
Pittsburgh Jazz Orchestra	Joyful Jazz	MCG Jazz
Patrick Williams	Home Suite Home	BFM
U.S.A.F. Airmen of Note	Compositions	U.S.A.F.

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Tom Harrell	First Impressions	High Note
Denise Donatelli	Find A Heart	Savant
Sullivan Fortner	Aria	Impulse
Bob James	The New Cool	Yamaha Entertainment
Scott Hamilton & Jeff Hamilton	Live in Bern	Capri
Emma Larsson	Sing to the Sky	Origin
Jeff Jenkins	The Arrival	OA2
OJT	New Standards for The Green Lady	Jazz Daddy
David Benoit Trio	Believe	Concord
Band of Bones	Stomp	BB Productions
Scottish National Jazz Orchestra Makoto Ozone	Jeunehomme	Spartacus
Amina Figarova	Blue Whisper	In+Out
Clare Fischer	Out of the Blue	Clavo
Carrie Wicks	Maybe	OA2
Mort Weiss	Mort Weiss Is A Jazz Reality Show	SMS Jazz
Kim Nalley	Blues People	N/A
Doug Webb	Back East	Positone
Charles Ruggiero	As Heard on TV	Rondette

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Michael Kocour	Spiffy	Tempest
Big Phat Band	Wrap This	MOC
Kirsten Edkins	Art & Soul	Kirsten Edkins
Doug Webb	Home for Christmas	Positione
Stanley Clarke, Biréli Lagrène & Jean-Luc Ponty	D-String	Impulse
Joey DeFrancesco	Trip Mode	High Note
Houston Person	Something Personal	High Note
Kenny Burrell	The Road to Love	High Note
Daniel Perantoni	Mr. P's Christmas Wish	N/C
Thisbe Vos	A Jazzy Christmas	Prime Prod.
Cory Weeds & Jeff Hamilton	This Happy Madness	Cellar Live
Jazz at Lincoln Center Orchestra w/ Wynton Marsalis	Big Band Holidays	Blue Engine
Ernie Krivda	Requiem for A Jazz Lady	Capri
Will Caviness	A Walk	Cellar Live
Ron Sunshine	Bring it Home	Rondette
Al Grey	Christmas Stockin' Stuffer	Capri
Count Basie	A Very Swingin' Basie Christmas	Concord Jazz