

# NUMERO GROUP

## JOSEPH: MERRY CHRISTMAS TO YOU



**CATALOG NUMBER:** NUM1245LP-C2

**ARTIST:** JOSEPH

**TITLE:** MERRY CHRISTMAS TO YOU

**RELEASE DATE:** 11/16/18 (RESOLICIT)

**UPC:** LP 825764604529

**AVAILABLE FORMAT:** LP (LTD. TO 1000)

**GENRE:** SOUL, HOLIDAY

**BOX LOT:** 35

**TERRITORY RESTRICTIONS:** None

**VINYL IS NOT RETURNABLE**

### TRACK LISTING

#### A

1. Let Me Hang My Mistletoe
2. Jesus' Birthday
3. Rudolph
4. Merry Christmas

#### B

1. Sharing Christmas With You
2. Snowing In The East On Christmas
3. Whatcha Gonna Bring Me
4. Shopping
5. New Year

Joseph Washington Jr.'s 1983 holiday LP puts a soulful, funky, suave ribbon on nine frosty Christmas cuts. In that season of music's traditional descent into threadbare schmaltz, *Merry Christmas to You* restores joy and wonder to a blizzard of bland. Under this tree, find undiscovered classics for our cynical age: the buoyant "Jesus' Birthday," the hot and bothered soul of "Merry Christmas," the ridiculously catchy wallet-opener "Shopping." The world of records produces just a precious few yuletide keepers: Spector's *A Christmas Gift for You*; Fahey's *The New Possibility*; Guaraldi's indelible *Charlie Brown Christmas*. Down another nog and file Joseph Washington Jr. comfortably next to those.

All copies on Metallic Gold colored vinyl.

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