

David Lynch & Alan R. Splet

Eraserhead: Original Soundtrack Recording

Limited Edition Silver Vinyl



Eraserhead rests firmly at the top of that canon of American underground culture for which there is no genre. A staple of the dark underbelly of popular cinema that was originally only viewable at arthouse screenings or on the Midnight Movie circuit, *Eraserhead* is a truly unadulterated offering; and much of its sensation lies beyond the purely visual realm. The stark, dusty black and white images put forth are caked with and submerged in a dense jungle of industrial hums, buzzes, screeches and screams. *Eraserhead* is a narrative made up of two intertwined veins: one of bleak and beautiful pictures elegantly painted in gray and black, and one of blankets of sublime, enveloping noise and static, the tinkering of **Fats Waller** organ rolls echoing in the background.

To lay in the dark and listen to this dizzying succession of blissful noise is a different way to get "lost" than in the visuals of the film itself. It's no stretch to consider this soundtrack an experimental, early industrial masterpiece. *Eraserhead*'s individual passion and personal tone shines through even in the thickest moments of fierce static, an audio undertaking that took **David Lynch** and sound designer **Alan Splet** years to perfect. *Eraserhead*'s most famous piece of music is undoubtedly **Peter Ivers**' unforgettable, oft-covered haunting ballad "In Heaven," and the most exciting attribute of this edition of the soundtrack is no doubt its expansion, and it's present here, along with "Pete's Boogie," an **Ivers** recording previously only available on the long out-of-print limited edition LP of this soundtrack.

Selling Points / Key Press:

- Initial pressing of 1500 in 2012 sold out immediately
- Comes with silver vinyl 7" with the **Peter Ivers** songs "In Heaven (Lady in the Radiator Song)" and "Pete's Boogie"
- Includes three 11x11" prints and deluxe 16-page booklet
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