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Freddy Fender Wasted



Days & Wasted Nights

Contains The Classic Hits: I Met You Baby, Wild Side Of Life,

Freddy Fender was a regional artist working around Texas for 20 years before he had two runaway hits in 1975, "Before The Next Teardrop Falls" (No 1 Country & No 1 Top Twenty Charts), then "Wasted Days & Wasted Nights" (No 1 Country & No 8 Top Twenty Charts). Before that time Fender, who was born Baldemar Huerta in San Benito, Texas on June 4, 1937, had received some success with Spanish-English versions of Elvis Presley songs in Mexico in 1957, and had sold a stack of copies of the original recording of "Wasted Days & Wasted Nights", in 1959 which was a large regional seller in the Southwest.

"Crazy, Crazy, Baby" was his next release and was starting to become a moderate hit when Fender was busted for possessing two marijuana joints in 1960, in Baton Rouge, Louisiana, and subsequently spent three years in the notorious Angola State Prison.

Fast forwarding to 1975, Fenders third release in his hit run "Since I Met You Baby" also charted going to number one on the Country charts and Top 50 on the Main charts. His fourth hit of 1975 was "Secret Love". In 1976 "The Wild Side of Life" went Top 15 Country, followed by "You'll Lose A Good Thing" which went to No 15 Country and to No 40 in the Main chart. Other hits included "The Rains Came" in 1977. In 1990 he became part of the Texas Super Group "The Texas Tornados" with Doug Sahm, Augie Meyers and Flaco Jiminez.

## Best Of Freddy Fender

## WASTED DAYS & WASTED **NIGHTS**

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- 1. Crazy, Crazy Baby
- 2. Before The Next Teardrop Falls 16. Enter My Heart
- 3. Wasted Days & Wasted Nights 17. Silver Wings
- 4. Since I Met You Baby
- 5. Wild Side Of Life
- 6. You'll Lose A Good Thing
- 7. The Rains Came
- 8. Just Because
- 9. There Is Something On Your Mind
- 10. Almost Persuaded
- 11. She's About A Mover
- 12. I'm Leaving It Up To You
- 13. Baby, I Want To Love You
- 14. The Girl Who Waits On Tables

- 15. Lovin' Cajun Style

- 18. Going Out With The Tide
- 19. Mean Woman
- 20. But I Do
- 21. You Made Me Cry
- 22. Coming Home Soon
- 23. A Man Can Cry
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